



# Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training

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## Rules Committee Meeting Minutes

March 5, 2025

1:00 p.m.

*This was a hybrid meeting held at the POST Board office*

### Members Present:

Chair Justin Terrell  
Tanya Gladney  
Jason Bennett  
Stephanie Revering  
Troy Wolbersen

### Staff Present:

Alicia Popowski  
Erik Misselt

### Members Absent:

Bobbi Holtberg

**Call to order:** Chair Terrell called the meeting to order on March 5, 2025, at 1:02 p.m.

**Approval of the agenda:** Chair Terrell asked for a motion to approve the agenda.

- **MOTION:** Ms. Gladney made a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Wolbersen seconded the motion. The motion was approved via unanimous voice vote.

**Approval of the January 22, 2024, minutes:** Chair Terrell asked if everyone had a chance to review the minutes and asked if there are any edits needed.

- **MOTION:** Mr. Wolbersen made a motion to approve the February 5, 2025, meeting minutes. Mr. Bennett seconded the motion. The motion was approved via unanimous voice vote.

**Review, discussion, and amendments to 6700.0501 regarding peace officer reciprocity:** Ms. Popowski provided a summary of the changes (red text) made to 6700.0501. The changes were based on feedback received by the full board at the January 23, 2025 meeting. The committee discussed the changes and how they could expand upon them. These expansions included waiving a portion of the required credits based on training and/or experience and requiring a certain number of credits to be completed each year. The committee expressed they found it unfair to require MN trainees to have their law enforcement education prior to becoming a peace officer, while reciprocity applicants are allowed to achieve their degree/postsecondary education credits after being hired. The committee discussed the emphasis MN places on the professionalization of law enforcement and how education is a large piece of that. The committee determined they were interested in one of two options 1) amend subpart 11 (red text) so that applicants are required to actively work toward the 60 post-secondary education credit requirement or 2) re-refer the proposed rule back to the full board for further discussion without the additions (red text).

- **MOTION:** Mr. Bennett made a motion to add a yearly credit achievement requirement to subpart 11

(red text) to ensure reciprocity applicants actively work toward completing the 60 post-secondary degree credit requirement. Mr. Wolbersen seconded the motion. The motion failed on a 2 (yes) to 3 (no) vote.

Rule 6700.0501 was re-referred to the full board as originally proposed for further discussion.

**Adjournment:** The meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

- **MOTION:** Mr. Bennett made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Gladney seconded the motion. Motion passed via unanimous voice vote.