

**53-6-205 Completion of training course required -- Persons affected.**

- (1)
- (a) Except as provided in Subsection (2), before a person may be certified as a peace officer in Utah the person shall:
    - (i) successfully complete the basic training course at a certified academy;
    - (ii) pass the certification examination; and
    - (iii) pass a physical fitness test.
  - (b) A person may not exercise peace officer authority until certified.
- (2) Subsection (1) applies only to persons not previously certified and who receive their first employment appointment or election as a peace officer in Utah on or after January 1, 1985.

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