

**Los Angeles Police Department
LD18 Report Writing
EV5 Property Crimes
S15 Residential Burglary Investigation**

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Course Goal: To develop a basic knowledge of investigative report writing, interview skills, crime scene investigation. The recruit officer will have a basic understanding of how to gather information during an investigation of a crime, properly document the facts and activity on a crime report.

Learning Objectives: Students will participate in a learning activity that requires the writing of practice reports based on either POST-developed video re-enactments of crimes, investigations, law enforcement-related incidents, equivalent simulations, scenarios or videotape depictions developed by the presenter. Assessment of the practice reports should address the decisions made by the student regarding the incident/crime. The ability of the report/narrative to communicate with the reader and employ proper format and conventions. The student will participate in one or more learning activities from the POST-developed Instructor’s guide to Learning Activities for Leadership, Ethics and Community Policing or other comparable sources regarding investigative report writing. **[18:VI:A:1,2:a:1,2,3,4,5,] [18:VI:A:2:b:1,2,3,4,5,6]**

Session Time: 2 Hour

Resources:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LD 18 • IR face sheet 	
Session Summary: Recruit will complete a Burglary Report.	
Outline	Instructor Notes
I. Burglary Investigation A. IR B. Narrative II. Review Report	<p>[18:VI:A:1,2:a:1,2,3,4,5,] [18:VI:A:2:b:1,2,3,4,5,6]</p> <p>Facilitate: Learning Activity #1</p> <p>Note: Recruit will complete a report in class on the investigation. Choose a recruit to display their report.</p>