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Cannabis Investigations

A Look at California's Cannabis Laws;
Their Societal Impact & Officer Safety During Investigations

Course Description: With cannabis laws being relaxed or all out removed by States throughout the Country Cannabis-related crimes are more prevalent than ever. This class will discuss California's new cannabis laws, the for-profit commercial cannabis industry, the changes to the Health and Safety Code, Bureau of Cannabis Control regulations and NEW search and seizure issues for law enforcement personnel and the effects of legalization on our communities.

Additionally, the class will discuss current trends in and the investigative strategies for investigating indoor cultivation and concentrated cannabis lab operations, officer safety techniques, societal impact of the cannabis subculture and best practices when dealing with marijuana investigations.

Learning Objectives:

1. A Look at Today's Cannabis and its Effects on the Body
2. Today's Cannabis Laws in California
3. Strategies for Investigation & Societal Impact
4. Indoor Marijuana Grow Investigations
5. Officer Safety for Personnel Investigating MJ Crimes
6. Search Warrant and Report Writing Techniques

Date & Time: April 28, 2020 from 0800-1700 hours

Location: 2175 Shasta View Drive, Redding- State Compensation Insurance Fund Building

Instructor: Seth Cimino is a Police Sergeant employed by the Citrus Heights (CA) Police Department. Prior to joining the CHPD in 2013, Seth worked for the Del Norte County (CA) Sheriff's Office where he supervised the county's Marijuana Suppression Program. During his 18-year career, Seth has spent over 10 years as a Narcotics Detective focused on marijuana-related crimes. Seth is a CA POST-certified instructor and an Office of Drug Control Policy National Marijuana Initiative speaker. Seth teaches for several State and National training organizations, on topics ranging from: *search and seizure, medical marijuana investigation & application (Prop. 215 / SB 420), marijuana cultivation, possession, possession for sales, sales and concentrated cannabis investigations.*

Fee: \$40.00 for CNOA members / \$60.00 for non-members. The class fee will be accepted during sign-in on the day of the class. Checks are to be made out to "CNOA Region VIII." If paying with cash, please have exact amount. Registration begins at 0730 hours with class starting by 0800 hours. To register, please go to www.cnoaregionaltraining.org

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