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**Act 56 workgroup Meeting Agenda 8/9/23**

1. Call to Order- Chair Louras
2. Approval of prior meeting minutes (7/26/23)
3. Whether current statutes pertaining to unprofessional conduct in 20 V.S.A.§ 2401-2411 should be amended to apply to all off-duty conduct of law enforcement officers.
4. Potential issue to flag for “other recommendations to Act 56.”

Discussion points:

1. Information gathered through IADLEST regarding other states processes on off-duty behavior.
2. Discussion of recent VT Superior Court decision, *Stowe Reporter v. Town of Stowe*, 23-CV-02008, regarding a public records request of an agency’s internal investigation that had been submitted to the Council. The court found that the Council’s confidentiality requirement of a pending complaint, 20 V.S.A. 2409(d), does not extend to an agency who has submitted the report to the Council.