OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 16

December 22, 2017

SUBJECT:

OPTIONAL UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS – REVISED

PURPOSE:

This Order revises Department Manual Section 3/615.10, Optional Uniform

Requirements, to notify Department employees regarding the three

classifications of approved Department uniforms. This Order also introduces the specifications for wearing the "optional" Class B uniform.

PROCEDURE: Department Manual Section 3/615.10, *Optional Uniform Requirements*, has been revised. Attached is the revised Manual Section with the revisions indicated in italics.

AMENDMENT: This Order amends Section 3/615.10 of the Department Manual.

AUDIT RESPONSIBILITY: The Commanding Officer, Audit Division, shall review this directive and determine whether an audit or inspection shall be conducted in accordance with Department Manual Section 0/080.30.

CHARLIE BECK Chief of Police

Attachment

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DEPARTMENT MANUAL VOLUME III

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615.10 OPTIONAL UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS. The Department has three classifications of duty uniforms. They are the Class A, Class B, and the Class C uniforms.

The three classifications of approved Department uniforms are as follows:

- Class A uniform long sleeve shirt with banded collar and tie;
- Class B uniform (optional) long sleeve shirt with sport collar (lay flat style) and no tie, with a white crew or white V-neck, or a black crew neck T-shirt; or,
- Class C uniform (optional) short sleeve shirt with sport collar and no tie, with white crew or white V-neck T-shirt.

Note: A black *T*-shirt with a round crew neck collar is *only* authorized for use with the Class C uniform by members of Metropolitan Division Mounted Platoon. At no time shall the use of a black crew neck *T*-shirt be authorized for use by any other Department personnel when in the Class C uniform.

Officers shall wear the Class A uniform, with long sleeves, a tie, and cap, for special events, or when the Area/divisional commanding officer deems it appropriate.

Note: Officers may wear a uniform manufactured from the summer-weight or winter-weight material.