

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Blue Bill # 21						
	Referred to Committee: House 3						
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1 An act to require on duty law enforcement officers to wear an active on-officer recording system at all times.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: All police officers (both city and county) will be required to wear an active on-officer recording
6 system while on duty.
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8 Section 2: The Kentucky Department of Justice (KDJ) will educate law enforcement officers and candidates
9 about this new requirement. In addition to this, the KDJ will release information regarding this new
10 requirement to the public in the form of public service announcements.
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12 Section 3: All candidates for a law enforcement position will be notified of the new law through the job
13 description seen when applying.
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15 Section 4: The KDJ will perform monthly checks to make sure the cameras are functioning properly. While the
16 police chief and/or sheriff will enforce this in each city, town, or municipality.
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18 Section 5: A two week testing period will be enacted as soon as each department receives their cameras
19 wherein no penalties will be issued.
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21 Section 6: Funding to purchase these cameras will come from a 1% increase in packaged tobacco products.
22 Beyond the initial purchase of the equipment, any additional monies will be used on public service
23 announcements, camera maintenance, and support of the Kentucky Law Enforcement Memorial Foundation
24 (KLEMF). Organizations will be encouraged to offset funding by applying for already established grants
25 though the Kentucky Criminal Justice Council (KCJC).
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27 Section 7: Law enforcement officers found in non-compliance will receive the following penalties:
28 First Offense: verbal & written warning
29 Second Offense: suspension of duty for 2 weeks without pay
30 Third Offense: indefinite suspension without pay pending an internal investigation
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32 Section 8: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2016 (this will allow law enforcement officials time to
33 apply for grants if needed).