HR 8637

Law Enforcement De-Escalation Training Act of 2022

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4003	Related bill	**Dec 27, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-325.

Summary (as of Aug 2, 2022)

Law Enforcement De-Escalation Training Act of 2022

This bill directs the Department of Justice (DOJ) to develop scenario-based training curricula (or identify existing curricula) that includes topics such as alternatives to the use of force, de-escalation tactics, and safely responding to an individual experiencing a mental, behavioral health, or suicidal crisis.

The bill also directs DOJ to make grants to states for costs associated with providing the training to law enforcement officers or mental health professionals.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Aug 2, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Aug 2, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.