LECC Members Present
Commissioner Annabelle Jaramillo, Benton County
Superintendent Frank Thompson, Santiam Correctional Institution

LECC Staff Present
Brian Renauer, Laura Uva, Criminal Justice Policy Research Institute, Portland State University
Mike Stafford, Oregon Criminal Justice Commission

LECC Community Relations Subcommittee Members Excused
David Fidanque, Executive Director, American Civil Liberties Union of Oregon
Chief Ron Louie, Hillsboro Police Department

LECC Community Relations Subcommittee Members Absent
Associate Professor Keith Aoki, University of Oregon Law School

Guests
Chief Frank Grace, Gladstone Police Department
Lt. Henry Reimann, Hillsboro Police Department

Welcome/Introductions
Many LECC members were unable to attend this meeting due to the legislative session. Members of the LECC Training Workgroup were encouraged to participate in this meeting. Chief Grace, Lt. Reimann, Dr. Renauer and Mr. Stafford were the members of the Training Workgroup that were able to attend.

Approve Agenda
The agenda was approved.

Approve Minutes of January 3, 2007 Meeting
The LECC members present had no corrections to make to the minutes. The official approval of the minutes was postponed to the next subcommittee meeting due to the insufficient number of members at this meeting.

Update on Training Workgroup
Dr. Renauer informed the subcommittee that the LECC Training Workgroup held its latest meeting on February 13, 2007. The subcommittee discussed some of the issues brought up at that meeting.
Rick Gardner of the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training (DPSST) offered to hold a DPSST Policy Committee meeting at which Simon Wiesenthal Center (SWC) trainers could offer segments of the SWC Perspectives on Profiling training program. The workgroup fully supports this idea, and will contact DPSST to discuss it further. They will also ask DPSST to nominate five members of OACP and five of OSSA to attend this meeting.

The subcommittee decided that, simultaneous to organizing this DPSST Policy Committee meeting, they should also start planning a regional Perspectives on Profiling training institute. Some Oregon agencies already have trained personnel to offer this training. Several workgroup members recently had the opportunity to view parts of this training at the Salem Police Department. They agreed that it is excellent training, and that it could be adapted to fit a wider audience of criminal justice professionals, including District Attorneys, Probation Officers and Corrections Officials. The training is available in four, six and eight-hour blocks.

The LECC will also contact the Oregon Association Chiefs of Police (OACP) and Oregon State Sheriffs Association (OSSA) before the next LECC meeting to discuss their interest in SWC training and potential inclusion in their conferences’ agendas in the fall.

The subcommittee and workgroup also discussed the need to change the perception that the LECC is responsible for institutionalizing and implementing training on these issues. The LECC needs to identify a state agency, such as the DPSST, that has the authority to institutionalize this training.

Simon Wiesenthal Center Training: Logistics of Bringing to Oregon
The subcommittee and workgroup agreed that they would like to buy the SWC training curriculum for the entire state rather than region-by-region. Purchasing the curriculum for the state would require approximately 25 people to be trained as trainers. If the prospective trainers go to Los Angeles for the SWC train-the-trainer program, the SWC may be willing to cover the cost. However, if they want SWC personnel to perform the train-the-trainer program in Oregon, it would not be covered by the SWC and would thus be more expensive.

Portland Police Bureau Racial Profiling Task Force
Dr. Renauer informed the subcommittee that Chief Rosanne Sizer of the Portland Police Bureau and Joanne Bowman of Oregon Action have assembled a task force to explore issues related to racial profiling in Portland. Dr. Annette Jolin, Chair of the Criminology and Criminal Justice Division of Portland State University, was appointed to this task force, and Dr. Renauer is also participating. He will serve as the liaison between the task force and the LECC. Chief Sizer has distributed the LECC 2006 Annual Report to the task force.

Schedule Future Meetings
It was decided that the next meeting should be scheduled via e-mail. Commissioner Jaramillo stated that it should be assumed that fewer members will be available for
meetings during the legislative session. Mr. Stafford added that morning meetings are always better during session.

**Other Business / Open Comments from Community Relations Subcommittee**
Mr. Thompson stated that he will be attending another Simon Wiesenthal Center (SWC) training session in Los Angeles later this month. This training will be entirely focused on racial profiling for executives.

Two new members will soon be officially appointed to the LECC: John Minnis, Executive Director of DPSST, and Chief Rosanne Sizer of the Portland Police Bureau.

**Adjournment**
The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.