Commission on Statewide Law Enforcement Standards of Conduct and Discipline

Division 10

Discipline Standards for Misconduct

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Moral Character

- (1) For the purposes of this rule, lack of good moral character means conduct constituting:
- (a) A felony under state or federal law
- (b) Domestic violence
- (c) Stalking
- (d) A drug-related offense, except for offenses involving use or possession of marijuana
- (e) A bias or hate crime under state or federal law
- (f) A sex crime
- (g) Untruthfulness
- (h) Misuse of authority [for financial gain.]
- (2) If a law enforcement officer is convicted of a crime based on conduct identified in subsection (1) of this rule, proof of the conviction is conclusive evidence that the conduct occurred.
- (3) A disciplining body shall impose upon a law enforcement officer disciplinary action of termination upon a finding that the officer engaged in misconduct demonstrating a lack of good moral character.

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italie* and bracketed] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are **boldfaced** type.