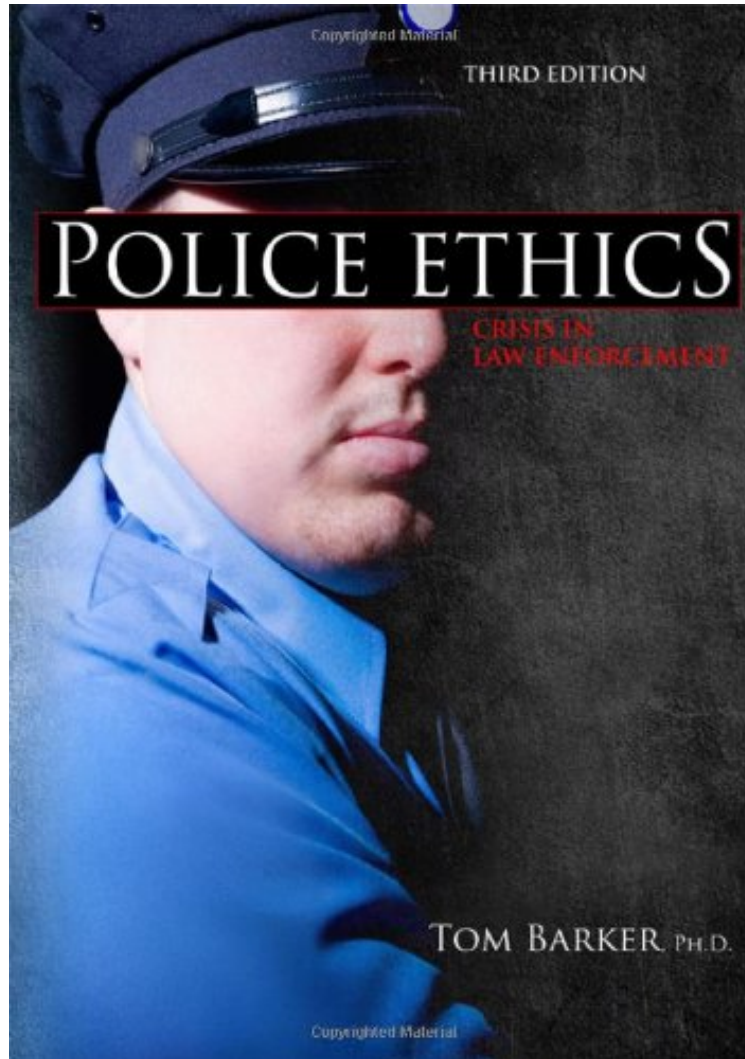


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7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. Poorly written essay of student sold by authorBy R.K.Should be titled- Author Ethics: Crisis in Education. I was very disappointed in the quality of the content and definitely irritated about spending \$25 for this dribble. The book was nothing more than a poorly written student's essay, re-hashing outdated information, sold as a new edition. It contained numerous errors (misspellings and incorrect words) and even included one of my pet peeves the word "irregardless", which even spell check knows is not a word. Had this not been required reading for a test I would have considered it a total waste of money! Actually, I think my IQ was lowered by

read this. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Gypsy Cop information inaccurate!! By Ryan Holguin Your sadly misinformed Mr. Barker or do not hold all of the facts about which you are writing. In your section on "Gypsy Cops" you referenced a Montgomery County Sheriff who also worked for Dickson County in Tennessee. If you had ALL the facts this police officer was NEVER convicted of ANY crime thus that would explain why he was able to be hired by another agency. And the reason he was let go from Dickson County was because "someone" from Montgomery County found out he was working in Dickson and made a huge to do about it. NONE of the supposed incidents were ever proven to be fact and they were harassing the officer because they had it in for him! I believe it would be your duty before you spew misinformation and draw conclusions that you would know all the facts before printing them in your book. You are trying to make a case that is just not accurate and VERY misleading! You should take the time to interview the officer that you are accusing as well!!! What is sad and should also be discussed is how an officer can give 18 years of his life, be injured several times in the line of duty and be an outstanding officer with numerous awards and politics get in the way. For a department to not stand by an officer until all facts are known is reprehensible!! I think an appropriate book would be on the corruption and political games that are played with the upper positions within a law enforcement agency and what happens if an officer doesn't agree with them!!! If you did some real investigation you might find all the corruption that exists in these agencies from the upper up!!! How officers are told to not write tickets to certain citizens because they are donors to their campaigns or how a Montgomery County Sheriff can be elected and not have the legal right to even hold the position. That's a real story Mr. Barker!! And no why would an officer have to lose his certification if he has not been convicted legally of ANY crime!!!! Check the officers police record before you say he shouldn't be allowed to keep his certification!!

This third edition has been comprehensively revised, expanding the information in the previous edition on the long-standing challenge of implementing effective, responsible, and acceptable practices in ethical police work. The author's unique perspective provides insights not found elsewhere and presents them in an informative, fact-filled, and encouraging way. The text is based on the premise that ethical crisis has always existed in law enforcement and stresses that policing is and always has been a 'morally dangerous occupation.' The moral dangers of policing are discussed in detail and emphasize how crucial ethical standards are for police officers. Four critical and primary questions addressed in the text are: Is law enforcement a profession? Can law enforcement officers be professional? What forms of behavior are the major law enforcement ethical violations? Can police ethical violations be controlled? Several chapters also thoroughly review the Law Enforcement Code of Ethics and include very up-to-date examples of notable violations by individual officers and police departments. Additional topics include major police corruption issues, including corrupt practices and corruption control; abuse of authority; and getting effective control of unethical behavior. The goal of this timely new edition is to provide officers, law enforcement managers, and city administrators with only the most current information, tools, and skills in identifying and dealing with unethical police behavior. It is valuable to both new and seasoned officers in a significant effort to make policing a true profession that is real and not rhetoric.