

HR 3060

Preventing Tragedies Between Police and Communities Act of 2017

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Preventing Tragedies Between Police and Communities Act of 2017

This bill requires a state or local government that receives funding under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) program to train law enforcement officers on de-escalation techniques. The Department of Justice (DOJ) may reduce by up to 20% the JAG allocation of a state or local government that fails to comply.

DOJ must collect data on the efforts of state and local governments to enhance de-escalation training for law enforcement officers.

Additionally, a state or local government that receives JAG program funding must enact a law, policy, or procedure that establishes an affirmative duty on a law enforcement officer to use de-escalation techniques. DOJ must reduce by 15% the JAG allocation of a state or local government that fails to enact such law, policy, or procedure.

DOJ must issue guidance on compliance with these requirements.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 29, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H5302)
- **Jun 29, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jun 26, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 26, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.