

REFERENCE TITLE: law enforcement; deadly force; investigations

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Introduced by
Representatives Bolding: Longdon, Rodriguez

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 13, CHAPTER 4, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 13-410.01; RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

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

2 Section 1. Title 13, chapter 4, Arizona Revised Statutes, is
3 amended by adding section 13-410.01, to read:

4 13-410.01. Law enforcement officer; use of deadly force;
5 outside investigators; report

6 A. IF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER USES DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE IN THE
7 PERFORMANCE OF THE OFFICER'S OFFICIAL DUTIES AND THAT USE CAUSES THE DEATH
8 OF ANOTHER PERSON, AN INVESTIGATOR OR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WHO IS NOT
9 FROM THE SAME LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY AS THE OFFICER, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
10 OR THE COUNTY ATTORNEY FROM ANOTHER COUNTY SHALL CONDUCT THE INVESTIGATION
11 INTO THE OFFICER'S USE OF DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE.

12 B. THE INVESTIGATOR, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, ATTORNEY GENERAL OR
13 COUNTY ATTORNEY WHO COMPLETES THE INVESTIGATION SHALL PROVIDE THE RESULTS
14 OF THE INVESTIGATION TO THE COUNTY ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE USE
15 OF DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE OCCURRED.