Public Notice

The Delaware Capitol Police is scheduled to undergo a virtual site-based assessment as part of a program to achieve national accreditation by verifying it meets a set of established professional standards.

Administered by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA), the accreditation program requires agencies to comply with state-of-the-art standards in four basic areas:

Policies and Procedures
Administration
Operations
Support Services

As part of the assessment, agency employees and the public are invited to offer comments at a public information session on Monday, March 28, 2022, at 5:00 pm. The session will be conducted via Microsoft Teams. Attendees must register in advance at DCP9600@gmail.com

Agency employees and the public are also invited to offer comments by calling (302) 744-4013 on Tuesday, March 29, 2022, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Calls will be transferred directly to a member of the Assessment Team.

Telephone comments as well as appearances at the public information session are limited to ten minutes and must address the agency’s ability to comply with CALEA’s standards. A copy of the standards are available at the Delaware Capitol Police Department located at 150 MLK Jr. Blvd. South, Dover, DE 19901. The local contact is the Accreditation Manager, Mr. Galen Purcell, at (302) 744-4026.

Anyone wishing to submit written comments about the Delaware Capitol Police Department’s ability to comply with standards for accreditation may send them to the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc., at 13575 Heathcote Blvd., Suite 320, Gainesville, VA., 20155; or comments may be submitted by email to calea@calea.org, typing “Delaware Capitol Police” in the subject line.