

OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS

Program Name: State and Local Anti-Terrorism Training (SLATT) Program

FY 2017 Request

Total Funding: \$2.0 M*
Vs. FY 2016 Enacted: + \$2.0M

*This would be a carve-out of the Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

Program Description

Purpose: To provide law enforcement professionals with specialized training and resources to combat terrorism.

The SLATT Program has been involved in anti-terrorism research and training since 1996. SLATT focuses on the prevention of terrorism by providing the tools necessary for state, local, and tribal law enforcement officers to understand, detect, deter, and investigate acts of terrorism in the United States by both international and domestic terrorists.

SLATT is widely accepted as a key resource in ensuring the protection of individual privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties through the process of improving the nation's intelligence capabilities in the fight against terrorism.

SLATT's briefings, training sessions, and publications are regularly requested by U.S. Attorneys' Offices; the Federal Bureau of Investigation National Academy; tribal communities; national policy organizations; and state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies.

Authorizing Legislation: Created through Department of Justice appropriations acts

Administering Agency: Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

DOJ Strategic Goal 1: Prevent Terrorism and Promote the Nation's Security Consistent with the Rule of Law

Who Can Apply for Funding: Nonprofit organizations; faith-based and community organizations; for-profit organizations; institutions of higher education; and consortiums. For-profit organizations must agree to forgo any profit or management fee.

How Funds are Distributed: Through a competitive process, awards are made as cooperative agreements for up to \$1.6M for 12 months.

Program Goals:

BJA requires that all SLATT training and technical assistance:

- Emphasize the protection of individual privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties throughout the intelligence process;
- Be ethnically and culturally accurate; and
- Help law enforcement officers fully understand their constitutional responsibilities.

Accomplishments:

- There are almost 20,000 registered users on www.slatt.org with an average of 779 user sessions each week.
- SLATT's Train-the-Trainer workshop has trained 3,479 individuals, who in turn have provided training to 265,482 individuals.
- Law enforcement agencies and workshop participants have requested and received more than 54,000 SLATT publications since January 2014.
- SLATT continued its innovative "Workshops on the Web" which allow vetted workshop participants to access, download, and print workshop materials prior to attending a class. This has resulted in a substantial savings by reducing the costs to print and ship these materials to training events.
- In 2014, SLATT distributed 160,175 emails with its popular monthly bulletin.

State and Local Anti-Terrorism Training (SLATT) Program Five Year Budget Authority

(\$ in millions)



- Since 1996, the program has trained more than 141,994 law enforcement professionals in 1,398 separate events. SLATT has delivered training in every state in the country.

FY 2017 Proposed Policy Changes to the Program: N/A

FY 2017 Proposed Funding Changes to the Program: N/A

Application and Award History

(\$ in millions)	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
Amount Appropriated	\$1.9	\$1.0	\$0	\$0	\$2.0 Requested
Total Funding Awarded^	\$1.6	\$0.8	\$1.0*	TBD	TBD
Number of Applications	2	1	1	TBD	TBD
Number of awards	1	1	1	TBD	TBD

* Funded from the Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

^ Total Funding Awarded does not include funds used for management and administration, peer review, or other authorized purposes.

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