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CAUGHT ON CAMERA: 4TH AMENDMENT LIABILITY ISSUES

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Caught on Camera:
Fourth Amendment Liability Issues

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IS THERE *ANYTHING* MORE IMPORTANT THAN VIDEO EVIDENCE?



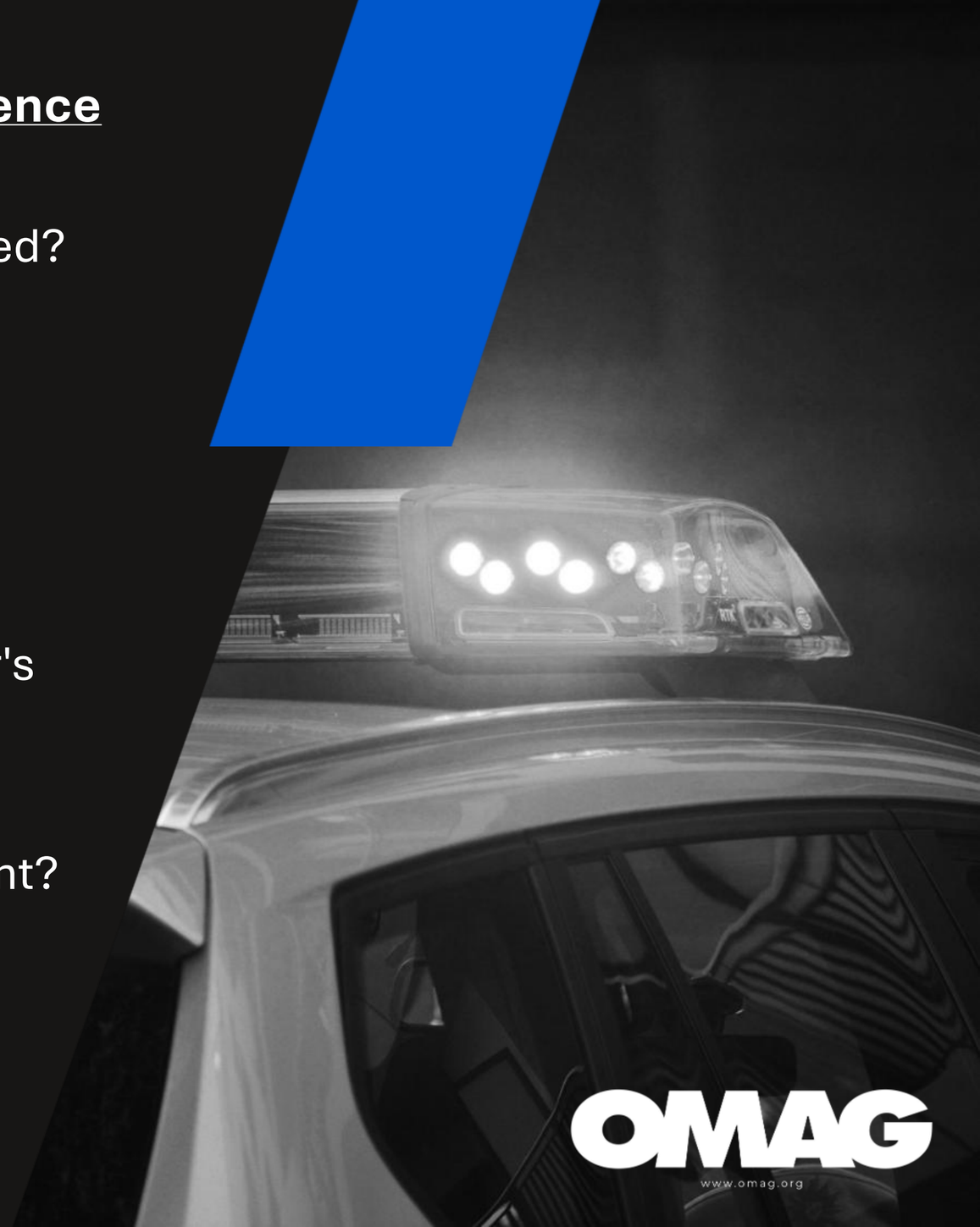
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Questions To Ask When Reviewing Video Evidence

- What happened before the camera was activated?
- Was activation required by policy?
- Why wasn't it activated earlier?
- Does the video support or contradict the officer's report?
- Does the video actually capture the critical event?
- What does the audio establish?
- Are there other cameras or recordings?



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Trends in LE Claims

- Stop and ID
- Obstruction
- Welfare checks
- Uses of Force
- Warrantless entries
- Increased cost of defense and settlement




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How does OMAG reduce LE Risk?

- BWC Grant
- LELA Training Series
- Civil Rights Training
- Lexipol
- Rapid Response Program
- The ABLE Program
- Local Gov U

