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### IS UCR ON THE WAY OUT?

PRI has been invited to participate in national crime statistics modernization panel.

UCR is in fact under review and this panel is assessing plans for a new system. [Details here.](#)



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### CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS ARE A MUST



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Critical thinking skills are perhaps one of the most important to have. Not having or not utilizing them means to accept everything at face value; to not question the motives, reasons, logic, causes or accuracy of something presented to you. Critical thinkers are keenly aware of the inherently flawed nature of human thinking when left unchecked. They analyze, assess and work to improve the thinking of those around them and that of their own, and thus are very good at improving conditions and circumstances. [Read more](#)

### NEW SIXTH AMENDMENT CONCERNS EMERGE FROM BODY-CAM CASES



If your agency utilizes body-cams, this case is a must read. The 6th amendment, fundamental to all criminal court cases, gives defendants the right to confront their accusers (and witnesses). What happens when a police body-cam captures a chaotic scene with various unknown witnesses describing what they allege happened? 6th amendment problems.

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