



**PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING
COMMISSION**

INFORMAL HEARING

April 15th, 2021

1:00 P.M.

AGENDA



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INFORMAL HEARING SUBCOMMITTEE**

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APPEARING:

***Court Order and POST Surrender**

Bedford County Sheriff Office – Guthrie, Joseph M. - #9976-4156

Decertification

Chattanooga Police Department – Blakney, Josiah D. - #8581-7845

THP Safety & Homeland Security – Briggs, Harvey D. - #6428-0003

Knoxville Police Department – Holbert, Gage A. - #2705-3268

Hancock County Sheriff Office – Lamb, Dusty D. - #5454-3505

THP Safety & Homeland Security – Runkle, Travis D. - #9750-8563

Chattanooga Police Department – Blakney, Josiah D. – Mr. Blakney was terminated on 11-22-19 for violating code of conduct: false arrest, use of force/no injury, and discourtesy.

Motion to **Approve**/Disapprove by: **Wright** Second: **Cherry**

Recommendation to the Full Commission: **Referred to full Commission**

Remarks: to be set for a full hearing at a later date

THP Safety & Homeland Security – Briggs, Harvey D. – Mr. Briggs was terminated on 08-24-2020 for violating rules and general orders.

Motion to Approve/Disapprove by: _____ Second _____

Recommendation to the Full Commission _____

Remarks: pending civil appeal/moved to future agenda

Knoxville Police Department – Holbert, Gage A. – Mr. Holbert resigned from the Knoxville Police Department with disciplinary action pending that could have resulted in termination.

Motion to **Approve**/Disapprove by: **Wright** Second: **Partin**
Recommendation to the Full Commission: **Default order of decertification**

Hancock County Sheriff Office – Lamb, Dusty D. – Mr. Lamb was terminated on 02-26-2021 after pleading guilty in criminal court to charges of theft on 02-26-2021.

Motion to Approve/Disapprove by: _____ Second _____
Recommendation to the Full Commission _____
Remarks: moved to future agenda

THP Safety & Homeland Security – Runkle, Travis D. – Mr. Runkle was terminated on 02-05-2021 for conduct unbecoming and violating rules and general orders.

Motion to **Approve**/Disapprove by: **Wright** Second: **Cherry**
Recommendation to the Full Commission: **Referred to full Commission**
Remarks: to be set for a full hearing at a later date