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Course Outline for AJ 77

POWERS TO ARREST

Effective: Spring 1993

I. CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

AJ 77 — POWERS TO ARREST — 0.50 units

Legal authority in powers to arrest; differences between detention and arrest. Designed for Security Guards to meet the California State law requirements.

0.50 Units Lecture

Grading Methods:

Pass/No Pass

Discipline:

	<u>MIN</u>
Lecture Hours:	9.00
Total Hours:	9.00

II. NUMBER OF TIMES COURSE MAY BE TAKEN FOR CREDIT: 1

III. PREREQUISITE AND/OR ADVISORY SKILLS:

IV. MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. demonstrate appropriate knowledge of Penal Code 837;
2. distinguish between detention and arrest;
3. demonstrate understanding of the legal authority included in making arrests;
4. demonstrate knowledge of the proper procedures to be used in making an arrest.

V. CONTENT:

- A. Introduction
 1. Detention
 2. Arrest
 3. Legal authority
- B. Penal Code, Section 836
- C. Penal Code, Section 837 (Citizens Arrest Law)
- D. Use of force
- E. Use of deadly force
- F. Custody

VI. METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

- A. **Discussion** -
- B. **Lecture** -
- C. Media materials

VII. TYPICAL ASSIGNMENTS:

VIII. EVALUATION:

- A. **Methods**
 1. Exams/Tests
 2. Class Participation
- B. **Frequency**

IX. TYPICAL TEXTS:

X. OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED OF STUDENTS: