CHULA VISTA POLICE DEPARTMENT



Peace Officer Disqualifications

Except when provided in subdivision (b), (c), or (d), Government Code section 1029(a) summarily states that a person is disqualified from holding office as, or being employed as, a peace officer of the state, if the person is:

- (A) Convicted of a felony.
- (B) Convicted in any other jurisdiction of an offense that would have been a felony if committed in California.
- (C) After January 1, 2004, been convicted of a crime based upon a verdict or finding of guilt of a felony by the trier of fact, or upon the entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to a felony. This paragraph shall apply regardless of whether, pursuant to subdivision Penal Code section 17(b), the court declares the offense to be a misdemeanor or the offense becomes a misdemeanor by operation of law. [Note: when this subsection applies, also review text in Government Code section 1029(b).]
- (D) Charged with a felony and adjudged to be mentally incompetent by a superior court.
- (E) Found not guilty of a felony by reason of insanity.
- (F) Determined to be a mentally disordered sex offender pursuant to Article 1 (commencing with Section 6331) of Chapter 2, Part 2 of Division 6 of the Welfare and Institutions Code.
- (G) Convicted of addiction or in danger of becoming addicted to narcotics and committed to a state institution pursuant to Section 3051 of the Welfare and Institutions Code .

