

**PEACE OFFICER ELIGIBILITY AFTER CONVICTION
AND RESTORATION**

Restoration Method	Eligible for Peace Officer Employment?
Release per Penal Code §1203.4a (misdemeanor)	YES
Release per PC §1203.4 (felony)	NO
Sealed record per PC §1203.45 (misdemeanor)	YES
Expunged record per H&S Code §11361.5(a) and §11361.7	YES
Expunged record per H&S Code §11361.5(b)(1) and §11361.7 (misdemeanor)	YES
Pardon per PC §4852.17 and §4853	NO*
Reduced per PC §17(b) (misdemeanor) prior to January 1, 2004	YES
Reduced per PC §17(b) (misdemeanor) after January 1, 2004 per GC §1029(a)(3)	NO
Successful completion of a diversion program based upon an arrest pursuant to PC §1000.4 , §1001.33 , §1001.55 , OR §1001.75	YES
Sealed record per PC §851.7 or WIC §781	YES
Expunged record per PC §851.8	YES

* Unless the applicant is applying for the position of parole officer with the Department of Corrections or the Youth Authority [see Government Code [§1029\(c\)](#)].