

2.1 (c) "Reasonable force" means force used by a peace officer that is objectively
2.2 reasonable in light of the totality of the facts and circumstances confronting the officer,
2.3 without regard to the officer's underlying intent or motivation.

2.4 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 626.8452, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

2.5 Subdivision 1. **Deadly Force policy.** ~~By January 1, 1992,~~ The head of every local
2.6 and state law enforcement agency shall establish and enforce a written policy governing
2.7 the use of force, ~~including.~~ Policies involving the use of deadly force, as defined in section
2.8 609.066, by peace officers and part-time peace officers employed by the agency. ~~The~~
2.9 ~~policy~~ must be consistent with the provisions of section 609.066, subdivision 2, and
2.10 may not prohibit or subject the officer to discipline for the use of deadly force under
2.11 circumstances in which that force is justified under section 609.066, subdivision 2.
2.12 Policies involving all uses of force other than deadly force by peace officers and part-time
2.13 peace officers must be consistent with section 609.06 and may not prohibit or subject the
2.14 officer to discipline for a use of reasonable force as defined in section 609.06.

2.15 Sec. 4. **REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.**

2.16 In the next edition of Minnesota Statutes, the revisor of statutes shall delete the
2.17 term "Deadly" in the section and subdivision headnotes of Minnesota Statutes, section
2.18 626.8452.