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CHAPTER 283
HOUSE BILL 2076

AN ACT

AMENDING LAWS 2018, CHAPTER 312, SECTION 5; RELATING TO PEACE OFFICER
TRAINING EQUIPMENT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Laws 2018, chapter 312, section 5 is amended to read:

3 Sec. 5. Appropriations; peace officer training equipment;
4 public safety and court automation expenses

5 A. Notwithstanding section 41-1731, subsection C, paragraph 3,
6 Arizona Revised Statutes, ~~as added by this act~~, monies in the peace
7 officer training equipment fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona
8 Revised Statutes, ~~as added by this act~~, are continuously appropriated
9 until all of the following appropriations are made:

10 1. The first \$500,000 that is deposited in the peace officer
11 training equipment fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona Revised
12 Statutes, ~~as added by this act~~, is appropriated to the department of
13 public safety for employee overtime pay.

14 2. The next \$2,300,000 is appropriated after the appropriation made
15 in paragraph 1 of this section from the peace officer training equipment
16 fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona Revised Statutes, ~~as added by~~
17 ~~this act~~, to the department of public safety to purchase all of the
18 following:

19 (a) Ten virtual firing ranges that:

20 (i) Are ballistically accurate to a degree of .08 milliradian, as
21 verified by the United States army.

22 (ii) Take into account the exact weapon and round being fired.

23 (iii) Emulate the real world as closely as possible, including
24 ballistic fly-out projectiles, weapon behavior, projectile size,
25 environmental effects and impact results.

26 (iv) Will work with the virtual firing range simulators that are
27 used by this state before ~~the effective date of this section~~ JANUARY 1,
28 2019.

29 (v) Are capable of generating unlimited custom high definition
30 video scenarios, skill drills, targeting exercises and firearms training
31 in any setting.

32 (b) Three virtual training simulators, including one for the Tucson
33 police department, one in Pinal county for the sheriff's office and one ~~in~~
34 ~~Yuma county for the sheriff's office~~ FOR THE GLENDALE REGIONAL TRAINING
35 ACADEMY. The virtual training simulators must:

36 (i) Have the ability to display, and for the trainee to engage
37 with, characters and scenario content simultaneously across at least a
38 three hundred degree screen environment.

39 (ii) Have the ability to accurately replicate real-world ballistic
40 characteristics of a projectile in flight.

41 (iii) Be equipped with transducers to recreate sound vibrations.

42 (iv) Include a stress component, including the use of a wireless
43 device capable of delivering an adjustable electric impulse, during
44 training engagements.

1 (c) Software that is used with the virtual firing ranges and
2 virtual training simulators.

3 3. The next \$203,000 is appropriated after the ~~appropriation~~
4 ~~APPROPRIATIONS~~ made in paragraphs 1 and 2 of this section from the peace
5 officer training equipment fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona
6 Revised Statutes, ~~as added by this act,~~ to the department of public safety
7 to maintain and service the seven existing virtual training simulators in
8 this state.

9 4. The next \$50,000 is appropriated after the appropriations made
10 in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of this section from the peace officer training
11 equipment fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona Revised Statutes,
12 ~~as added by this act,~~ to the governor's office of highway safety to
13 provide public service announcements that educate drivers in this state on
14 how to act when subject to a peace officer's traffic stop.

15 5. The next \$20,000 is appropriated after the appropriations made
16 in paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this section from the peace officer
17 training equipment fund established by section 41-1731, Arizona Revised
18 Statutes, ~~as added by this act,~~ to the supreme court to cover a onetime
19 programming cost.

20 B. NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 35-342, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, THE
21 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY MAY ALLOW DELIVERY OF THE VIRTUAL FIRING
22 RANGES, THE VIRTUAL TRAINING SIMULATORS AND THE SOFTWARE FOR WHICH MONIES
23 ARE APPROPRIATED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION A, PARAGRAPH 2 OF THIS SECTION
24 BEFORE SUFFICIENT MONIES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE PEACE OFFICER TRAINING
25 EQUIPMENT FUND AND MAY PAY FOR THE EQUIPMENT WHEN MONIES ARE AVAILABLE
26 FROM THE FUND WITHOUT PAYING INTEREST ON THE OUTSTANDING BALANCE IF THE
27 EQUIPMENT VENDOR AGREES TO THIS ARRANGEMENT.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR JUNE 7, 2019.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE JUNE 7, 2019.