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FOR Bob Stresak, Executive Director

Commission on Post
860 Stillwater Road, Suite 100
West Sacramento, Ca. 95605

SUBJECT: Exemption 3 year re-qualification requirement, 6 year waiver

1. Sir, the purpose of this memorandum is to respectfully request a waiver to the 3 year re-qualification requirement in accordance with Regulation 1008 Section B. I graduated from the regular basic course at the Alameda County Regional Training Center in April 2002 and shortly thereafter in 2003 deployed with my military unit to the middle east in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. I completed the a re-qualification course at the South Bay Regional Center Evergreen Valley College on September 28, 2012. I was offered employment with the San Francisco State University Police Department several months later on or about 15 January 2013. My current U.S. Army unit with the HHSC 223RD Military Intelligence Unit disapproved my request for outside employment with the SFSU PD and therefore I was required to decline the employment offer from the chief. My life long dream has been to become a Police Officer and have worked hard to fulfill my dream. Unfortunately for me I am still on Military Active duty orders and obligated until June 2017 when I retire from the U.S. Army with 23 years of total service. It has been extremely difficult for me to begin and complete the hiring process with police agencies due to increasingly high OPTEMPO of my current military missions and deployments overseas to include military training in CONUS.

2. If you can please grant me an additional 3 years after 28 September 2015 this would allow me that leeway on my current POST re-qualification certificate and get hired with an agency.

3. The approval of the additional 3 years from the expiration of my certificate on September 28, 2015 would save me \$3,000 out of pocket expense that I previously paid to go through the POST re-qualification course at Evergreen Valley College. Thank You for your time Sir.

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