

Senate Bill 193

By: Senators Karinshak of the 48th, Rhett of the 33rd, Harbison of the 15th, Anderson of the 43rd and Rahman of the 5th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 35-8-7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the  
2 powers and duties of the Georgia Peace Officer Standards and Training Council, so as to  
3 provide for the power and duty of the Georgia Peace Officer Standards and Training Council  
4 to establish basic and in-service training courses for all peace officer training on  
5 post-traumatic stress disorder; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and  
6 for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 Code Section 35-8-7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the powers and  
10 duties of the Georgia Peace Officer Standards and Training Council, is amended by revising  
11 paragraph (20) as follows:

12 "(20) To establish as part of the curriculum for basic and in-service training courses for  
13 all peace officers training on organized criminal activity, ~~and~~ criminal street gangs, and  
14 post-traumatic stress disorder;"

15 **SECTION 2.**

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.