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DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS BUREAU OF SECURITY AND INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES

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CITATION ORDER *** Sent via Certified Mail & Regular Mail ***

Date of Issuance: September 10, 2025

Business Name: Bowdry Security Firearm Training

Owner/Instructor: Clark Bowdry

Address of Record 8400 Golf Links Road, Oakland, CA 94605

License No.: TFF 1260/TIF 1867 **Citation No.:** 120 2024 008616

Majdi Abdelsalam issues this notice in his official capacity as the Deputy Chief of the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, hereinafter referred to as the "Bureau".

Licensing History

The records of the Bureau show that a training facility firearm license was issued to Bowdry Security Firearm Training on November 5, 2009, and was canceled on November 30, 2023. The records of the Bureau further show that a firearm instructor certification was issued to Clark Bowdry on August 22, 2007, and was canceled on January 31, 2022.

Citation

A citation is hereby issued to Bowdry Security Firearm Training and Clark Bowdry pursuant to California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 16, Division 7, Section 601.6(a), in accordance with Business and Professions Code (BPC) Section 148 for violation of BPC Section(s) described below:

- BPC Section 7582 No person shall engage in a business regulated by this chapter; act or assume to act as, or represent himself or herself to be, a licensee unless he or she is licensed under this chapter; and no person shall falsely represent that he or she is employed by a licensee.
- 2. BPC Section 7582.3 (a) Unless specifically exempted by Section 7582.2, no person shall engage in the business of private patrol operator, as defined in Section 7582.1, unless that person has applied for and received a license to engage in that business pursuant to this chapter.

Cause for Citation

As a result of a Bureau investigation, it was discovered that Bowdry Security Firearm Training and Clark Bowdry are operating under a canceled firearm training facility and a canceled training instructor certification. Bowdry Security Firearm Training issued a certificate of completion dated 8/26/2024, for Powers to Arrest and Weapons of Mass Destruction (8 Hours). The canceled TFF 1260 is listed as the issuing entity, and the canceled TIF 1867 for Clark Bowdry is listed as the instructor. The records of the Bureau show that TFF 1260 has been canceled since 11/30/2023, and TIF 1867 has been canceled since 1/31/2022.

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Order of Abatement

The Bureau hereby directs Bowdry Security Firearm Training and Clark Bowdry to immediately cease and desist from violating BPC Section 7582 and 7582.3(a).

Order

Upon receipt of this citation, you are to pay the following administrative fine(s): The fine for violation of BPC Section 7582 pursuant to BPC Section 7582.3(a) and CCR 601.6(a) is

	Fine Amount	
	\$1,000.00	
Total Amount of Citation:	\$1,000.00	

This citation shall become a final order of the Bureau thirty (30) days after the date of service of the citation. Payment of the administrative fine is due within thirty (30) days after service of the citation. Payment should be made payable to the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, and mailed to the Bureau at the following address:

Bureau of Security and Investigative Services Attention: Enforcement PO Box 989002 West Sacramento, CA 95798-9002.

Please indicate your citation number on the check, cashier's check or money order.

Payment of the administrative fine will be considered satisfactory resolution of the matter for purposes of public disclosure.

Review of Citation

You may request a review by the Disciplinary Review Committee (DRC) to contest the assessment of the administrative fine per BPC 7581.3. A request for a review shall be by written notice to the Bureau within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the citation. The written request should be submitted to the Bureau at the following address:

Bureau of Security and Investigative Services Attention: Citation Appeal PO Box 989002 West Sacramento, CA 95798-9002

Following the review by the DRC, you shall be notified within thirty (30) days, in writing, by regular mail, of the DRC's decision.

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Hearing Request

If you disagree with the decision made by the DRC, you may request a hearing per BPC 7581.3. A request for a hearing, following a decision by the DRC, shall be by written notice to the Bureau within thirty (30) days of the DRC's decision. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the provision of Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 11500) of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government code.

If you do not request a hearing within thirty (30) days, the DRC's decision shall become final.

Failure to Comply

Per BPC 125.9, failure to pay the fine within thirty (30) days after the date of service of the citation, unless the citation is being appealed, may result in disciplinary action being taken by the Bureau. If the citation is not contested and the fine is not paid, the full amount of the fine shall be added to the fee for renewal of the license. A license cannot be renewed without payment of the renewal fee and the fine.

Maidi Abdelsalam, Deputy Chief

9-10-2025

Date



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Notice of Review Disciplinary Review Committee

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I hereby acknowledge receipt of the citation referenced above and notification of my rights to contest the citation and fine. I do hereby contest the citation and request the following:

Check Appropriate Box/Boxes:

[] A review by the Disciplinary Review Committee		
Signature		Date
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone No.:		
E-mail Address:		



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DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED MAIL & REGULAR MAIL

I, Robin Perez, the undersigned declare that I am over 18 years of age; my business address is Department of Consumer Affairs, Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, 2420 Del Paso Rad, Suite 270, Sacramento, CA 95834. I served a true copy of the attached Citation Order by Certified Mail & Regular U.S. Mail on the following, by placing same in an envelope addressed as follows:

NAME AND ADDRESS

CERTIFIED NUMBER:

Bowdry Security Firearm Training Attn: Clark Bowdry 8400 Golf Link Road Oakland, CA 94605 9214 8901 9403 8331 8286 65 & Via Regular Mail

Said envelope was then on September 10, 2025, sealed and deposited in the United States Mail at 2420 Del Paso Road, Suite 270, Sacramento, California 95834, the county in which I am employed, as certified mail and regular mail with postage thereon fully prepaid, return receipt requested.

Executed on September 10, 2025, at Sacramento, California.

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA THAT THE FOREGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT

September 10, 2025

Robin Perez Signature