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MINUTES

Legislative Committee May 13, 2021 Via GoToMeeting

- 1. The Meeting was called to Order by President Spencer at approximately 1100 hours (CDT). Those from the Executive Committee in attendance were: Chief Kevin Spencer, Chief Steve Rathman, Chief Bruce Ferrell and Retired Chief Mark Kula not constituting a quorum. Also in attendance were Chief Don Miller, Chief Bob Lausten, Chief Rick Hickstein, Chief Joe Lager, Chief Marlen Chinn, Chief Bill Clark, Chief Philip Lukens, Chief Robert Farber, Interim Chief Brian Jackson, Captain Steve Cerveny and Captain Doug Molczyk.
- 2. The following Legislative Bills (listed by number only) currently before the Nebraska Unicameral were discussed:
 - (1) 236 is moving forward with nothing to be concerned with. There have only been minor changes made.
 - (2) 51 is in its final reading.
 - (3) 474 failed to advance.
- 3. Chief Lausten discussed Senator Brewer and Blood's Legislative Resolution to study and examine the structure and funding of the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center (NLETC). The areas of the study, conducted by a committee of the Legislature will examine the effects of reduced staffing, the effect of LB51 on the NLETC, current needs regarding equipment and staffing and the ability for the NLETC to provide both advanced and basic training.

Upon completion of the study, findings and recommendations will be reported to the Legislature.

- 4. Chief Miller advised that LB54 which deals with tort claims and makes it easier to sue government entities is gaining support. Chief Miller also said that the Nebraska Sheriffs Association (NSA) might reach out to PCAN for support as it attempts to relay law enforcement's frustration with eCitation and TraCS.
- 5. On a separate matter, Retired Chief Kula gave an update on PCAN's new website and advised that it should be online by the end of May.
- 6. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 1114 hours (CDT).

Mark A. Kula, Secretary Mark A. Yula May 15, 2021
PCAN Executive Committee Member's Title, Signature and Date