

## **0260.01 State Law Enforcement Officer Licensing**

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### **PURPOSE**

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To ensure proper licensing of law enforcement officers statewide.

### **APPLICATION**

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State and local applicants for law enforcement officer licensing.

### **CONTACT AGENCY**

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Michigan State Policy (MSP)  
Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards (MCOLES)  
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### **SUMMARY**

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All fully empowered state and local law enforcement officers who are responsible for prevention and detection of crime and the enforcement of the general criminal laws of this state shall obtain licensing from the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards (MCOLES). All law enforcement agencies must submit standards compliance documentation to the Commission for approval and licensing for each fully empowered law enforcement officer employed by the agency.

### **APPLICABLE FORMS**

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All reporting forms and requirements can be found at [www.michigan.gov/mcoles](http://www.michigan.gov/mcoles) and are processed via the MCOLES Information and Tracking Network (MITN).

### **PROCEDURES**

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Refer to Public Act 203 of 1965, as amended, and Administrative Rules 28.14101 through 28.14702, or contact MCOLES at 517-322-1417.

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