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Minutes of a Meeting of the Board of Directors of Americans for Effective Law Enforcement, Inc. Nov. 9, 2015 via teleconference

Multiple electronic notices were sent to all Directors, calling a general Board meeting via teleconference, at 900 a.m. on November 9, 2015, Central Standard time.

- 1. All 11 directors participated. The Board then ratified the Minutes of meetings of <u>Nov. 20</u>, <u>2014</u> and <u>Mar. 19, 2015</u>.
- 2. All current directors were re-elected. They are Daniel Hales, Emory Plitt, Charles Reynolds, Eric Daigle, George Graves, Charles Gruber, Chet Epperson, Al Youngs, Russ Laine, Jack Pecoraro, and Wayne Schmidt.
- 3. Daniel Hales announced a decision to retire as President of AELE, but to remain a voting Director. He nominated Judge Emory A. Plitt Jr. to become President. The motion was approved unanimously.
- Mr. Schmidt moved to re-appoint all Trustees, plus Michael Ramage of Tallahassee FL. Motion carried. The other two nonvoting Trustees are Richard Williams and Charles Remsberg.
- 5. Chief Gruber then discussed the mandatory national reporting of use of force. No action was requested or taken.
- 6. There was a general discussion about the future of AELE, including long term projects and goals. There was a consensus that Judge Plitt would appoint a special committee to study publications, seminars, amicus briefs, management and staff issues, and conflict of interests.
- 7. Mr. Pecoraro said that AELE should highlight its 50th year as an organization. Mr. Daigle suggested minting a commemorative coin.

The meeting was adjourned at 10;00 a.m.

Wayne W. Schmidt

Secretary