




Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM 2023-11

DATE: June 14, 2023

TO: Criminal Justice Agency Administrators
Criminal Justice Training Center Directors
Criminal Justice Selection Center Directors

FROM: Director Felipe Williams
Criminal Justice Professionalism Division 

SUBJECT: Retirement of Specialized Course, #2007, Safe Handling of Firearms

On May 18, 2023, the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission approved the retirement of the specialized course, #2007, Safe Handling of Firearms.

Commission staff initially developed the course to fulfill the training need of Correctional Probation Officers (CPOs) at a time when those officers were not required to complete the 80-hour Firearms for Criminal Justice Officers training program. Since CPOs are now required to complete the 80-hour Firearms for Criminal Justice officers training program, the specialized course, #2007, Safe Handling of Firearms is no longer necessary to fulfill that training need.

If you have questions regarding the retirement of this course, please contact Training and Research Manager Rob Bates, Bureau of Training at RobertBates@fdle.state.fl.us or at (850) 410-8672.

cc: Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission