

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 1537 removes the Assistant Director position at the Council on Law Enforcement Education Training (CLEET). The measure also provides that CLEET may suspend certification of an officer if it finds that the certified peace officer has been suspended or terminated for cause by a law enforcement employer. The measure provides that CLEET is prohibited from certifying an officer with out-of-state certification if it finds that the officer's certification was surrendered by the officer to avoid revocation or other disciplinary action from the origin state. Officers may be denied certification if they received a letter of reprimand. The measure also requires each law enforcement officer in the state attest to his or her certification with CLEET by providing proof of successful and timely completion of all required continuing education hours every 3 years. The 3-year cycle will be calculated based on the officer's original certification date. Officers subject to an investigation may surrender their certification.

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