

**OFFICE OF OPERATIONS**

**NOTICE**

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**TO:** All Commanding Officers

**FROM:** Director, Office of Operations

**SUBJECT:** OFFICE OF OPERATIONS REVIEW OF REQUESTS TO CANCEL A VEHICLE PURSUIT PRIOR TO SUBMISSION TO THE DEPARTMENT TRAFFIC COORDINATOR

The purpose of this Notice is to establish central oversight for requests to cancel vehicle pursuits. Currently, Manual Section 3/201 requires a bureau/group commanding officer to submit requests to the Department Traffic Coordinator (DTC) or designee. This process results in a direct link between the Area, bureau, and Traffic Group, without an opportunity for Office of Operations oversight.

Effective immediately, bureau commanding officers shall route a request to cancel a vehicle pursuit through the Office of Operations before it is reviewed by the DTC/Traffic Group. Bureau commanding officers shall ensure this is completed by listing the Office of Operations on the Official Correspondence Review, Form 15.75.0, immediately after the concerned bureau commanding officer.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact the Evaluation and Administration Section, Office of Operations, at (213) 486-6050.



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