CHIEF OF DETECTIVES

<u>NOTICE</u> 8.7

November 18, 2019

TO:

All Concerned Personnel

FROM:

Chief of Detectives

SUBJECT:

INVITATION TO DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL TO ATTEND THE 2020

ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIMES CONFERENCE

On February 12-13, 2020, the Los Angeles Police Department, Commercial Crimes Division (CCD) and the California Organized Crimes Association (Cal-ORCA) are hosting the 2020 Organized Retail Crimes (ORC) Conference.

The theme of this year's conference is "A Bridge to Partnership." Guest speakers from the public and private sectors will share their expertise during the following tentative schedule of breakout sessions: ORC 101, Homeless Impact and Solutions, Restaurant Loss Prevention & Security Issues, Assembly Bill 1065-Organized Retail Theft law, and the implementation of the California Highway Patrol, Organized Retail Theft Task Force. The goal of this conference is to identify viable solutions to address the constantly changing environment of property crimes through collaborative interaction and dialogue. This conference will reaffirm our partnership to deter and reduce incidents of theft and obtain successful criminal and civil prosecutions within our communities.

The conference will be held at the South San Francisco Convention Center, 255 South Airport Boulevard, South San Francisco, California 94080. It is expected to attract approximately 500 attendees including personnel from the restaurant, security and retail industries throughout the country as well as over 100 federal, state and local law enforcement agencies. The conference will commence at 8:30 A.M. and conclude at 4:00 P.M. Parking is free for all attendees and the \$125 tuition fee is waived for all sworn law enforcement officers attending this conference. All attendees will have a choice of dining at numerous restaurants in the vicinity at their own expense. Registration must be completed on the Cal-ORCA website at calorca2020.com.

Should you require additional information, please contact Detective Joseph Hopkins, CCD, at (213) 359-0250.

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