

CHAPTER 6
REGULATIONS FOR OPTIONAL UNIFORM ITEMS

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CHAPTER 6

REGULATIONS FOR OPTIONAL UNIFORM ITEMS

1. GENERAL.

- a. Optional Uniform and Equipment Items. The optional uniform and equipment items in this chapter may be worn by uniformed employees as authorized in this manual. These optional items shall conform to the specifications contained in Annex A of this chapter.
- b. Cold Weather Uniform Items—Cold Weather Areas. Field Division commanders may authorize the wearing of approved cold weather uniform items by personnel in commands designated as cold weather Areas. (Refer to Chapter 1, paragraph 2.d.[2], of this manual for the definition of a cold weather Area.)

2. OPTIONAL UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT ITEMS.

- a. Straw Campaign Hat. The straw campaign hat shall be worn in the same manner as the felt campaign hat. (Refer to Chapter 5, paragraph 2.c.[2], of this manual.)
- b. Short-Sleeved Shirt. Instructions for wearing the short-sleeved shirt shall be the same as the long-sleeved shirt. When the tie is worn with the short-sleeved shirt, an approved uniform jacket shall be worn. The mock dickey may be worn with the short-sleeved shirt without the blue patrol jacket. Undergarments shall not extend beyond the shirtsleeve cuffs.
- c. Lightweight Trousers (Polyester/Wool Blend). Instructions for wearing the lightweight trousers shall be the same as the 100 percent wool trousers. The lightweight trousers shall be worn with the approved trouser belt.
- d. Leather Motorcycle Jacket. The leather motorcycle jacket is to be used only by uniformed employees normally assigned to motorcycle duty. The jacket should be zipped when in public view. All uniformed employees at the rank of sergeant and above shall wear the appropriate insignia of rank when wearing the jacket.
 - (1) A leather insignia of rank can be sewn on the leather motorcycle jacket, gold-colored metal bar(s), or star(s) pins can be attached.
 - (2) Positioning of insignia of rank on the leather motorcycle jacket shall be as specified in Chapter 5, paragraph 2.z., of this manual.

- (3) The leather motorcycle jacket shall be worn in conjunction with the uniform shirt.
- e. Cold Weather Parka. The parka may be worn by uniformed employees assigned to cold weather Areas designated by the appropriate Division commander in the following manner:
- (1) The insignia of rank can be embroidered, gold-colored metal bar(s), or star(s) pins can be attached.
 - (2) Positioning of insignia of rank on the cold weather parka shall be as specified in Chapter 5, paragraph 2.z., of this manual.
 - (3) The parka shall be worn in conjunction with the uniform shirt and appropriate neckwear.
 - (4) The parka may be worn in conjunction with the cold weather jumpsuit in accordance with the requirements listed below.
- f. Cold Weather Jumpsuit. The cold weather jumpsuit may be worn by uniformed employees assigned to cold weather Areas as designated by the Division commander. When the jumpsuit is worn, the blue patrol jacket or cold weather parka may be worn as an outer garment.
- g. Storm Clothing. When extraordinary storm or flood conditions exist, Area commanders may authorize the wearing of other garments, as necessary, to protect uniformed employees under the following conditions:
- (1) Existing uniform requirements shall be adhered to as reasonably as possible during extraordinary conditions.
 - (2) Area commanders shall require uniformed employees to return to the approved uniform as soon as reasonably possible following abatement of the extraordinary conditions.
 - (3) Area commanders may authorize tan, brown, or green insulated boots only when black insulated boots are not readily available.
- h. Knit Cap (Beanie). The knit cap (beanie) is an optional uniform item, authorized to be worn while wearing the CHP tan uniform (only when wearing the blue patrol jacket), the utility uniform, or the cold weather uniform. The appropriate beanie shall adhere to the specifications detailed in Annex A of this chapter. The departmental winged-wheel logo shall be affixed to the front of the beanie.

(1) The approved version of the beanie is available at the Academy Post Exchange (PX) for purchase at the employee's expense.

NOTE: The previously authorized knit cap with the CHP logo monogram is only permitted for wear until no longer serviceable.

i. Cold Weather Cap—Designated Cold Weather Areas. Cold weather caps may be requisitioned and worn in designated cold weather Areas under the following conditions:

(1) The cold weather cap shall be worn only during periods of cold weather when authorized by the Area commander.

(2) A hat/cap piece shall be affixed to the cold weather cap visor.

(3) Cold weather caps shall be worn in a manner consistent with the campaign hat policy.

j. Cold Weather Cap—Non-Designated Cold Weather Areas. Cold weather caps may be worn in Areas not designated as cold weather Areas under the same conditions listed in paragraphs 2.i.(1) through 2.i.(3) of this chapter. However, the cap shall be purchased at the employee's expense.

k. Scarf. A scarf may be worn with the blue patrol jacket, leather motorcycle jacket, cold weather parka, or cold weather jumpsuit.

(1) The ends of the scarf shall be concealed under the outermost garment.

(2) The scarf shall not be worn with the green dress jacket.

(3) Scarves shall be navy blue in color and without design (refer to Annex A of this chapter).

l. Gloves. Uniformed employees may wear gloves for comfort and protection.

(1) Uniformed employees shall ensure that gloves allow for the safe operation of a vehicle, emergency vehicle equipment controls, weapons, and officer safety equipment.

(2) White formal gloves made available by the Department may be worn by uniformed employees assigned to:

(a) A funeral honor guard.

(b) An official function when approved by the Division or Area commander responsible for coordinating the event.

m. Mock Dickey. The mock dickey may be worn by uniformed personnel in accordance with this manual. The 93 percent cotton and 7 percent Lycra navy blue mock dickey without design or logo, available from the Academy PX, is the only mock dickey authorized for wear while in uniform.

NOTE: The previously authorized dickey with logo is only authorized until no longer serviceable.

n. Mock Turtleneck. The long-sleeved mock turtleneck may be worn by uniformed employees in accordance with this manual. The 93 percent cotton and 7 percent Lycra navy blue long-sleeved mock turtleneck without design or logo, available from the Academy PX, is the only mock turtleneck authorized for wear while in uniform.

NOTE: The previously authorized long-sleeved turtleneck with logo is only authorized until no longer serviceable.

o. Sand and Snow Goggles. Sand and snow goggles may be requisitioned and worn in Areas where extreme weather conditions exist.

(1) The same restrictions for eyewear shall apply while wearing sand and snow goggles (refer to paragraph 2.ee. of this chapter).

p. Call-Out Jacket. The call-out jacket is available to members of the Department who have a need to immediately respond to incidents and be recognized as peace officers while in civilian attire.

(1) The following are circumstances which would require the wearing of the call-out jacket:

(a) When personnel are required to respond to incidents and delaying a response to change into a uniform would be impractical.

(b) When a uniformed employee, in civilian attire, on or off duty, has a need to be identified as a member of the CHP.

(2) The call-out jacket is approved to be worn by the following personnel:

(a) Uniformed personnel subject to call-out after their normal shift.

(b) Shooting team members or other investigators.

(c) Uniformed personnel who wear plain clothes while on duty.

(d) Off-duty uniformed personnel who become involved in emergency incidents.

(e) Personnel currently approved to wear the investigator jacket (raid vest), with Division commander approval.

(3) The call-out jacket shall not be worn while in uniform.

NOTE: The old windbreaker-style investigator jacket may be worn under the circumstances outlined above until no longer serviceable. The call-out jacket is a restricted item for sale only to uniformed personnel and available through the Academy PX.

q. Key Strap/Ring. A key strap/ring may be worn on the duty belt. The keys necessary for the performance of duty shall be the only items carried on the key strap/ring.

r. Belt Slide Loops, Duty Belt (Keeper Straps). Belt slide loops may be worn to secure the duty belt to the trouser belt.

s. Plastic Flex-Cuffs. Department-issued plastic flex-cuffs may be carried by uniformed employees. Plastic flex-cuffs shall not be positioned in a manner which interferes with safety equipment or detracts from the appearance of the uniform.

(1) Uniformed employees shall use the Department-issued plastic flex-cuffs only as a supplement to the conventional regulation handcuffs.

(2) Uniformed employees in civilian attire may carry Department-issued plastic flex-cuffs in addition to the conventional handcuffs.

t. Tie Clasp.

(1) Uniformed employees may only wear an approved tie clasp, as described in paragraph 2.v.(2) below, while on duty. The tie clasp shall be affixed to the tie and shirt within the area bound by imaginary parallel lines drawn between the top of the pocket flaps and the center of the pockets.

(2) Approved tie clasps include the plain gold metal tie bar, gold metal tie bar with CHP star, Administrative Safety Recognition Emblem tie bar/tie tack, 25-year service tie bar/pin, CHP star tie tack, and oval CHP tie tack with a blue stone.

u. Administrative Safety Recognition Emblem (Tie Bar and Tie Tack). As of July 1999, the Administrative Safety Recognition Emblem (tie bar and tie tack) was discontinued as a safety recognition emblem and is no longer issued. However, uniformed employees may continue to wear any existing Administrative Safety

Recognition Emblem tie bar or tie tack as an optional uniform item. Uniformed employees may wear the tie bar or tie tack with either the uniform or in civilian attire while on or off duty.

v. Authorized Medals and Pins.

(1) Shooting Classification Medal (Primary Weapon). The medal shall be attached to the right pocket flap of the uniform shirt or green dress jacket, 1 inch to the right of the left edge (refer to Chapter 1 of this manual for policy on all accouterments).

(2) State of California 25-Year Service Pin. The 25-year service pin shall be attached to the right pocket flap of the uniform shirt or green dress jacket, 1/2 inch below the top edge of the flap (refer to Chapter 1 of this manual for policy on all accouterments).

(3) State of California 25-Year Service Tie Bar. Uniformed employees may choose the 25-year service tie bar in lieu of the standard 25-year service pin. The tie bar shall be worn in accordance with paragraph 2.v.(2) of this chapter.

(4) Special Act or Service Pin. The pin shall be attached to the left pocket flap of the uniform shirt or green dress jacket, 1/2 inch below the top edge of the flap and centered above the button.

(5) 10851 Pin. Uniformed employees issued the 10851 pins may wear the pin on the uniform shirt or green dress jacket or while wearing civilian attire. Only one 10851 pin may be worn at any given time, and it shall be worn in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1, Uniform Policy, of this manual.

(6) Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic/Emergency Medical Technician-I/Emergency Medical Responder Pins. Uniformed employees who are currently certified as an emergency medical technician-paramedic (EMT-P), emergency medical technician-I (EMT-I), or emergency medical responder (EMR) may wear the appropriate pin in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

NOTE: Only one of the pins (EMT-P, EMT-I, or EMR) may be worn at any given time.

(7) Officer-of-the-Year Pin. Uniformed employees presented with a civic organization's Officer-of-the-Year pin may wear it only for the year awarded. The pin may be worn on the uniform shirt or green dress jacket in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(8) Special Medals, Pins, or Decorations. Special accouterments specifically authorized by the Commissioner shall be attached to the uniform as directed by the Commissioner.

(9) Field Training Officer Pin. Uniformed employees who have successfully completed the Field Training and Evaluation Program course and have current certification may wear this pin as specified in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(10) Annual Fitness Challenge Pin. Uniformed employees who successfully complete the Annual Fitness Challenge and are presented with this pin may wear it as specified in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(11) United States Flag Pin. Uniformed employees may wear the United States flag pin in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(12) United States Military Flag Pin. Uniformed employees may wear the United States military flag pin in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(13) Drug Recognition Expert/Drug Recognition Expert Instructor Pin. The Drug Recognition Expert (DRE) pin may only be worn by uniformed employees who have successfully completed DRE training or DRE Instructor training, have been issued an official DRE number and DRE card by the International Association of Chiefs of Police, and only if their DRE certification is current. The pin shall be attached to the right pocket flap of the uniform shirt or green dress jacket and may be worn in lieu of one of the other optional pins. Only one DRE pin may be worn at any given time, and it shall be worn in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(14) Memorial Pin. Uniformed employees may wear one memorial pin at a time in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(15) Mothers Against Drunk Driving (23152) Pin. Uniformed employees may wear one Mothers Against Drunk Driving (23152) pin at a time in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

(16) Special Response Team Pin. Uniformed employees who successfully complete the Special Response Team (SRT) training may wear the SRT pin as specified in Chapter 1 of this manual. The SRT pin is available exclusively at the Academy PX for purchase at the employee's expense.

(17) Multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team Pin. The approved Multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team (MAIT) pin may only be worn by uniformed employees who have successfully completed the Traffic Crash Reconstruction (TCR) Specialist Certification training and exam and have been

issued an official TCR Specialist serial number, and only if their TCR Specialist certification is current. The pin shall be attached to the right pocket flap of the uniform shirt or green dress jacket and may be worn in lieu of one of the other optional pins. Only one MAIT pin may be worn at any given time, and it shall be worn in accordance with policy stated in Chapter 1 of this manual.

w. Honor Guard Uniform Items. The optional Honor Guard uniform items shall consist of white gloves, a white ascot, and a white aiguillette worn with the formal uniform. The optional Honor Guard uniform items include the tribute of morning ribbon when participating at funerals and the annual CHP memorial.

(1) The white ascot is worn with the green dress jacket in lieu of the tie, and shall be worn in a manner that covers the chest and neck areas normally exposed by the opening of the green dress jacket when the zipper is closed.

(2) The ends of the ascot shall be concealed under the outermost garment.

(3) The white aiguillette shall be worn as specified in Chapter 5, paragraph 2.x., of this manual.

(4) The Honor Guard accouterments shall be maintained by each field Division and forwarded to Areas upon request. The Academy shall maintain Honor Guard accouterments for all headquarters offices.

x. Bagpiper Uniform Items. Uniformed personnel shall obtain the Division commander's approval prior to representing the Department as a bagpiper at funerals or memorials. When uniformed employees perform with the bagpipes, they shall wear the green dress jacket, long-sleeved shirt, and blue tie in conjunction with the kilt. All accouterment placements shall be in accordance with policy outlined in this manual. The kilt may be purchased at the employee's expense, as specified in this manual. Additionally, wearing of the kilt shall adhere to the following uniform standards:

(1) Kilt. Only the CHP (corporate) tartan, as registered with the Scottish Register of Tartans, is authorized (Scottish Tartans Authority ref: 3786). The tartan shall be made of 16-ounce wool. A color swatch is held by the Academy, Administrative Services Program. The kilt shall be made of a minimum of 8 yards of fabric and pleated to the vertical blue and gold stripe. When worn, the kilt shall fit high on the waist and hang to the center of the knee cap.

(2) Sporran. A horsehair sporran shall be worn with the kilt. It shall consist of off-white horsehair and two black horsehair tassels. The cantle and cones shall be gold in color. Any visible leather shall be black. The departmental

winged-wheel cap piece may be mounted in the center of the cantle. The sporran shall be worn with a chain belt that is gold in color.

(3) Belt. The black duty belt shall be worn over the kilt and under the green jacket. All pouches, holsters (including the primary firearm), and gear shall be removed from the belt.

(4) Kilt Pin. A kilt pin may be worn on the kilt in the lower area of the top apron. The pin shall be discreet and of a size to not distract from the overall uniform appearance.

(5) Kilt Hose. Ancient green- and blue-colored diced kilt hose shall be worn. They shall be folded at the top just below the knee.

(6) Flashes. Gold flashes (garters) shall be worn with two tails and two bellied pleats. The inner edge of the flashes shall be aligned with the center of the shin.

(7) Sgian Dubh Knife. A sgian dubh (pronounced "skin doo") knife may be worn in the right sock, centered in the middle of the flashes, with the handle exposed out of the top of the sock.

(8) Spats. White piper spats shall be worn over black leather shoes.

(9) Prohibited Items. While wearing the departmental kilt, uniformed members shall not wear a dirk, flask, sash, gloves, broaches, plaids, glengarry, or any other items not mentioned in this section. These are common items pipers may add to their uniform but would not be appropriate or in line with law enforcement and fire bagpipers.

y. Knife/Knife Holder. A knife/knife holder may be carried on the duty belt. The holder shall be worn on the belt in the vertical position with the flap opening at the top.

NOTE: Knives as described by Sections 21310 and 21510 of the California Penal Code (PC) are prohibited.

z. Flashlight Ring. A flashlight ring may be carried on the duty belt.

aa. Flashlight Holder. A miniature flashlight holder may be carried on the duty belt.

bb. Secondary Badge. Uniformed employees desiring to purchase and wear a secondary badge shall submit a memorandum to their commander. Their commander shall inspect the secondary badge prior to the uniformed employee wearing it on duty to ensure it conforms with the specifications contained in Highway Patrol Guide (HPG) 73.6, Uniform and Equipment Specifications Guide.

cc. Secondary Weapon Holster. When a secondary weapon is worn on the duty belt while in uniform, the following restrictions shall apply:

- (1) Refer to Highway Patrol Manual (HPM) 70.8, Firearms Manual, Chapter 1, Firearms Classification and Registration, for departmental secondary firearm policy.
- (2) All secondary firearm holsters shall be designed for that type of firearm; be a type which conceals the firearm at all times; preclude accidental cocking, discharge, or loss of physical control; and be approved by the Area weapons inspection officer prior to use.
- (3) A secondary firearm shall be worn in a location on the duty belt that shall not interfere with the retrieval of the primary weapon or other required safety equipment.

dd. CHP Cotton Blue Utility (Baseball) Cap. The 100 percent cotton blue utility baseball cap is the only authorized utility cap to be worn with the appropriate uniform ensemble. The authorized utility cap is available exclusively at the Academy PX for purchase at the employee's expense. The mesh utility cap is no longer sold at the Academy PX and is being phased out. Current users of the mesh cap may continue to wear the cap until it is no longer serviceable. The cotton CHP-copyrighted utility baseball cap may be worn only by the following:

- (1) Uniformed employees wearing the utility uniform, except while indoors.
- (2) Flight crews performing ground duties while outside the aircraft.
- (3) Uniformed employees wearing the cold weather jumpsuit.
- (4) Uniformed employees wearing rainwear.
- (5) Motorcycle officers, in conjunction with the work uniform (e.g., tan shirt and breeches), may wear the cotton blue utility (baseball) cap only while engaged in traffic-related duties at a stable scene (e.g., crash, traffic control). The cotton blue utility (baseball) cap is not to be worn while eating meals, during scheduled breaks, while indoors, or while engaged in enforcement duties, etc.

NOTE: Uniformed employees may purchase the approved CHP six-panel adjustable snapback (baseball) cap but shall adhere to the same wearing conditions as the utility baseball cap.

ee. Eyewear. The following restrictions shall apply while wearing sunglasses or eyeglasses while on duty:

- (1) Mirrored-type or multicolored lenses are prohibited.
- (2) The color of frames is restricted to the following nonfluorescent colors: silver, gold, black, brown, gray, or other conservative colors which do not distract from the professional appearance of the uniform.
- (3) Wearing sunglasses or eyeglasses on top of the head is prohibited.
- (4) Eyewear retainers/lanyards are authorized; however, the color of the retaining strings must be brown or black.

ff. Cell Phones. When Department-issued and/or personal cell phones are worn while in uniform, the following restrictions shall apply:

- (1) When worn in view, cell phones shall only be worn on the duty belt and shall be restricted to the following nonfluorescent colors: silver, gold, black, brown, gray, or other conservative colors which do not distract from the professional appearance of the uniform. Cell phones that are not a conservative color shall be completely concealed from view or may be carried in a holder and shall be worn **only** on the duty belt.
- (2) Cell phones shall be worn in a location on the duty belt that shall not interfere with the retrieval of the primary weapon or other personal protective equipment.

gg. Rainwear. Departmentally issued rainwear shall be the only acceptable rainwear for use.

hh. Brass Buckle Trouser Belt. This optional trouser belt may be worn when the work uniform is worn without the duty belt. Additionally, the brass buckle trouser belt may be worn in conjunction with the duty belt. The primary weapon shall be worn at all times while in uniform and may be worn with an approved holster on the brass buckle trouser belt. The purchase and replacement cost of the belt, which is available at the Academy PX, is at the employee's expense.

ii. Blue Undergarment Shirt. The navy blue undergarment shirt may be worn in accordance with Chapter 1 and Chapter 2, General Requirements, of this manual. The navy blue undergarment shall be constructed of 95 percent polyester/5 percent Lycra or elastane, with a crew neck. The authorized undergarment is available through the Academy PX.

jj. Investigator Rapid Deployment Vest. The Investigator Rapid Deployment Vest (IRDV) is available for uniformed employees who are in plain clothes, assigned to vehicle theft investigation units, investigative services units, or drug task forces. The IRDV shall be readily available to wear on call-outs, while

assisting allied agencies, or whenever ballistic protection and officer safety equipment are needed, and the lack of identification could pose a threat to officer safety.

(1) The following are circumstances which would allow the wearing of the IRDV:

(a) When investigative personnel are in plain clothes and are required to transition from an investigative mode to an enforcement mode.

(b) When an investigator in civilian attire, on or off duty, has a need to be identified as a member of the CHP.

(2) The IRDV is approved to be worn by the following personnel:

(a) Uniformed investigative personnel subject to a call-out after their normal shift.

(b) Uniformed personnel who wear plain clothes while on duty.

(c) Personnel currently approved to wear the investigator jacket (raid vest), with Division commander approval.

(3) The IRDV shall not be worn while in uniform.

kk. Tactical Flight Vest. The Tactical Flight Vest (TFV) is a holster-equipped vest available for wear exclusively by uniformed employees assigned to the Air Operations Program. The design of the vest allows the wearer to carry required officer safety equipment, as well as other equipment required by the air operation's mission. The TFV provides a safe transition between flight and ground operations.

(1) The TFV is authorized for all flight crew members during all operations and shall only be worn with the Nomex® flight suit.

(2) Placement of equipment on the TFV shall ensure the ability for the TFV to be worn in flight and shall not interfere with aircraft or vehicle safety belts.

ll. Load Bearing Vest. Tan and blue load bearing vests (LBV) consistent with the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2, Uniform Items, have been approved as an optional uniform item. The LBV shall only be worn with its respective uniform color. Authorized wearers of the Battle Dress Uniform (BDUs) (commercial and canine officers) are authorized to wear the blue LBV. Tan LBVs shall not be worn with BDUs. Load Bearing Vests shall not be worn with SRT equipment, or during any SRT training activity or deployment, regardless of LBV color. The LBVs shall be maintained and kept clean, following the cleaning instructions listed in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2. The LBV shall be worn with the

approved LBV base layer uniform shirt, as specified in paragraph 2.mm. Jackets shall not be worn under or over the vest. The blue LBV may be worn over the cold weather jumpsuit.

- (1) Only the following items may be attached to the LBV: Rapid Containment Baton and holder, oleoresin capsicum spray and holder, medical pouch (the medical pouch shall not exceed 4 x 6 x 4 in), radio and holder, handcuff case, mobile video and audio recorder, microphone and holder, and body worn camera. Equipment holders shall match the color/material of the LBV.

mm. Load Bearing Vest Base Layer Uniform Shirts. The men's and women's regular and cold weather, tan or blue, base layer uniform shirts are the only shirts authorized to be worn under the LBV. The base layer uniform shirt shall match the color of the LBV worn and must be consistent with the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2. The collar of the base layer uniform shirt shall not be worn tucked under the vest. The collar shall be visible while wearing the LBV.

nn. External Rifle Rated Body Armor and Carrier. External rifle rated body armor (ERRBA) and carriers consistent with the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2, may be purchased using personal funds and utilized on duty. Uniformed personnel may only wear the ERRBA and carrier when responding to, or actively involved in, an incident with elevated risk where a greater chance of being engaged by a suspect with a firearm exists (e.g., high-risk stops, warrant services, response to active shooters, scene containments for suspects of felonious crimes).

- (1) The ERRBA and carrier are intended to be worn on the outside of the uniform or clothing, as needed, and to be carried while on patrol or in any other enforcement capacity.
- (2) Whenever the ERRBA and carrier are worn, soft body armor shall be worn underneath.
- (3) The ERRBA carrier may be fitted with pouches to carry additional rifle/pistol magazines and a first aid/trauma kit for tactical response and immediate access to items identified as being crucial during critical incidents.
- (4) To prevent theft, ERRBAs and carriers shall be stored in bags or containers and secured within departmental vehicles where they shall not be identifiable.
- (5) Prior to being carried in the field, a supervisor shall inspect the ERRBA and carrier to ensure they meet the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2.

(6) The following items may be purchased, at personal expense, and attached to the ERRBA carrier:

- (a) Pouches for up to two additional tactical rifle magazines.
- (b) Maximum of two additional pistol magazines.
- (c) Maximum of 18 rounds of 12-gauge 00 buckshot.
- (d) A first aid/trauma kit.
- (e) Two utility pouches.

oo. Tourniquet Carrying Case. Tourniquet carrying cases consistent with the specifications contained in Annex A of this chapter may be requisitioned from the Supply Services Catalog (Item Code: 04-206-01) or purchased using personal funds and utilized on duty.

(1) The North American Rescue Rigid Gen 7 C-A-T® Tourniquet Case is the only tourniquet carrying case approved for wear.

(2) The tourniquet carrying case may be worn on the duty belt or affixed to a metal bracket specifically designed for the primary duty weapon holster which meets the following characteristics:

- (a) A metal bracket, black in color, specifically designed for use with the duty holster which securely mounts between the holster and shank, and allows for the approved tourniquet case to be mounted in front of the holster.

(3) The placement and use of such a bracket shall not interfere with the function of the primary duty holster or detract from the appearance of the uniform.

(4) Prior to being carried in the field, an Academy-trained range officer, or a supervisor, shall inspect the tourniquet carrying case bracket to ensure it is properly installed.

NOTE: The medical insignia which is attached by a hook-and-loop fastener shall be removed prior to wearing the tourniquet carrying case on duty.

pp. Gun Belt Support Suspenders. The Back Defender™, available for purchase from Back Defense Systems, is authorized for wear while on duty.

(1) The gun belt support suspenders shall be worn under the uniform shirt and shall not be visible.

(2) The gun belt support suspenders shall not be positioned in a manner which interferes with the safety equipment.

(3) The purchase, repair, or replacement of gun belt support suspenders shall be at the employee's expense.

qq. Holster, Aerosol Projector. All uniformed employees at the rank of captain and below may carry the Department-issued aerosol projector on the duty belt. The canister shall be carried in a specifically designed holster. Refer to HPM 70.6, Officer Safety Manual, Chapter 26, Aerosol Subject Restraint, for policy on the departmental aerosol subject restraint (oleoresin capicum) spray.

rr. Removable Hook-and-Loop Name and ID Badges. Removable hook-and-loop name and ID badges consistent with the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2, may be purchased with personal funds and affixed to the utility uniform.

NOTE: Employees choosing to utilize the hook-and-loop option shall have a name badge and ID badge readily available on their person when wearing the utility uniform. The name badge shall be worn at all times, unless an incident commander at the scene of a civil disturbance directs personnel to utilize the ID badge.

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ANNEX A

GENERAL GUIDELINES—OPTIONAL UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT

1. CAP—SUMMER (CANE SIDE)—COMMISSIONERS, CHIEFS, ASSISTANT CHIEFS. Material: All-wool elastique.



Picture 6-1

Cap—Summer (Cane Side)—Commissioners, Chiefs, and Assistant Chiefs

2. STRAW CAMPAIGN HAT. Color: To be California Tan that substantially matches other uniform items.



Picture 6-2

Straw Campaign Hat

3. CAP—COLD WEATHER. Color: Dark blue or black.



Picture 6-3
Cap—Cold Weather (Flaps Up)



Picture 6-4
Cap—Cold Weather (Flaps Down)

4. KNIT CAP (BEANIE).

a. Material. 100 percent acrylic with the departmental winged-wheel embroidered on the front. The winged-wheel shall measure 62.0 mm ($\pm .1$ mm), measured from wing tip to wing tip, and 66.0 mm ($\pm .1$ mm), measured from the curvature apex of the top ribbon to the curvature apex of the bottom ribbon.

b. Color. Dark navy blue.

c. Reflective Strip. Shall measure 10 mm in height and be silver in color.

d. Style. The beanie shall fold upwards at 3 1/4 inches to allow the winged-wheel and reflective strip to be centered both vertically and horizontally on the fold.



Picture 6-5
Knit Cap (Beanie) Front



Picture 6-6
Knit Cap (Beanie) Back

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5. CHP COTTON UTILITY (BASEBALL) CAP.

- a. Material. One hundred percent cotton cloth, with copyrighted CHP five-color shield-shaped patch, approximately 2 3/4 inches by 3 3/8 inches, placed on front of cap.
- b. Color. Navy blue.



Picture 6-7
Baseball Cap (Front)



Picture 6-8
Baseball Cap (Side)



Picture 6-9
Baseball Cap (Back)

6. CHP SIX-PANEL ADJUSTABLE SNAPBACK (BASEBALL) CAP.

- a. Material. Crown, bill, button, and back panels shall be polyester twill; sweatband shall be plush spandex; direct embroidered five-color, shield-shaped patch, approximately 2 3/4 inches by 3 3/8 inches, placed on front of cap.
- b. Color. Navy blue.
- c. Style. The approved version of the snapback (baseball) cap is available at the Academy PX only.



Picture 6-10
Baseball Cap (Front)



Picture 6-11
Baseball Cap (Side)



Picture 6-12
Baseball Cap (Back)

7. SHORT-SLEEVED SHIRT.

- a. Material. The 65 percent polyester and 35 percent rayon dry-clean only blend.
- b. Color. Silver Tan.



Picture 6-13
Short-Sleeved Shirt (Front)



Picture 6-14
Short-Sleeved Shirt (Back)

8. TROUSERS—LIGHTWEIGHT.

- a. Material. Wool and blended fabric; 55 percent Dacron polyester and 45 percent wool elastique is the only acceptable blend.
- b. Color. Silver Tan.

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9. LEATHER MOTORCYCLE JACKET.

- a. Material. Genuine horsehide.
- b. Color. Black.



Picture 6-15
Leather Motorcycle Jacket (Front)



Picture 6-16
Leather Motorcycle Jacket (Back)

10. LEATHER MOTORCYCLE JACKET INSIGNIA OF RANK.

- a. Material. Genuine leather.
- b. Color. Silver Tan.
- c. Dimensions. Shall match the specification contained in Highway Patrol Guide 73.6, Uniform and Equipment Specifications Guide, Chapter 4, Uniform Accouterments.

11. COLD WEATHER PARKA.

- a. Color. Navy blue.
- b. Style. Thigh-length with combination collar-hood. To be loose fit with a base length of 37 inches.



Picture 6-17
Cold Weather Parka (Front)



Picture 6-18
Cold Weather Parka (Back)

12. ACADEMY OUTSIDE TRAINING UNIFORM. Material, color, and style will be determined by the Academy commander.

13. COLD WEATHER JUMPSUIT.

- a. Material. Exterior shell to be fire-retardant and water-repellant.
- b. Color. Navy blue, special dye-treated for color fastness.

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Picture 6-19
Cold Weather Jumpsuit (Front)



Picture 6-20
Cold Weather Jumpsuit (Back)

14. MOCK TURTLENECK.

- a. Material. 93 percent cotton and 7 percent Lycra.
- b. Color. Navy blue, without design or logo.
- c. Style. $2 \pm 1/16$ inch collar.



Picture 6-21
Mock Turtleneck

15. MOCK DICKEY.

- a. Material. 93 percent cotton and 7 percent Lycra.
- b. Color. Navy blue, without design or logo.
- c. Style. 2 ±1/16 inch collar.



Picture 6-22
Mock Dickey

16. SCARF.

- a. Material. Silk or wool.
- b. Color. Navy blue, without design.

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17. GLOVES.

- a. Material. Leather or fabric.
- b. Color.
 - (1) Leather. Black or natural finish.
 - (2) Fabric. Black or tan.

18. HONOR GUARD ACCOUTERMENTS.

- a. Ascot.
 - (1) Material. Rayon.
 - (2) Color. White.
- b. Gloves.
 - (1) Material. Cotton and nylon blend fabric.
 - (2) Color. White.
- c. Aiguillette.
 - (1) Material. Nylon.
 - (2) Color. White.



Picture 6-23
Honor Guard Accouterments

19. BELT KEY STRAP—DUTY BELT.

- a. Material. Leather, 6 to 7 ounces.
- b. Color. Black.



Picture 6-24
Belt Key Strap (Closed)



Picture 6-25
Belt Key Strap (Open)

20. BELT SLIDE LOOP (KEEPER)—DUTY BELT.

- a. Material. Leather, 6 to 7 ounces.

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- b. Color. Black.
- c. Style. Basketweave with brass snaps.



Picture 6-26
Belt Slide Loop

21. FLASHLIGHT RING.

- a. Material. Leather, 7 ounces.
- b. Color. Black.



Picture 6-27
Flashlight Ring

22. FLASHLIGHT HOLDER.

- a. Material. Leather, basketweave.
- b. Color. Black.

23. KNIFE HOLDER.

- a. Material. Leather, 7 ounces.
- b. Color. Black.



Picture 6-28
Knife Holder (Front, Back, Side)

24. TIE CLASP.

- a. Material. Metal.
- b. Color. Gold.
- c. Style. Plain or textured, with or without emblem.



Picture 6-29
Tie Clasp

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25. TIE BAR.

- a. Material. Metal.
- b. Color. Gold.
- c. Style. Textured, with or without emblem.



Picture 6-30
Tie Bar

26. TIE TACK.

- a. Material. Metal.
- b. Color. Gold.
- c. Other Styles. Oval, blue stone bezel tie tack, approximately 3/4 inch in diameter, Josten's style #166 or equal.



Picture 6-31
Tie Tack

27. ADMINISTRATIVE SAFETY RECOGNITION EMBLEM—TIE BAR (NO LONGER ISSUED).

- a. Material. Metal.
- b. Color. Gold.

28. ADMINISTRATIVE SAFETY RECOGNITION EMBLEM—TIE TACK (NO LONGER ISSUED).

- a. Material. Metal.
- b. Color. Gold.

29. AUTHORIZED MEDALS AND PINS.

- a. Shooting Classification Medal.
 - (1) Material. Metal.
 - (2) Color. Gold.



Picture 6-32
Shooting Classification Medal (Expert)



Picture 6-33
Shooting Classification Medal (Master)

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- b. State of California 25-Year Service Pin. Style: As awarded by the State of California.



Picture 6-34
25-Year Service Pin

- c. State of California 25-Year Service Tie Bar. Style: As awarded by the State of California.
- d. Special Act or Service Pin. Style: As awarded by the State of California.
- e. 10851 Pin—Initial Award.
- (1) Material. Copper with gold plating.
 - (2) Color. White with blue lettering.
- f. 10851 Pin—Master Award.
- (1) Material. Copper with gold plating.
 - (2) Color. Blue with gold lettering.
- g. 10851 Pin—Lifetime Achievement Award.
- (1) Material. Copper with gold plating.
 - (2) Color. Gold with blue lettering.

h. Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic Pin.

(1) Material. All metal.

(2) Color. Light blue, gold, and white.



Picture 6-35
Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic Pin

i. Emergency Medical Technician-I Pin (No Longer Issued, Replacement Only).

(1) Material. All metal.

(2) Color. Gold, white, and blue.



Picture 6-36
Emergency Medical Technician-I Pin

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j. Emergency Medical Responder Pin.

- (1) Material. All metal.
- (2) Color. Light blue, gold, and white with red lettering.



Picture 6-37
Emergency Medical Responder Pin

k. Field Training Officer Pin.

- (1) Material. Metal with gold plating.
- (2) Color. Gold and blue.



Picture 6-38
Field Training Officer Pin

l. Annual Fitness Challenge Pin.

- (1) Material. Metal with gold plating.

(2) Color. Gold, blue, black, and white.



Picture 6-39
Annual Fitness Challenge Pin

m. Officer-of-the-Year Pin. The Officer-of-the-Year pin shall be representative of the stature and prestige of the Department and shall not detract from the uniformed employee's appearance. The maximum area encompassed by the pin shall not exceed 1 square inch.

n. United States Flag Pin.

(1) Material. All metal.

(2) Color. Gold, red, white, and blue.



Picture 6-40
United States Flag Pin

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o. United States Military Flag Pin.

- (1) Material. All metal.
- (2) Color. Gold, red, white, and blue.

p. Drug Recognition Expert/Drug Recognition Expert Instructor Pin.

- (1) Material. All metal.
- (2) Color. Gold and blue.



Picture 6-41
Drug Recognition Expert Pin



Picture 6-42
Drug Recognition Expert Instructor Pin

q. Memorial Pin.

- (1) Material. Zinc.
- (2) Color. Enamel with gold plating.



Picture 6-43
Memorial Pin

- r. Mothers Against Drunk Driving (23152) Pin. Style: As awarded by the organization, Mothers Against Drunk Driving.



Picture 6-44
Mothers Against Drunk Driving (23152) Pin

- s. Special Response Team Pin.

(1) Material. Metal.

(2) Color. Gold



Picture 6-45
Special Response Team Pin

- t. Multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team Pin.

(1) Material. Metal.

(2) Color. Gold.

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Picture 6-46

Multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team Pin

30. CALL-OUT JACKET.

- a. Material. Outer shell, 100 percent polyester microfiber; inner shell, 100 percent nylon taffeta.
- b. Color. Navy blue.



Picture 6-47

Call-Out Jacket (Front)



Picture 6-48

Call-Out Jacket (Front, with Cloth Badge)



Picture 6-49
Call-Out Jacket (Back)



Picture 6-50
Call-Out Jacket (Back, with CHP
Identification Patch)

31. RAINWEAR.

- a. Rain Jacket. Color: Yellow with reflectorized tape.



Picture 6-51
Rain Jacket (Front)

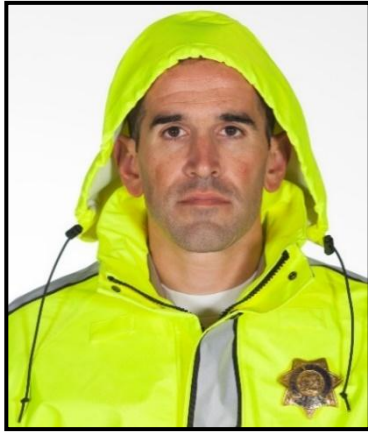


Picture 6-52
Rain Jacket (Back)

- b. Rain Hood. Color: Yellow.

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Picture 6-53
Rain Hood (Front)



Picture 6-54
Rain Hood (Side)

- c. Rain Pants. Color: Yellow with reflectorized tape.



Picture 6-55
Rain Pants (Front)



Picture 6-56
Rain Pants (Side)



Picture 6-57
Rain Pants (Back)

32. BRASS BUCKLE TROUSER BELT. Belt to be 8- to 9-ounce top-grain cowhide, basketweave design. Buckle to be brass and accept polish.



Picture 6-58
Brass Buckle Trouser Belt

33. BLUE UNDERGARMENT SHIRT.

- a. Material. 95 percent polyester and 5 percent Lycra or elastane.
- b. Style. Crew neck T-shirt.
- c. Color. Navy blue.



Picture 6-59
Blue Undergarment Shirt

34. INVESTIGATOR RAPID DEPLOYMENT VEST.

- a. Material. Black nylon vest body.

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- b. Must be capable of providing ballistic protection equal to, or greater than, existing departmental soft body armor requirements.
- c. Modular Lightweight Load-Carrying Equipment (MOLLE), loop-equipped for the attachment of equipment pouches.
- d. Shall have “POLICE” on front and rear of vest.
 - (1) Front: “POLICE” in approximately 1 1/2-inch yellow letters.
 - (2) Rear: “POLICE” in approximately 2-inch yellow letters.
- e. Shall have the officer’s identification number or name on front in compliance with Section 830.10 PC.
- f. Shall be equipped with pouches capable of carrying required officer safety equipment.



Picture 6-60
Investigator Rapid Deployment Vest
(Front)



Picture 6-61
Investigator Rapid Deployment Vest
(Back)

35. TACTICAL FLIGHT VEST.

- a. Material. Black synthetic (e.g., nylon, polyester) mesh material of a MOLLE design for the attachment of equipment pouches.
 - (1) All MOLLE panels and fasteners shall be bar tack stitched for durability and retention.
 - (2) At a minimum, binding seams and zipper attachments shall be double-stitched.
- b. Zippered front for retention.
- c. Ability to be worn over Department-issued soft body armor.
- d. Load-bearing/weight-dispersing.
- e. Shall have on the front of the vest:
 - (1) Upper left chest: Cloth CHP badge.
 - (2) Upper right chest: Aviation identification nameplate with departmental wings.
- f. Accessories authorized for use on the Tactical Flight Vest (TFV) shall be black in color and limited to the following:
 - (1) Holster with retention for departmentally issued firearm.
 - (2) Double magazine pouch for departmentally issued firearm magazines.
 - (3) Handcuff case.
 - (4) Collapsible straight baton holder.
 - (5) Oleoresin capsicum (OC) spray holster (OC shall not be carried during flight operations).
 - (6) Radio holder.
 - (7) Flashlight holder.
 - (8) Small miscellaneous pouches for survival equipment, medical equipment, folding knife, etc.
 - (9) Administration pouch for cell phone, steno pad, etc.

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(10) Helicopter Emergency Egress Device and Personal Helicopter Oxygen Device pouches.

- g. Any additional equipment the wearer wishes to include on their TFCV must be approved by the Office of Air Operations.

36. BAGPIPER UNIFORM ITEMS.



Picture 6-62
Spats



Picture 6-63
Kilt Pin



Picture 6-64
Kilt Hose with Flashes



Picture 6-65
Sgian Dubh (in Right Sock)



Picture 6-66
Sgian Dubh



Picture 6-67
Glengarry



Picture 6-68
Horsehair Sporran

37. TOURNIQUET CARRYING CASE.

- a. Material. Injection-molded nylon, basketweave design.
- a. Color. Black.



Picture 6-69
Tourniquet Carrying Case



Picture 6-70
Tourniquet Carrying Case—Affixed
with Metal Bracket

38. HOLSTER, AEROSOL PROJECTOR.

- a. Material. Leather, 6- to 7-ounce.
- b. Color. Black.

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Picture 6-71

Holster, Aerosol Projector (Front)



Picture 6-72

Holster, Aerosol Projector (Side)

39. GUN BELT SUPPORT SUSPENDERS.

- a. Material. Natural or synthetic materials, fitted to the individual wearer.
- b. Color. Black.



Picture 6-73

Gun Belt Support Suspenders (Front)



Picture 6-74

Gun Belt Support Suspenders (Back)



Picture 6-75
Gun Belt Support Suspenders (Attached to Duty Belt)

40. LOAD BEARING VEST.

- a. Material. Combination of 500-denier Cordura and/or laser cut material with 100 percent nylon-woven fabric and 100 percent nylon hexagon ripstop.
- (1) Color. Silver Tan, Tan 12200, or Midnight Navy, per CHP specifications.
- b. Model. Point Blank Silver-Tan GDCM023D0J or Safariland Tan DE7055.
- c. Specifications. Shall match the specifications contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2.
- d. Cleaning Instructions. Shall adhere to the cleaning instructions contained in HPG 73.6, Chapter 2.



Picture 6-76
Point Blank
Load Bearing Vest (Silver-Tan)



Picture 6-77
Point Blank
Load Bearing Vest (Midnight Navy)

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Picture 6-78
Safariland
Load Bearing Vest (Tan)

41. LOAD BEARING VEST EQUIPMENT ITEMS. Only the following items may be attached to the LBV.

a. Rapid Containment Baton and holder.

(1) Material. Cordura Nylon.

(2) Color. Tan.

(3) Model. Point Blank PCHFB2Z5 or Safariland TP14A.



Picture 6-79
Point Blank

Holster, Rapid Containment Baton



Picture 6-80
Safariland

Holster, Rapid Containment Baton

b. Oleoresin Capsicum Spray and holder.

- (1) Material. 500D Nylon and Cordura Nylon.
- (2) Color. Tan.
- (3) Model. Point Blank PCHSP1AC0J or Safariland TP13.



Picture 6-81
Point Blank
Holster, Aerosol Projector



Picture 6-82
Safariland
Holster, Aerosol Projector

c. Medical Pouch.

- (1) Material. 500D Nylon.
- (2) Color. Tan.
- (3) Model. Point Blank PCHMD0040J.



Picture 6-83
Point Blank
Medical Pouch

d. Radio and holder.

- (1) Material. Cordura Nylon and 500D Nylon.
- (2) Color. Tan.
- (3) Model. Point Blank PCHRD6ACZ5 or Safariland TP21A.



Picture 6-84
Safariland
Radio Pouch



Picture 6-85
Point Blank
Radio Pouch

e. Handcuff case.

- (1) Material. Cordura Nylon and 500D Nylon.
- (2) Color. Tan.
- (3) Model. Point Blank PCHHC0AC0J or Safariland TP17.



Picture 6-86
Safariland
Handcuff Case



Picture 6-87
Point Blank
Handcuff Case

42. LOAD BEARING VEST BASE LAYER UNIFORM SHIRTS.

a. Blue Base Layer Uniform Shirt.

(1) Material. Shall be 65/35 polyester/cotton blend with ARMS Technology, 4.1 ounce two-way mechanical stretch woven with 2mm by 2mm double micro ripstop, Teflon® stain repellent finish, double dye fabric for superior 50 color fastness, 100 percent polyester anti-snag jersey body with wicking and anti-odor finish, 230gsm full dull knit jersey, melamine buttons.

(2) Color. Midnight Navy blue.

(3) Models. Short-sleeved First Tactical 112012 Men's V2 Pro Performance Shirt. Long-sleeved First Tactical 111015 Men's V2 Pro Performance Shirt. Short-sleeved First Tactical 122012 Women's V2 Pro Performance Shirt. Long-sleeved First Tactical 121015 Women's V2 Pro Performance Shirt.

(4) Design. Woven fabric on sleeves, collar, placket and yoke.

(5) Sizing. Sizes for blue base layer uniform shirts are defined as follows:

(a) Men: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from extra small to XXXX-large, regular and tall length.

(b) Women: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from extra small to XX-large, regular length, women's fit.



Picture 6-88,
Base Layer Uniform Shirt,
Short-Sleeved



Picture 6-89,
Base Layer Uniform Shirt,
Long-Sleeved

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b. Tan Base Layer Uniform Shirt.

(1) Material. Primary shirt fabric shall be 74/24/2 with PURE designed for moisture wicking and soil resistance, excellent color retention, and easy care.

(a) Optional Fabric. 100 percent Sorbtek Ripstop with EXS Stretch. Knit mesh fabric shall be a S9T110 birdseye mesh with anti-bacterial and moisture wicking treatments.

(2) Color. The CHP Tan.

(3) Models. Short-sleeved Spiewak SBL70CA (Poly/Wool). Long-sleeved Spiewak SBL75CA (Poly/Wool). Short-sleeved Spiewak SBL60CA (Ripstop). Long-sleeved Spiewak SBL65CA (Ripstop).

(4) Style. Shall be constructed to give the appearance of a standard uniform shirt when worn with the Load Bearing Vest with the body of the shirt to be made of anti-bacterial and moisture-wicking knit mesh for comfort.

(5) Sizing. Sizes for tan base layer uniform shirts are defined as follows:

(a) Men: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from XX-small to XXXX-large, regular and tall length.

(b) Women: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from small to XXX-large, regular length, women's fit; female bust size: 30 through 48, even sizes only.



Picture 6-90,
Base Layer Uniform Shirt,
Short-Sleeved



Picture 6-91,
Base Layer Uniform Shirt,
Long-Sleeved

c. Tan or Blue Cold Weather Base Layer Uniform Shirt.

(1) Color. CHP Tan or Midnight Navy blue to coincide with matching load bearing vest.

(2) Lightweight Version (SBL45CA).

(a) Material. Water-resistant three-layer softshell fabric in the upper chest and arms, treated with a Durable Water Repellent (DWR) finish. The middle layer to be a waterproof, breathable TPU membrane bonded between the outer and inner layers. Backed with 50D tricot, with an overall weight of 195 gsm.

(b) Style. Radio-Frequency Identification-blocking zippered pockets on the forearms, located on the left and right sleeves. The elasticized cuffs include a Velcro tab for size adjustment. Birdseye mesh (190 gsm) with antimicrobial and moisture-wicking properties in lower torso and underarm sections of the sleeves.

NOTE: All components to be free of perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS).

(3) Heavyweight Version (SBL59CA).

(a) Material. Water-resistant three-layer softshell fabric in the upper chest and arms, treated with a DWR finish. The middle layer to be a

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waterproof, breathable TPU membrane bonded between the outer and inner layers. Backed with anti-pill microfleece, with an overall weight of 315 gsm.

(b) Style. Radio-Frequency Identification-blocking zippered pockets on the forearms, located on the left and right sleeves. The elasticized cuffs include a Velcro tab for size adjustment. Birdseye mesh (190gsm) with antimicrobial and moisture-wicking properties in lower torso and underarm sections of the sleeves.

(4) Pro Duty Softshell Pullover (111018).

(a) Material. Body 85 percent nylon and 15 percent spandex. With four-way stretch softshell. Water and wind resistant.

(b) Style. Soft brushed fleece insulated arm, shoulder, and collar. Non-insulated body. Fade, shrink, and wrinkle resistant. High raglan sleeve construction. Split yoke. Running side gusset for maximum movement and 1/4 zip front placket. Longer body length without bottom slit stays tucked in. Adjustable hook and loop cuff closure. Bar tacks at all stress points. Internal locker loop and ID write bar inside. Fold-down collar. 1 in. drop on shirt back. Straight hem, internal locker loop, embroidered logo, zip through front neckline.



Picture 6-92
Softshell Pullover

NOTE: All components to be free of PFAS.

(5) Sizing. Sizes for all cold weather shirts are defined as follows:

(a) Men: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from small to XXX-large, regular and tall length.

(b) Women: Long- and short-sleeved ranging from small to XXX-large, regular length, women's fit; female bust size: 30 through 48, even sizes only.