DOWNEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

TRAINING



BULLETIN

Leslie Murray Chief of Police

No. 23-05

New TR 130 Traffic Citation Form

Effective January 1, 2024, all California law enforcement agencies are required to use a newly adopted TR-130 form (commonly known as a "citation" or "traffic ticket"). The traffic ticket has been redesigned to reflect recent statutory changes stemming from the passage of CA Assembly Bill 2773.

AB 2773 requires peace officers to inform the driver of a vehicle of the reason for the traffic stop <u>prior</u> to engaging in questioning regarding a criminal investigation or traffic violation. The reason for the stop must be documented on the citation or resulting police report. These requirements do not apply where the officer reasonably believes that withholding the reason for the stop is necessary to protect life or property from imminent threat, such as in cases of terrorism or kidnapping.

A copy of the new citation is attached to this bulletin. The department has already started distributing these new citations to officers for use, although the mandate does not go into effect until January 1, 2024. Please note that the change to the citation is a single line located just above the section for the violation(s) and is titled "Reason for Stop." On this line, the officer shall write the primary reason for the stop, as stated to the driver of the vehicle. For example, "Failed to stop for red light" or "unsafe speed." An investigative stop of a vehicle or a person also requires documentation of the reason provided to the driver for the stop. For example, "possible 211 vehicle." If the driver is issued a citation at the conclusion of the stop and no report is taken, then the citation should reflect the reason for the stop, as it was explained to the driver. If a report is generated, then it shall also contain this information.

Beginning January 1st 2024, officers <u>must</u> use the new citations. Old, unused ticket books are to be disposed of in one of the many Shred-it bins available throughout the station.

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