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**CRIMINAL JUSTICE STANDARDS & TRAINING COMMISSION
TECHNICAL MEMO 2010-01**

TO: Criminal Justice Agencies
Criminal Justice Training Schools

FROM: Program Director Michael D. Crews 
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SUBJECT: Clarification of the B-21E or Equivalent Target

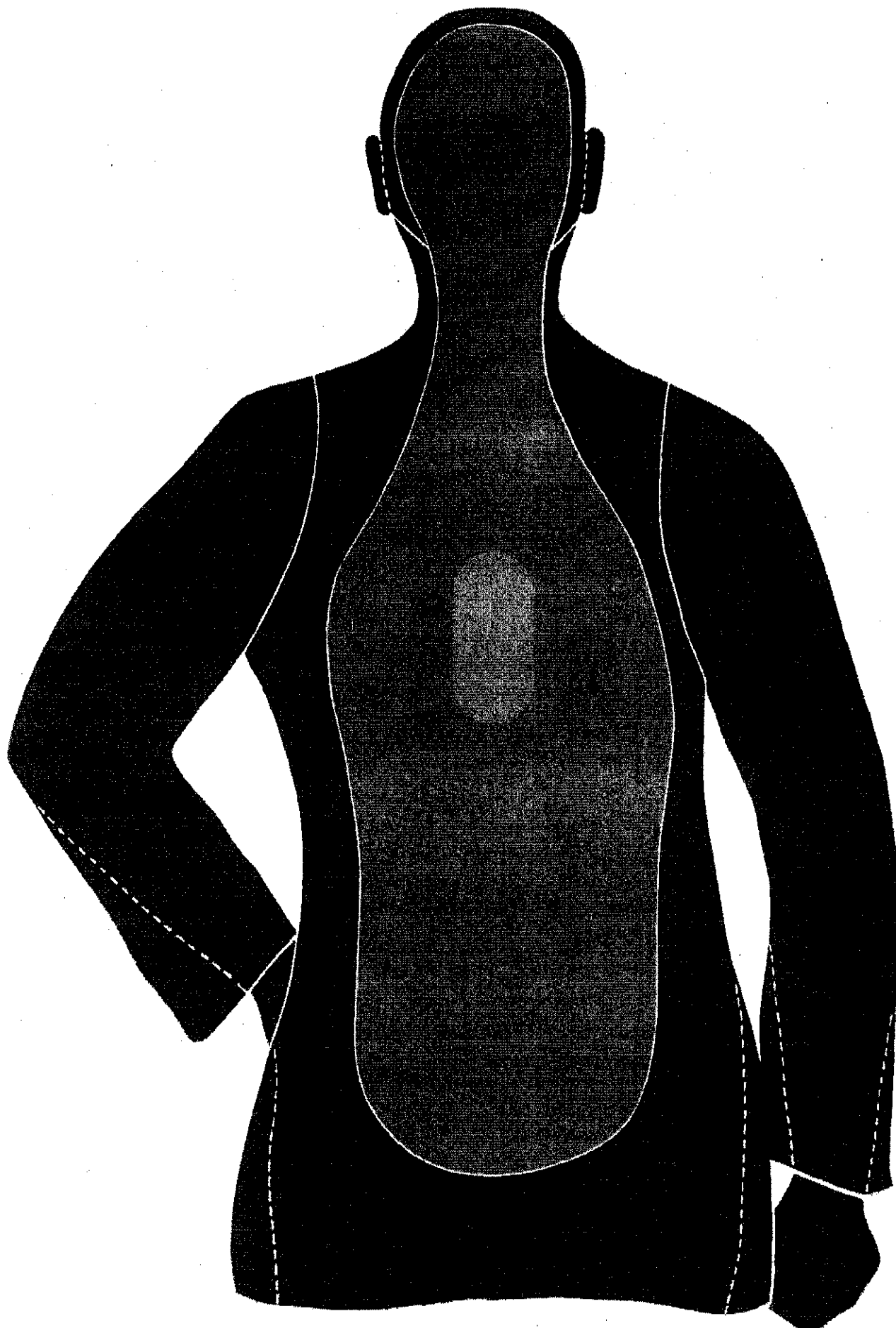
Rule 11B-35.0024(3)(c) and (d), Florida Administrative Code, and forms CJSTC-4 CMS and CJSTC-86A mandate that a basic recruit student, instructor student or active law enforcement officer use a B-21E or equivalent target to demonstrate proficiency skills. There has been confusion regarding which targets are acceptable due to the many variations of the B-21E target produced as well as the similar P.R.I.D.E. target. At their quarterly meeting on February 4, 2010, the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission voted to clarify which targets are acceptable for use in Commission-approved training and law enforcement officer qualification. The Commission determined that any commercially produced B-21E target as well as the similar P.R.I.D.E. target currently designated as 3A1200 is acceptable. All applicable rules, forms and curricula will be updated to reflect this clarification. However, because the Commission simply clarified the existing language regarding equivalent targets, training schools and agencies are authorized to use the newly designated targets for Commission-approved training or officer qualification.

Realistic style B-21E targets are acceptable for handgun qualifications as long as they have the B-21E scoring areas 4 and 5 identified on the target. Because hits in the arms count towards the student's or instructor student's score for shotgun qualifications, only the standard B-21E silhouette target or similar P.R.I.D.E. target should be used due to the differences in the position of the arms on some realistic targets. Please see the attachment to this technical memo for an example of the silhouette style that should be used for shotgun qualification.

Please contact your CJSTC Field Representative if you have any questions.

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cc: Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission Members



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