

GENERAL ORDER CHANGE



Subject
**GO-PCA-701.03 (Handling Assaults
on Police Officers)**

Series	Number
08	01

Effective Date
May 14, 2008

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

I. REMOVE:

GO-PCA-701.03
Page 5, Effective date
December 9, 2003

INSERT:

GO-PCA-701.03
Pages 4a – 5 (revised 04/07/08)

II. RESCIND:

Teletype, TT-10-015-07, dated
October 4, 2007

ADD: N/A

III. NOTES:

This General Order Change incorporates the language provided in Teletype TT-10-015-07, dated October 4, 2007, wherein members are directed to amend GO-PCA-701.03 (Handling Assaults on Police Officers) by making the following pen and ink addition to Section III, Procedural Guidelines:

- J. In addition to the provisions of Section III.A (above), members shall immediately notify an official the rank of sergeant or above when receiving information of any threat against a police officer or police officers and/or all officer safety concerns. The notified official shall then immediately notify the Homeland Security Bureau (HSB), Intelligence Fusion Division (IFD), Command Information Center (CIC) to report:
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 2. Threats against a police officers(s); and
 3. Potentially serious officer safety concerns.
- K. The CIC shall be responsible for making the following notifications upon confirmation of an assault against, or threats to, any police officer(s), and any potentially serious officer safety concern:
1. Initial page notifications:
 - a. The Chief of Police Command Staff paging group; and

- b. Investigative Services Bureau, Office of the Superintendent of Detectives, MPD Intelligence Branch paging group (information only).
2. Initial land-line notifications via the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Washington Field Office duty desk, [(202) 278-2000];
- a. The Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF) Federal Duty Desk Officer, Washington Field Office;
 - b. The Supervisory Special Agent in Charge of the National Capital Response Squad, FBI Washington Field Office; and
 - c. Updated notifications to the FBI.

IV. RESCISSION OF OTHER DOCUMENTS: N/A



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IV. CROSS REFERENCES

- A. GO-SPT-401.01 (Field Reporting System)
- B. GO-SPT-401.05 [Prosecution Report (PD Form 163)]
- C. GO-OPS-304.08 (Collection of Physical Evidence; Utilization of the Crime Scene Examination Section and Crime Scene Search Officers)
- D. GO-RAR-901.07 (Use of Force)
- E. GO-PCA-701.01 (Courts and Hearings)
- F. D.C. Official Code § 22-405 (Assault on member of police force, campus or university special police, or fire department)



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