Connecticut General Assembly Logistics Subcommittee

Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force

Rep. Joshua Hall, Chairperson



c/o Judiciary Committee, Room 2500 Legislative Office Building 300 Capitol Avenue Hartford, Ct 06106

Minutes Tuesday, May 18, 2021 5:00 p.m., via Zoom

Attendees: Representative Joshua Hall (Chair), Ken Barone, Karen Boisvert, Renee LaMark Muir, John Szewczyk, Tanya Hughes, Chief William Wright, Cheryl Sharp, Maureen Lopes, Shafiq Abdussabur, Sharad Samy, Makenzie Ozycz

- I. Convene meeting and welcome a. Chair Hall convened the meeting at 5:03 pm.
- **II.** Approve April 27, 2021 meeting minutes *a. Minutes from the 4/27/21 meeting were approved via voice vote.*

III. Old Business

- a. Internal Affairs Work Group update *No updates to report to the subcommittee at this current time.*
- b. Primary and Secondary Traffic Stop System material review/discussion Ken Barone updated that he shared two different documents, a list of recommendations. He then shared an excel sheet with proposals with the subcommittee on this work. He then opened the floor for questions and discussion. Shafiq Abdussabur commented and shared his interpretation for identifying codes for primary/secondary reasoning for stops (excel sheet shared by S.A). Ken Barone suggested to hone in on stops that are being misused in traffic enforcement, and to build upon these suggestions in the proposal based on the motor vehicle codes. Tanya Hughes agreed that more is needed than the list presented. Chief Wright commented to first agree on problematic points made in the presentation. John Szewczyk suggested to move the opinion into a full proposal and bring it to the full Task Force. Ken Barone suggested to use his document as the foundation and members can respond to him by next Friday, 5/28/21, with additions and

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corrections, which will be used as a working group for further details on the proposal for the June meeting. Chair Hall agreed, and provided instructional use of language as primary/secondary going forward with this work.

- IV. New Business a. No new business to be discussed.
- **V.** General Discussion *a.* No general discussion by the subcommittee.
- **VI.** Announcement of time and date of next meeting *a. Next meeting, Tuesday June 15th, 2021 at 5 pm.*
- **VII.** Adjournment *a. Chair Hall adjourned the meeting at 6:06 pm via voice note.*