


STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION
Police Officer Standards and Training Council
Connecticut Police Academy

GENERAL NOTICE 18-03

To: Chief Law Enforcement Officers
Training Officers
Protective Services
Resident Troopers

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Subject: Connecticut Information Sharing System (CISS)

As of January 2018 the Criminal Justice Information System replaced a system called The Offender Based Tracking System (OBTS), the updated system is called the Connecticut Information Sharing System (CISS). The new system is more robust and offers multiple database checks simultaneously.

At the November 8, 2018 meeting of the Police Officer Standards and Training Council, the Council approved four (4) hours of Review Training credit be awarded for the initial training, and two (2) hours of Review Training credit for the required recertification every two years. All of this training is accomplished on-line.

For the purpose of becoming trainers in the new System, prospective trainers and trainers that were instructors for the OBTS system should contact Henry Lindgren at CJIS. This will be required to gain certification as a POST-C certified Instructor in this training area (628).