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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2015–16 REGULAR SESSION

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 1289**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Cooper**

February 27, 2015

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An act relating to community safety and ~~policing; study;~~ *policing.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1289, as amended, Cooper. Community safety and policing: study.

Existing law establishes the ~~Legislative Analyst's Office (LAO) in state government~~ *Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training in the Department of Justice* and requires the ~~LAO~~ *commission* to ~~perform various duties with regard to the analysis, impacts, and expected costs of proposed legislation;~~ *adopt rules establishing minimum standards regarding the recruitment of peace officers. Existing law also requires the commission to develop guidelines and implement courses of instruction regarding racial profiling, handling domestic violence, hate crimes, and human trafficking, among others.*

This bill would require the ~~Legislative Analyst's Office~~ *commission* to conduct a study of community policing and engagement programs, efforts, strategies, and policies in the state, and to report its findings with regard to the study to the Legislature by December 31, 2017.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: ~~no~~-yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) ~~The Legislative Analyst's Office (LAO)~~  
2 *Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training* shall  
3 conduct a study to determine the effectiveness of community  
4 policing and engagement programs, efforts, strategies, and policies  
5 in the state, including, but not limited to, police activities leagues,  
6 neighborhood watch, and integrated policing. ~~The LAO~~  
7 *Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training* shall report  
8 its findings with regard to the study to the Legislature by December  
9 31, 2017.
- 10 (b) The report required to be submitted pursuant to subdivision  
11 (a) shall be submitted in compliance with Section 9795 of the  
12 Government Code.