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CITY OF LOS ANGELES
HARBOR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

January 14, 2020

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SUBJECT: LAPP POLICY ON BATONS/CONTROL DEVICES

It has recently come to our attention that some officers are purchasing new patrol batons to carry on duty. Per LAPP Policy 308, “only officers who have successfully completed department-approved training in the use of any control device are authorized to carry and use the device.” The only department-approved training for control devices, specifically for the patrol baton, are POST approved classes or those specifically taught by our LAPP ARCON training cadre. If you attended the LAPD Academy, you were certified on the PR-24 and the collapsible-baton (commonly known as the ASP). If you attended a different police academy and were certified to carry a straight-stick baton, please contact the Training Unit to ensure proper documentation is on file.

If you are currently carrying a baton for which you have not been formally trained (as noted above), you are to immediately stop carrying/using that control device.

We are exploring the option to provide a transitional course for the straight-stick baton, but at this time, we do not have any certified straight-stick instructors on our ARCON training cadre.

Should you have any questions concerning which control devices you are certified to carry, please contact Lieutenant Blair at ext. 2661.



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Attachment:
Policy 308

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