

**Status Update Concerning the Training Requirements for the Class "CC"
License**

As all of you are aware, the new training requirements for the Class "CC" Private Investigator Intern License took effect on September 1. Unfortunately, no public or private institution has yet obtained the proper license from the Florida Department of Education (DOE) to administer this training.

Officials at DOE have informed us that several institutions have begun the licensing process. These institutions include community colleges and vocational-technical schools. However, DOE officials are awaiting additional documentation from these institutions in order to proceed with the licensing process.

The Department of Education will notify our Division as soon as an institution has been approved. We will in turn send you another e-mail update and post a list of approved institutions on our webpage.

Regrettably, the new law does not give our Division authority to waive the new training requirement for applicants seeking the Class "CC" license. Individuals wanting to obtain the Class "CC" Private Investigator Intern License will have to wait until the training is available.

Please be advised that the contact numbers in the Department of Education that we provided in our Important Notices of July 9, 2008, were intended only for **institutions and agencies** seeking guidance as to how to go about becoming a licensed educational institution. **Students seeking information regarding approved institutions should not call the Department of Education. Please do not refer prospective applicants for the Class "CC" license to the DOE offices referenced in those Important Notices.**

Again, we will be posting the list of approved schools where the qualifying training for the Class "CC" license can be obtained as soon as we receive that information from the Department of Education. In the meantime, please call your nearest Regional Office or the Public Inquiry Section at 850-245-5691 for additional information.