

BAY AREA RAPID TRANSIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief Kevin Franklin via the Chain of Command

FROM: Lieutenant Wendy Sanchez

DATE: November 6, 2024

SUBJECT: Policy Updates for CBR review

The Policy Review Committee met and approved the following policies for department review and acceptance. Please provide the necessary notification to the CRB at your convenience. The modifications to the policies are included below:

Policy 1000 Recruitment and Selection Updated to accept the Department of Justice accreditation standards and accepted content to include a review of the National Decertification Index

Respectfully,

Wendy Sanchez #21

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Lieutenant Support Services

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Lexipol Release Notes

Lexipol 1000:

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This policy has been updated because the United States Department of Justice (DOJ) updated their accreditation standards. As a reminder, state accrediting agencies must comply with DOJ standards to qualify as independent credentialing bodies. Although the standards issued by the DOJ do not directly impact local law enforcement agencies, the federal action is structured to encourage local agencies to seek state accreditation by making certain federal grant funding dependent on an agency achieving accredited status. Lexipol has updated content to place agencies in the best position possible if and when they elect to seek accreditation. Changes to this policy include:

• In **SELECTION PROCESS**, content has been updated to include a review of the National Decertification Index.