



# TEXAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER STANDARDS AND EDUCATION

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **One person indicted in Brewster County for tampering with State Licensing Exam**

A Brewster County Grand Jury returned three indictments on April 16, 2012 against Kellie Powell, the former training coordinator for Sul Ross Law Enforcement Academy. The three indictments charge Powell with tampering with a government record, specifically, the state licensing exam, by assisting students while taking the state licensing exam. The three charges are state jail felonies.

The charges are the result of an investigation conducted by investigators from the Enforcement Division of the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards & Education. An indictment is no evidence of guilt and all defendants are presumed to be innocent.

#### **Agency Background Info:**

TCLEOSE is a state regulatory agency created in 1965

#### **Agency Mission:**

“The mission of the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education as a regulatory State agency is to establish and enforce standards to ensure that the people of Texas are served by highly trained and ethical law enforcement, corrections, and telecommunications personnel.”

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