

**AURAL BREVITY CODES**

CHP 254 (REV 10-21) OPI 048



**10-1** Reception poor  
**10-2** Reception good  
**10-4** Message received  
**10-5** Relay message  
**10-6** Busy, stand by  
**10-7** Out of service  
**10-8** In service  
**10-9** Repeat transmission  
**10-10** Off duty  
**10-11** Identify mobile frequency - KA4993  
(*"S" Channel*)  
**10-13** Advise road or weather conditions  
**10-14** Provide escort  
**10-15** Prisoner in custody  
**10-17** Relay papers, supplies, etc.  
**10-19** Return to \_\_\_\_ (*specify location*)  
**10-20** Location requested  
**10-21** Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
**10-22** Disregard (*message or assignment*)  
**10-23** Stand by  
**10-28** Request for registration  
**10-29** Check for wants  
(*person, vehicle, or object*)  
**10-30** Improper radio traffic  
**10-31** Suicidal subject  
**10-35** Officer needs backup, suspect is present

**10-36** Confidential information  
**10-36A** Confidential information, subject possibly armed  
**10-36F** Confidential information, possible felony wants  
**10-36M** Confidential information, possible misdemeanor wants  
**10-36P** Confidential information, subject possibly on parole, probation, or post-release community supervision  
**10-37** What time is it?  
**10-39** Message or item delivered  
**10-97** Arrived at scene  
**10-98** Assignment completed  
**11-10** Take a report  
**11-24** Abandoned vehicle  
**11-25** Traffic hazard (*specify type*)  
**11-26** Disabled vehicle, occupied  
**11-27** DL check  
**11-41** Ambulance  
**11-44** Fatality  
**11-48** Provide transportation (*person*)  
**11-66** Defective traffic signals (*describe*)  
**11-79** Traffic crash - ambulance rolling  
**11-80** Traffic crash - major injury  
**11-81** Traffic crash - minor injury  
**11-82** Traffic crash - no injury

**11-83** Traffic crash - unknown injury  
**11-84** Direct traffic  
**11-85** Tow truck  
**11-86** Bomb threat  
**11-87** Bomb found  
**11-98** Meet \_\_\_\_\_  
**11-99** Officer requires help, emergency

**Code 2** Urgent  
**Code 3** Emergency  
**Code 4** Situation stable, emergency situation no longer exists  
**Code 5** Law enforcement surveillance  
**Code 20** Notify press  
**Code 33** Clear radio channels for emergency traffic

**Mayday** Emergency landing

**10851 VC** Vehicle theft  
**20001 VC** Felony hit and run  
**20002 VC** Misdemeanor hit and run  
**23103 VC** Reckless driving  
**23109 VC** Speed contest  
**23110 VC** Throwing objects at vehicles  
**23111 VC** Throwing cigarette

**23114 VC** Objects falling from vehicles  
**23152 VC** Misdemeanor drunk driving  
**23153 VC** Felony drunk driving

**187 PC** Murder  
**207 PC** Kidnapping  
**211 PC** Robbery

**215 PC** Carjacking  
**242 PC** Battery  
**245 PC** Assault with a deadly weapon  
**261 PC** Rape  
**314 PC** Indecent exposure  
**415 PC** Disturbing the peace  
**417 PC** Brandishing a deadly weapon  
**459 PC** Burglary

**594 PC** Vandalism  
**602 PC** Trespassing

**647(f) PC** Public intoxication

**5150 W&I** Mental disorder

**11550 H&S** Under the influence of narcotics

STANDARD DESCRIPTION SAMPLES

VEHICLES		PERSONS	
COLOR	BLK	NAME	DRIVER, ANNIE B
YEAR	2020	RACE	WHITE
MAKE	CHEVROLET	SEX	FEMALE
MODEL	CAMARO	AGE	MID 30's
LICENSE	1ABC123	HEIGHT	5' 2"
		WEIGHT	130-150
		HAIR	BROWN
		CLOTHING	RED JACKET
		SCARS, MARKS, TATTOOS	SCAR ON LEFT SHOULDER

AURAL BREVITY SUFFIXES

A	ARMED
F	FELONY
M	MISDEMEANOR
P	PAROLE, PROBATION, OR POST-RELEASE
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
R	RESIDENCE
X	FEMALE

PHONETIC ALPHABET

A	Adam	N	Nora
B	Boy	O	Ocean
C	Charles	P	Paul
D	David	Q	Queen
E	Edward	R	Robert
F	Frank	S	Sam
G	George	T	Tom
H	Henry	U	Union
I	Ida	V	Victor
J	John	W	William
K	King	X	Xray
L	Lincoln	Y	Yellow
M	Mary	Z	Zebra