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RADIO COMMUNICATION CALL NUMBERS

7-02/010.00 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS CALL IDENTIFIERS

Personnel and Units comprising the Offices of the Sheriff, Undersheriff and the Assistant Sheriff(s) have been assigned special designations.

Division Headquarters Units have been lettered, and such letter shall precede any additional number or letter as follows:

A	Internal Investigation Division
B	Countywide Services Division
D	Detective Division
E	East Patrol Division
F	Custody Services Division – Specialized Programs
G	Custody Services Division – General Population
H	Homeland Security Division
J	Court Services Division
N	North Patrol Division
O	Administrative and Training Division
P	South Patrol Division
T	Technical Services Division
W	Central Patrol Division

Formation of radio communications call identifiers for Division Headquarters' Units shall normally be according to:

- Division (a letter)
- Bureau (a number)
- Detail or section (a letter)
- Rank or Unit (a letter)
 - I for Area Commander
 - C for Captain
 - L for Lieutenant
 - S for Sergeant.

Unit designations shall be by A, B, D, E, F, etc., with the exception of those letters already used to designate rank.

The following standard designations shall be used throughout the Department:

- Unit Identification

B	Bicycle patrol
D	Station/Unit desk/dispatcher (When used in conjunction with the Station base call identifier)
F	Footbeat
G	Gang suppression
K	Specialized
K9	Canine Unit
M	Motorcycle
P	Posse/parking control
PE	Parking enforcement (County Units)
R	Reserve or rescue
T	Traffic Unit
U	Utility
V	Volunteer
X	Out of service, special/directed patrol, etc.
Z	Contract city employee

- Station/Unit Administration

All Station/Unit administrative cars will be indicated by their Station/Unit indicator number followed by 0. This is followed by the letter designating rank - "C" for Captain, "L" for Lieutenant, "S" for Sergeant (e.g., 20C - Captain, East Los Angeles Station; 50L - Lieutenant, Temple). When more than one Lieutenant or Sergeant are operating out of a Station, they will be designated numerically (e.g., 40S - 41S, 50L - 51L).

7-02/010.05 OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

Car 1	Sheriff
1AI	Sheriff's Executive Assistant Commander
1L	Sheriff's Administrative Aide (Lieutenant)
1S1	Sheriff's Executive Aide (Sergeant)
1S2	Sheriff's Executive Aide (Sergeant)
Car 1S	Sheriff's Driver
Car 1 Series	Office of the Sheriff
1V	Sheriff's Headquarters Bureau
1P	Inspectional Services Command
1T	Legal Advisory Unit

7-02/010.10 OFFICE OF THE UNDERSHERIFF

Car 2	Undersheriff
2L	Executive Aide (Lieutenant)
2AI	Commander

2I1 Commander

7-02/010.15 OFFICE OF ASSISTANT SHERIFF – CUSTODY OPERATIONS

Car 3 Assistant Sheriff
3L Executive Aide (Lieutenant)
3A11 Administration
3A12 Custody Support Services

7-02/010.16 OFFICE OF ASSISTANT SHERIFF – PATROL AND DETECTIVE DIVISION

Car 4 Assistant Sheriff
4L Executive Aide (Lieutenant)

7-02/010.17 OFFICE OF ASSISTANT SHERIFF – COUNTYWIDE SERVICES

Car 5 Assistant Sheriff
5L Executive Aide (Lieutenant)

7-02/010.18 OFFICE OF ASSISTANT SHERIFF – ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

Car 6 Assistant Sheriff
6L Executive Aide (Lieutenant)
6EP Executive Planning Council
6A11 Continuous Improvement Unit

7-02/010.20 INTERNAL INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION

A1 Chief
A1I Commander
A1L Lieutenant
A1S Sergeant
A4 Advocacy Unit
A5 ICIB
A6 IAB

7-02/010.25 DETECTIVE DIVISION

D1	Chief
D11	Commander, Area 1
D21	Commander, Area 2
D1L	Lieutenant
D1S	Sergeant
D4	Major Crimes Bureau
D5	Homicide Bureau
D6	Narcotics Bureau
D7	Operations Safe Streets Bureau
D8	Fraud & Cyber Crimes Bureau
D10	Special Victims Bureau
D11	LA Interagency Metropolitan Police Apprehension Crime Task Force (LA IMPACT)
D12	Taskforce for Regional Auto theft Prevention (TRAP)

7-02/010.27 TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION

T1	Chief
T111	Commander, Area 1
T112	Commander, Area 2
T1L	Lieutenant
T1S	Sergeant
T2	Data Systems Bureau
T3	Communications and Fleet Management Bureau
T4	Records and Identification Bureau
T5	Scientific Services Bureau
T6	Crime Analysis Program

7-02/010.30 HOMELAND SECURITY DIVISION

H1	Chief
H11	Commander, Area 1
H21	Commander, Area 2
H1L	Lieutenant
H1S	Sergeant
H5	Crisis Negotiations Team
H9	Mental Evaluation Team
H10	Emergency Operations Bureau
H11	Metrolink

Special Enforcement Bureau

240H	Mounted Enforcement Detail
240K9	Canine Unit

240M	Reserve Motorcycle Unit
240N	Logistics
240Q	Prisoner Transportation
240R	Rescue
240U	Utility
240-9	SEB Units, not assigned to a Station
200-260	SEB Units, assigned to a Station with the last two digits indicating Station

Aero Bureau

"Air 1" is the designed call identifier for any Department aircraft in which the Sheriff is a passenger.

The following call identifiers are designated for:

Air Operations

Air 2	Bureau Captain
Air 3	Flight Operations
Air 4	Senior Certified Flight
Air 4S	Day Watch Sergeant
Air 5	Rescue - Sikorsky
Air 6	AVA/Early Search
Air 7	Day Shift Patrol
Air 7A	Headquarters Special
Air 8	Day Shift Patrol
Air 8A	Headquarters Special Assignment
Air 9	Flight Instructor/Training

Additional aircraft assigned to any of the above functions would be designated by letter following the function identifier (i.e., Air 5-A for a second rescue Sikorsky, Air 8-A for second fixed wing flight, etc.).

Air 20	PM Watch Sergeant
Air 21-24	Supplementary PM Patrol
Air 31-32	Surveillance Aircraft

Additional supplementary PM patrols or any special PM operation would be designated from remaining 20 series.

Special Area Patrols

119A	Lancaster Station
69A	Santa Clarita Valley Station
130SK/Skynight	Lakewood Station

Ground Units

950C	Aero Captain
950L	Aero Lieutenant
950S	Aero Sergeant
950D	Aero Desk
950U	Aero Support/Utility

Additional support/utility vehicles shall be designated identifiers in the 950 series, i.e., 951U, etc.

7-02/010.35 PATROL STATIONS/UNITS

20 thru 29	2	East Los Angeles
30 thru 39	3	South Los Angeles
40 thru 49	4	Norwalk
50 thru 59	5	Temple
60 thru 69	6	Santa Clarita
70 thru 79	7	Altadena
80 thru 89	8	San Dimas
90 thru 99	9	West Hollywood
110 thru 119	11	Lancaster
120 thru 129	12	Crescenta Valley
130 thru 139	13	Lakewood
140 thru 149	14	Industry
150 thru 159	15	Pico Rivera
160 thru 169	16	Carson
170 thru 179	17	Lomita
180 thru 189	18	Avalon
210 thru 219	21	Century
220 thru 229	22	Lost Hills/Malibu
230 thru 239	23	Cerritos
260 thru 269	26	Palmdale
270 thru 279	27	Marina Del Rey
280 thru 289	28	Compton
290 thru 299	29	Walnut
600 thru 699	60-68	Transit Services Bureau (North and South)
830 thru 839	83	Parks Bureau
850 thru 859	85,86,88	County Services Bureau
870 thru 879	87	Community College Bureau

Patrol Stations/Units

Regular Station/Unit cars beyond the assigned number may be identified by the addition

of a letter, such as, 21A, 21B, 22A, 22B, etc., with the exception of those letters designated as specific identifiers, and those indicating rank.

Station/Unit Detectives

Station/Unit detectives call identifiers will be in the 800 series. The Station/Unit number will be incorporated in the 800 number. (e.g., 803-SLA detectives, 816-Carson detectives).

Patrol Boats

181B Catalina Island patrol boat (additional boats shall be designated 182B, 183B, etc.)

271B Marina del Rey Harbor patrol boat (additional boats shall be designated 272B, 273B, etc.)

60H Pyramid Lake patrol boat (additional boats shall be designated 60H1, 60H2, etc.)

Station Emergency Transmitter Call Identifiers

WII810	East Los Angeles
WII821	South Los Angeles
WII824	Norwalk
WII832	Temple
WII826	Malibu
WII843	Lancaster
WII841	Crescenta Valley
WII822	Lakewood
WII809	Industry
WII834	Pico Rivera
WII808	Carson
WII820	Lomita
WII805	Avalon
WII840	Gorman
WII823	Isthmus (Catalina)
WII836	Santa Clarita Valley
WII804	Altadena
WII829	San Dimas
WII818	West Hollywood
WII811	Marina
KBH359	Harbor (Admin.)
WII819	Walnut
WII827	Century
WII813	Lost Hills

7-02/010.36 NORTH PATROL DIVISION

N1	Chief
N1I	Commander, Area 1
N2I	Commander, Area 1
N1L	Lieutenant
N1S	Sergeant
N4	City of Los Angeles Airport Police (Palmdale Regional Airport)
N5	United States Forest Service

7-02/010.37 SOUTH PATROL DIVISION

P1	Chief
P1I	Commander, Area 1
P2I	Commander, Area 2
P1L	Lieutenant
P1S	Sergeant
P5	City of Los Angeles Airport Police (LA International Airport)

7-02/010.38 EAST PATROL DIVISION

E1	Chief
E1I	Commander, Area 1
E2I	Commander, Area 2
E1L	Lieutenant
E1S	Sergeant

7-02/010.39 CENTRAL PATROL DIVISION

W1	Chief
W1I	Commander, Area 1
W2I	Commander, Area 2
W1L	Lieutenant
W1S	Sergeant

7-02/010.40 COUNTYWIDE SERVICES DIVISION

B1	Chief
B1I	Commander, Area 1
B2I	Commander, Area 2
B1L	Lieutenant
B1S	Sergeant

B3	Community Law Enforcement Partnership Program
B4	COPS Bureau
B7	Parking Enforcement Detail

Reserve Forces Series

R5A	Special Projects Coordinator
R5H	Base Station (if two or more base Stations are in operation, the Station area of assignment shall precede the call identifier)
R5R	Chief of Staff, Uniform Reserve Division
R5R1- R5R7	Commanders, Areas 1-7
R5RG	Commander, Chaplain
R5RM	Chief of Staff, Mountain Rescue
R5P	Chief of Staff, Mounted Posse Division
R5P1- R5P5	Commanders, Areas 1-5 Posse Area
R5P6	Commander, Field and Special Projects
R6P7	Commander, Special Events and Academy Liaison Posse Area

7-02/010.42 CUSTODY SERVICES DIVISION – SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

F1	Chief
F1I	Commander, Area 1
F2I	Commander, Area 2
F1L	Lieutenant
F1S	Sergeant
F3	Education Based Incarceration Bureau
F4	Medical Services, Director
F5	Medical Services, Chief Physician
F6	Food Services Unit
F7	Century Regional Detention Facility
F8	Twin Towers Correctional Facility
F9	Community Transition Unit
F10	Inmate Services
F11	Inmate Services
F12	LA CO Medical Center
F13	Jail Enterprise Unit
F14	Bureau of Offender Programs and Services

7-02/010.45 CUSTODY SERVICES DIVISION

G1	Chief
G1I	Commander
G2I	Commander
G1L	Lieutenant

G1S	Sergeant
G4	Inmate Reception Center
G5	Men's Central Jail
G6	PDC North Facility
G7	PDC South Facility
G8	PDC East Facility
G9	PDC North County Correctional Facility
G10*	Mira Loma Facility

* G12 Should not be used due to the corollary to the "G12" nickname for slain Deputy Geuvjehizian

7-02/010.50 COURT SERVICES DIVISION

J1	Chief
J1I1	Commander, Area 1
J1I2	Commander, Area 2
J1L	Lieutenant
J1S	Chief's Aide
J1U	Utility
J2L	Judicial Services Lieutenant
J2S1	Judicial Services Sergeant
J2A1-9	Judicial Services Units
J3ES	CSD Training Sergeant
J3E1-8	Training Units
J4	Court Services Bureau East
J5	Civil Management Bureau
J6	Unassigned
J7	Court Services Bureau Central
J8	Court Services Bureau West
500 - 575	Transportation Buses

7-02/010.60 ADMINISTRATIVE AND TRAINING DIVISION

O1	Chief/Director
O1I	Commander, Area 1
O2I	Commander/Assistant Division Director, Area 2
O1L	Lieutenant
O1S	Sergeant (Board of Supervisor's Liaison)
O2	BOLRAC
O3	Recruit Training Bureau
O4	Risk Management Bureau
O5	Field Operations Support Services
O6	STAR Unit

O7	Civil Litigation Unit
O8	Traffic Services Unit
O9	Contract Law Enforcement Bureau
O11	Return to Work Unit
O12	Advanced Training Bureau
O13	Facilities Planning Bureau
O14	Facilities Services Bureau
O15	Financial Programs
O16	Fiscal Administration
O17	Personnel Administration
O18	Employee Support Services

7-02/020.00 EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CALL IDENTIFIERS

The following designations will be used by personnel, Units and equipment activated for an emergency operation.

Command Post

During emergency operations, the focal point for command and communications shall be referred to as the "Command Post."

Personnel

All command personnel will use their normal call identifiers. This will vary only during major preplanned operations during which call identifiers may be used to define specific lines of authority and responsibility to various elements or functions of the operation.

Platoon Operations

Platoon call identifiers will be in the 700 series. The Station designator will be incorporated in the 700 number, depending on the origin of the platoon or platoon Commander. The last two digits indicate Station number (701 thru 718). However, Century Station and Marina del Rey Station will use the first two digits of the Station's call numbers. (e.g., 721-Century Station, 727-Marina del Rey Station). Refer to Emergency Operations Procedure (EOP) 3-7, "Platoon Organization and Table of Equipment."

Preplanned Operations

Personnel planning upcoming operations may develop a series of call identifiers such as color designators which serve to identify elements of the operation.

Training

The 400 series is reserved for training exercises. Any unit involved in a training exercise using radio transmissions shall use the 400 series to avoid accidental responses by operational units.

Coordination

The Sheriff's Communication Center Watch Commander shall be advised of any Department mobilization, preplanned event, training operation or any other operation using specialized call identifiers or which might impact the Department's communication system in any manner.