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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
333 MARKET STREET, 14TH FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

August 10, 2006

Honorable Jeffrey B. Miller, Commissioner
Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission
1800 Elmerton Avenue
3rd Floor, Department Headquarters
Harrisburg, PA 17112

Re: Regulation #17-68 (IRRC #2501)
Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission
Administration of the Training Program

Dear Commissioner Miller:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at www.irrc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

Kim Kaufman
Executive Director

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable John C. Rafferty, Jr., Chairman, Senate Law and Justice Committee
Honorable Sean F. Logan, Minority Chairman, Senate Law and Justice Committee
Honorable Dennis M. O'Brien, Majority Chairman, House Judiciary Committee
Honorable Thomas R. Caltagirone, Democratic Chairman, House Judiciary Committee

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held August 10, 2006

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Regulation No. 17-68
Municipal Police Officers' Education and
Training Commission
Administration of the Training Program

On October 3, 2005, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission. This rulemaking amends 37 Pa. Code Chapter 203 . The proposed regulation was published in the October 15, 2005 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on July 10, 2006.

This final-form rulemaking amends fitness test requirements, imposes examination fees on applicants who are not yet employed as police officers, addresses waivers for out-of-state police officers, and amends provisions related to certified schools.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission (53 Pa.C.S.A. § 2164(14)) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.




Arthur Coccodrilli, Acting Chairman