

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS

In the Matter of:)	
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EXTENSION OF TIME TO COMPLETE)	Administrative Directive
THE PROBATION OFFICER)	No. 2025 - <u>04</u>
DEFENSIVE TACTICS TRAINING)	
ACADEMY FOR THE PIMA COUNTY)	
ADULT PROBATION DEPARTMENT)	
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The Arizona Code of Judicial Administration (ACJA) § 6-107 establishes the minimum standards for the officer safety training for probation officers and more specifically, ACJA § 6-107(F)(8) provides that all officers must attend and successfully complete the Committee on Probation Education (COPE) approved defensive tactics safety training academy as soon as practical, but no later than 120 days from the date of hire. For good cause, an extension of time to complete the academy may be requested from the Administrative Director.

Certain circumstances have prevented a probation officer in Pima County from successfully completing the COPE approved Defensive Tactics Training Academy within 120 days of her date of hire. Due to these circumstances, the Chief Probation Officer from Pima County has requested an extension of the time requirement for this probation officer to successfully complete the Defensive Tactics Training Academy more than 120 days of her date of hire, but as soon as practicable.

Therefore, having determined good cause and pursuant to ACJA § 6-107(F)(8),

IT IS DIRECTED that the request to extend the time for Probation Officer Regina Rivera to successfully complete the COPE approved Defensive Tactics Training Academy is granted.

IT IS FURTHER DIRECTED that Probation Officer Regina Rivera shall complete the COPE approved Defensive Tactics Training Academy as soon as practical, but not more than 240 days from her date of hire.

Dated this 12th day of March, 2025.

DAVID K. BYERS
Administrative Director of the Courts