

# PROBABLE CAUSE, ARREST, SEARCH AND SEIZURE



DeMuro Enterprises, LLC

**PENDING TN P.O.S.T. APPROVAL**

**RESTRICTED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS**

Average student evaluations for a 10 year period: **75% Excellent, 22% Above Average**

Until it becomes a problem called to the attention of the officer, a supervisor and/or the prosecutor, or it's brought to attention by the public, a Judge or a lawsuit, the fact that a Law Enforcement Officer doesn't really understand - *or properly apply* - arrest, search and seizure laws are often neglected as a true concern. Topics like defensive tactics and shooting skills rank at the top of the average Officer's list of preferred classes, while report writing and probable cause development rank near the bottom. Still, many Officers fail to realize that their understanding of related guidelines is also important to their career development and professional survival.

Using instruction-based scenarios founded in performance and liability concerns, this training centers on real-life situations to make the topic both interesting and 'applicable' to on-scene performance.

## TOPICS INCLUDE:

- An examination of the legal definitions of Probable Cause, Arrest, Search and Seizure.
- A Review/Update on Supreme Court decisions and guidelines governing their application.
- The Application of Probable Cause and Reasonable Suspicion.
  - Probable Cause...what it is, and what it is not.
  - An analysis of the Hierarchy of Proof and its application to on-scene and after-the-fact investigations.
- Using readily available statute, code and guidelines to aid in writing reports for prosecutorial and judicial review.
- A look at Federal and Tennessee Court decisions that impact various aspects of arrest, search and seizure in vehicles, homes and on the street.
  - A review of the "Gant" decision's "Evidence of the Crime of Arrest" standard, and the "Jones" decision's application of the "Trespass Doctrine".

*The instructor has been certified to instruct legal topics to Law Enforcement, Corrections and Corrections-Probation personnel. He has instructed legal topics at both the basic and advanced academy levels. Having instructed legal topics to Law Enforcement for over two decades, his instruction and lecture on law and legal guidelines have been employed to train and update line officers, investigators and supervisors from related disciplines on a variety of legal topics ranging from liability to enforcement and investigative concerns.*

**To Register or for more information go to [DeMuroTraining.com](http://DeMuroTraining.com).**

**Pre-registration is required.**

LOCATION: **Collegedale Police Department, Germantown - TN**

PRESENTED BY: **DeMuro Enterprises, LLC**

DATES: **August 27 - 30, 2018 (Monday - Thursday)** COST: **\$375**

### Student comments on this training course:

- ◆ "Great class - was able to get questions answered based on examples of events."
- ◆ "Excellent Class - case law cites really help to explain & use this information. The ability to discuss the application of cases was invaluable."
- ◆ "I learned a lot from this class. I am leaving with a different (positive) perspective of our judicial system."
- ◆ "Excellent Class - first one to focus on state specific case law."
- ◆ "Very informative and up to date"
- ◆ "Great Class! I would recommend it to new and 'old' officers."
- ◆ "...Best class yet for good, usable, applicable knowledge...I feel better prepared for situations..."

### 2018 Training Schedule - TN

- Criminal Case Development: Case Preparation, Report Writing and Courtroom Testimony  
**Germantown Police Dept. April 17 - 20**
- De-escalating Force: Principles & Concepts, Cultural Bias, and Legal Concerns  
**Grundy County Sheriff's Office May 16- 17**
- Patrol and Investigative Interview & Interrogation Tactics  
**Germantown Police Dept. August 7 - 10**
- Probable Cause, Arrest, Search & Seizure.  
**Collegedale PD. August 27 - 30**