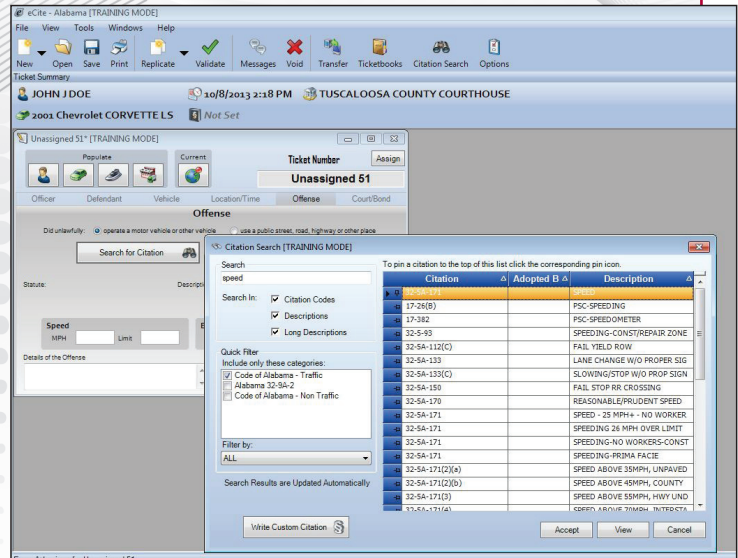# eCite

ECITE was developed at the Center for Advanced Public Safety and can be used to quickly, accurately, securely and legibly issue citations by an officer in a mobile setting. Using a conventional laptop or tablet PC, an officer can issue tickets electronically, print a copy for the violator, and periodically transmit the tickets to an on-line central server repository. The data is then in the court system and doesn't have to be hand-entered by the clerk. CAPS has also developed administrative web portals for both officers and clerks to complement the system. These portals allow previously administered tickets to be searched by various parameters, viewed and printed. The status of the ticket can be ascertained and the case number is linked.

+ A non-UTC is an option in eCite. Many agencies write tickets that cannot be written on a Uniform Traffic Citation. Now these agencies can use eCite to issue warnings or citations and transfer them into the database.

+ A weight form is another option. This form is used for recording weight inspections of commercial vehicles and automatically calculating the data to determine if the vehicle needs to be cited for being overweight. If it does, eCite is used to issue the citation. The information from the weight form can be transferred into eCite.

+ eCite can be adapted to meet the requirements of your jurisdiction. Once customized, the eCite software may be licensed within your jurisdiction at no charge. All costs are one-time fees associated with the customization of the software. Cost is determined based on the requirements of your jurisdiction.

FEATURES

- **+** Driver license barcode & magnetic stripe scanning for all 50 states
- **+** Auto-Population of driver license information
- **+** Set defaults to auto-populate certain form fields
- **+** Ability to import location data from GPS device
- **+** Automated data validation so no incomplete tickets
- **+** Templates to allow customized preset values
- **+** Interfaces with Web pages and other applications
- **+** Ticket replication to allow multiple tickets to be written quickly and easily
- **+** Web portal for supervisor approval of crash report
- **+** Automated internet-based download of ticket numbers from a central repository
- **+** Ability to write warning tickets and transfer into ticket database

CAN BE CUSTOMIZED FOR ANY STATE OR MUNICIPALITY

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