

**DEPARTMENT TRAFFIC COORDINATOR
COUNTER-TERRORISM AND SPECIAL OPERATIONS BUREAU**

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TO: All Traffic Commanding Officers

FROM: Department Traffic Coordinator, Counter-Terrorism and Special Operations Bureau

SUBJECT: TRAFFIC SAFETY CAMPAIGN FOR DEPARTMENT MOTOR PERSONNEL

PURPOSE

This Notice is to advise all Traffic Division Commanding Officers of the Department's mandate to emphasize the importance of wearing one's safety equipment and to practice proper motorcycle riding habits.

BACKGROUND

The Department recently implemented the "Below 100" training program as part of mandatory training for officer safety. Although, this training addresses traffic safety, it overlooks traffic safety as it relates to motor personnel. This Notice is to supplement the Department's Traffic Safety Campaign which is part of a larger national campaign to reduce the number of annual line-of-duty deaths to less than 100, a number not seen since 1943.

PROCEDURES

The "Below 100" message reflects on the importance of traffic safety by introducing the five tenets of "Below 100." Four out of the five tenets apply to motor personnel, as shown below:

- Wear Your Vest;
- Watch Your Speed;
- WIN-What's Important Now; and,
- Remember: Complacency Kills!

For Department motor personnel, the fifth tenet "Wear Your Belt" will be replaced with "Wear All Your Safety Equipment." Safety Equipment, along with a ballistic vest, is defined as:

- Motorcycle Full-Face Modular Helmet;
- Safety Glasses; and,
- Gloves.

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If you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact Police Officer II+2 Kevin Scott, Department Motor Training Coordinator, Specialized Enforcement Section, Emergency Operations Division, at (213) 486-0691.

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