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Subject: **Photography of Sheriff's Deputies – Education of Law Enforcement**

- 1. After hire, all deputies should read, and understand, the US Constitution.**
- 2. After hire all deputies should have knowledge of, and respect for, basic law.**
- 3. All deputies, before hiring, should be required to have a reasonably high IQ.**

Please refer to the article: **TEXAS DEPUTY: PHOTOGRAPHY SUSPICIOUS IN 'POST 9/11' AMERICA**. A search engine should lead you to it. There are photographs in the article.

Your deputies should know that photography of law enforcement is legal. If they were in a different jurisdiction, as law enforcement, they may not have known that. Also, propaganda disseminated to law enforcement by **DHS**, and other sections of the **US Federal Government** should be closely examined with careful research. I have information about their propaganda on the above website, in a section directed to police.

The behavior of the deputy shown in the article indicates over dependence upon **DHS** propaganda, and complete disregard for the law, and the US Constitution. In my opinion, it also indicates a very low Intelligence Quotient. This behavior is far too typical all over the US.

...the photographer is approached by a Deputy Stokes, who immediately attempts to confiscate all photography equipment for "evidence."

Unable to provide which law allows for confiscation, Stokes, now clearly upset, resorts to assaulting the photographer.

"You can't go around recording us!" Stokes incorrectly claims.

Your refusing to tell me where you're from and in post 9/11 that concerns me."

*Countless **federal training manuals** that paint photography as likely terrorism have only compounded the issue.*

...a citizen journalist in Albany, New York was visited and questioned by a member of the Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF) and asked if he belonged to a "domestic terrorist group" for legally photographing buildings at the local police academy.

*Just last year, **President Obama** waived a federal law designed to stop the US from arming terrorists in order to provide military support to the **Al-Qaeda aligned "Syrian rebels."***

Despite this, innocent Americans continued to be harassed, surveiled and scrutinized for completely legal activity.