

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE**

**NOTICE**  
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**TO:** All Department Personnel

**FROM:** Chief of Police

**SUBJECT:** PROHIBITION ON REGISTERING INDIVIDUALS BASED ON RELIGION

This Notice is written to advise all personnel of changes in the law that became effective June 5, 2018, pursuant to Los Angeles City Ordinance No. 185574. This City ordinance prohibits any City employee, as part of his or her job duties, from participating in any government program to register individuals based on their religion or spiritual faith that would result in discrimination against the individual on the basis of religion or faith.

This new ordinance is consistent with the Department's policy prohibiting biased policing contained in Department Manual Section 1/345, which reads in part that, "discriminatory conduct on the basis of race, religion, color, ethnicity, national origin, age, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, or disability while performing any law enforcement activity is prohibited."

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the Office of Constitutional Policing and Policy, at (213) 486-8730.



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