TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

Advanced Motorcycle Officer Skills

This course is directed toward the experienced police motorcycle officer who has successfully completed a certified police motorcycle rider or motorcycle instruction course. You will be exposed to advanced riding and tactical techniques in order to improve or enhance existing riding and survival skills.

You will learn specific tactics to employ when engaging in a hostile threat. We will also show you how to use your motorcycle for cover and concealment. You will be required to participate in realistic simunition-based traffic stops and live target shooting exercises.

Topics include:
• Advanced riding techniques
• Advanced obstacle exercises
• Motorcycle officer tactics when engaging a hostile threat
• Use of cover and concealment
• Basic motorcycle crash causation and investigation
• Motorcycle officer updates
• Criminal interdiction
• Escorts
• Alarm/survival stress response
• Tactical breathing and heart rate variability
• Visualization for enhancing tactical performance
• How to apply peak performance skills in critical motorcycle operations

Course Requisites:
1. You must bring a department motorcycle that you are currently riding or a similar motorcycle approved by MASI for the range. The bike should be in good condition and have a pre-course maintenance check.
2. You must bring an on-duty weapon, holster rig and 500 rounds of ammunition.
3. You must sign a waiver of responsibility.

Prerequisite: You must have successfully completed a certified police motorcycle rider or MASI's *Police Motorcycle Instructor* courses, or their equivalents.

Audience: Current motorcycle officers and academy instructors

Community Policing for Traffic Officers

This course will discuss the integration of traffic law enforcement into the Community Oriented Policing (COP) concept. The program will examine the main elements of both community policing and traffic enforcement. Students will be presented with the process of introducing change and overcoming resistance in joining the two philosophies. They will also have an opportunity to test their skills in group problem solving exercises.

Community Policing for Traffic Officers is designed for traffic officers, traffic supervisors and middle managers who wish to integrate a strong traffic enforcement effort into their community policing programs.

Topics include:
- History of COP
- History of traffic law enforcement
- Elements of traffic enforcement programs in community policing
- Identifying the community and its traffic problems
- Traffic problem solving
- Implementing department change and overcoming resistance to it
- Integrating traffic enforcement into the COP effort

Criminal Patrol and Contraband Concealment Investigations

This course will teach you how to safely and legally conduct criminal patrol and interdiction activities and locate contraband hidden within vehicles. Much more than just looking beyond the traffic stop, this course will explore the entire process from initiating the traffic stop to locating and securing the evidence.

You will learn how to investigate deeper using the basic techniques of roadside interviews and how to recognize body language that may indicate criminal activity or a threat to your safety. The laws surrounding search and seizure will be examined including probable cause and consent searches.

We will also show you how to identify the hidden compartments that exist naturally in vehicles and those that have been mechanically installed by smugglers. You will learn how to gain access to these compartments without destroying the contraband and how to properly collect, preserve, and process the evidence while maintaining the chain of custody.

Topics include:
- Smuggling techniques
- Criminal patrol procedures and practices
- Legal issues involving stops, citizen contacts, searches and seizures
- Characteristics of smugglers
- Evidence collection and crime scene processing
- Roadside interviewing and interrogation techniques
- Vehicle search techniques
- Body language and stress
- Traffic stops and officer safety
- Detecting hidden compartments

Audience: Patrol officers, specialized units that actively perform traffic stops and supervisors of units that actively perform traffic stops

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Note: This course is a shortened version of MASI's *Criminal Patrol and Contraband Concealment Investigations* 40-hour course held in NYDA, Cape Town

Detecting False Driver License Identification

Class is restricted to Law Enforcement Personnel Only**.**

Whether it is underage alcohol possession due to fake identification or criminals using forged documents to gain illegal entry to the Republic of South Africa, false identification is an ever-growing problem for law enforcement agencies. Identifying a fake ID, once a simple task, is now difficult for even a trained investigator.

This course will give you updated information to assist in combating these growing criminal enterprises. Many different investigative techniques and fraudulent documents will be presented.

Topics include:
• Uses of identification
• Department of State Issues
• Fraudulent documents
• Security features
• Fraudulent techniques

- Crimes involved
- State and federal laws

Police Motorcycle Instructor

This course is intended for the police motorcycle officer responsible for motorcycle training within an agency. It will also assist you in upgrading your department's current motorcycle training program.

You will participate in skill developing exercises during the first week of instruction. You will then learn how to set-up programs in your department which will ensure that only the most capable officers are assigned to the motorcycle unit.

Prior to successful completion of the course, each instructor candidate will be evaluated on a timed obstacle course. In addition, you will participate in extended rides where you will be exposed to several different riding situations. Tactical shooting situations will be practiced and special problems in police motorcycle use will be addressed.

In addition, you will learn skills necessary to improve your peak performance in critical motorcycle operations such as alarm/stress response, tactical breathing, heart rate variability and visualization techniques.

You will be given special projects involving range layout, scheduling and setting-up a departmental training program. Instructor techniques will be discussed and a unit of instruction will be conducted which will be critiqued by the MASI staff.

The course is designed for the operator of a two-wheel motorcycle with a minimum displacement of 500 cc.

Course Requisites:
1. You must bring a department motorcycle that you are currently riding or a similar motorcycle approved by MASI for range and street riding portions. The bike should be in good condition and have a pre-course maintenance check.
2. You must bring an on-duty weapon, holster rig and one dress uniform.
3. You must sign a waiver of responsibility.

Prerequisite: You must have successfully completed a certified police motorcycle rider course, or its equivalent, given by an approved police motorcycle instructor.

Audience: Current motorcycle officers and academy instructors

Police Traffic Laser Instructor/Operator

This course will not only teach you how to operate Laser devices, but will it also prepare you to instruct other law enforcement officers in the use of these devices.

The history and theory behind the development of Lasers will be explained and you will participate in "hands-on" practical exercises to become proficient in their use. In addition,

we will review teaching methods for this subject and give you an opportunity to refine your instructional skills.

Upon successful completion of this course, you will be qualified as a Laser operator as well as a Laser instructor.

Topics include:
• History of the development of Lasers
• Theory of Lasers: how they operate and how they measure speed
• Operational considerations
• Preparation for court presentation
• Practical application with "hands-on" training
• You are encouraged to bring Laser units of the type utilized by your agency for use in the field exercises.

Prerequisite: Florida students must be Radar Instructors in order to attend this course. This requirement is also suggested for out of state students.

Police Traffic Laser/Radar Instructor

This combined course will improve your knowledge of both Radar and Laser speed measurement devices and give you the instructional tools to present Radar and Laser training programs to other members of law enforcement.

You will learn the different scientific principles behind these devices and their proper application within the overall speed enforcement program. In addition, we will cover the various aspects of equipment use such as testing and verification protocols, case law, health issues, and many other operational considerations.

Through practical exercises using a variety of different units, you will be exposed to the latest technology in the field. You will also take part in teaching exercises that emphasize the need for complete equipment familiarity on the part of the operator. It is strongly suggested that you bring a laptop computer to class.

Topics include:
• Time, distance, and speed measurement
• Scientific principles of Radar and Laser
• Operational considerations
• Case law and administrative rules
• Preparations for court presentation
• Theories of adult teaching and learning
• Four-step teaching process
• Practical exercises and written exams
• Classroom presentations

Prerequisite: *LEO and PI* must be a Radar/Laser operator for a minimum of 3 years and have successfully completed the FLDE instructor techniques courses prior to attending this class. This is also suggested for officers from other states.

Audience: Criminal justice instructors, police officers, supervisors, security, military, manufacturer and distributor representatives

A limited number of "course fee" scholarships have been provided by Applied Concepts/Stalker Radar, Kustom Signals, Inc. and Laser Technology, Inc. for MASI's Police Traffic Laser/RADAR Instructor course. For additional information, please contact MASI at (+27832549004 .

Safe and Legal Traffic Stops

Safe and Legal Traffic Stops (S.A.L.T.S.) is a unique training program that has been presented to over 400 law enforcement agencies and academies throughout the nation.
It uses a dynamic and interactive curriculum to reinforce the necessity for consistent and professional traffic enforcement activities.

This 8-hour course is designed to provide you with specific and effective methods for conducting professional yet safe vehicle stops.

The program will offer an awareness of the ethnic, racial and cultural issues you are required to deal with during your traffic enforcement activities. You will review and discuss guidelines to follow in an effort to ensure that proper probable cause is achieved in all traffic stops and that the stops are made in a consistent and professional manner.

Topics include:
• Elements of illegal profiling
• The law enforcement professional
• Cultural perceptions and misperceptions during vehicle stops
• Perceptions of the motoring public
• Law enforcement as a role model
• Conducting ethical vehicle enforcement functions
• Safe verbal intervention
• Basic constitutional court rulings
• Traffic safety issues

This course is designed to train instructors to teach the 8-hour *Safe & Legal Traffic Stops* program. The basic course offers specific methods for conducting professional traffic stops and provides an awareness of the ethnic, racial and cultural issues that exist today. You will learn how to teach this course to law enforcement officers to ensure that the material is presented in a standardized manner.

In addition to the basic course topics, you will prepare class presentations and successfully complete an in-class performance evaluation. You will receive a CD-ROM containing the PowerPoint presentation, a videotape containing scenarios for class use and a student manual.

Traffic Engineering for Police

The traffic officer included in highway safety and traffic enforcement is required to understand the relationship of motor vehicle crashes to the roadway and traffic conditions. The officer is then required to communicate their opinion to the Traffic Safety Engineer. Accurate communication requires a common bond of language between enforcement and engineering. This program provides that bond.

MASI's *Traffic Engineering for Police* is intended for traffic officers, traffic homicide investigators, community oriented police officers and traffic supervisors. It will also benefit traffic crash reconstruction specialists. The officers should possess some knowledge of traffic crash investigation and the assembling of crash data and be familiar with hazardous location analysis.

Topics include:
• Traffic and roadway terminology
• Interchanges and freeways
• Roadway curvature/superelevation
• Left turn lane design
• Traffic signal/4-way stop warrants
• Traffic signal timing
• Speed limits
• School drop-off/pick-ups
• Crash pattern diagnosis
• Crash pattern analysis