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Media Release

Promotion Ceremony for NHP Captain Dennis Osborn to the Rank of Major on August 26th at DPS Headquarters in Carson City

The Nevada Highway Patrol is pleased to announce the promotion ceremony for NHP Captain Dennis Osborn to the rank of Major scheduled to take place today Monday, August 26th, at the Department of Public Safety Headquarters building in Carson City.

Captain Osborn has served with the Department for over 21 years and joined the Nevada Highway Patrol as a Trooper in November of 1992 where his first duty stations were Pahrump and Indian Springs. In December 1999, he promoted to the rank of Sergeant and supervised troopers in Tonopah and Reno before receiving a promotion to the rank of Lieutenant in December of 2005. Lieutenant Osborn was promoted to the rank of Captain in February, 2007 where he served with the Parole and Probation Division of the Department of Public Safety for just over one year. He returned to NHP in March 2008, and served as the operations commander in Reno until July, 2011, when he received his latest assignment serving at the Office of the Chief in Carson City. Additionally, he served as the DPS Honor Guard Commander from July 2007 through January 2013. Captain Osborn earned an Associates Degree in Criminal Justice in 1991 and a Bachelor's Degree in Public Administration in 2009. He was also awarded the Nevada P.O.S.T. Executive Certificate in 2008 and is a member of the International Association of the Chiefs of Police.

When he is promoted on Monday, Major Dennis Osborn will be assigned as the Deputy Chief of the Nevada Highway Patrol-Southern Command area headquartered in Las Vegas where he will oversee the daily operations and lead over 250 sworn and civilian personnel. Major Osborn is replacing Major Kevin Tice who recently retired after serving 25 years with the department.

What: Promotion ceremony for Captain Dennis Osborn to the rank of Major When: Monday, August 26, 2013 Where: Department of Public Safety-NHP Headquarters Address: 555 Wright Way, Carson City Time: 2:00 pm

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