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TRAINING BULLETIN

DATE: January 20, 2023

Assembly Bill 2000 Exhibition of Speed

The purpose of this training bulletin is to provide an update as to the authority of a peace officer to enforce violation of California Vehicle Code section 23109 – Exhibition of Speed and Speed contests in off-street parking facilities (parking lots). Effective January 1, 2023, this amendment will make it illegal for a person to engage in a motor vehicle speed contest, exhibition of speed, to aid or abet in a motor vehicle speed contest or exhibition of speed in an off-street parking facility.

This bill will amend the existing verbiage in California Vehicle Code section 23109 to include “in an off-street parking facility.”

Click the link below for additional information, as well as the verbiage changed to CVC 23109:

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220AB2000

AB 2000 (Gabriel)- Motor vehicle speed contests and exhibitions of speed: off-street parking facilities

Vehicle Code Section 23109 (Amend)

Effective Date: January 1, 2023

SUMMARY:

Expands the crimes of motor vehicle exhibition of speed and speed contest to include parking lots.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Makes it a crime for a person to engage in a motor vehicle speed contest in an offstreet parking facility or an exhibition of speed in an offstreet parking facility.
- Makes it a crime for a person to aid or abet or to engage in a motor vehicle speed contest in an offstreet parking facility or an exhibition of speed in an offstreet parking facility.

WHAT THIS BILL MEANS TO LAW ENFORCEMENT

No immediate impact.

NOTES: