CHAPTER 2015-168

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 201

An act relating to diabetes awareness training for law enforcement officers; providing a short title; creating s. 943.1726, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to establish an online continued employment training component relating to diabetic emergencies; specifying instruction to be included in the training component; providing that completion of the training may count toward continued employment instruction requirements; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. This act may be cited as the "Arthur Green, Jr., Act."

Section 2. Section 943.1726, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

943.1726 Continued employment training relating to diabetic emergencies.—The department shall establish an online continued employment training component relating to diabetic emergencies. The training component shall include, but need not be limited to, instruction on the recognition of symptoms of such an emergency, distinguishing such an emergency from alcohol intoxication or drug overdose, and appropriate first aid for such an emergency. Completion of the training component may count toward the 40 hours of instruction for continued employment or appointment as a law enforcement officer required under s. 943.135.

Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2015.

Approved by the Governor June 16, 2015.

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