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Media Release

The Nevada Department of Public Safety Prepares to Begin Wearing New Uniform this Upcoming Year

Wear testing, pricing and design have been completed and the new Nevada Department of Public Safety's uniforms will be available for field operations beginning January 1st, 2017.

State employees will have up to two years to make the transition from the preexisting navy blue uniforms currently in use to the new gray uniforms (see attached photos).

We want to make sure the public is aware that if they happen to have interaction with law enforcement officers identifying themselves as the Nevada Highway Patrol or a DPS officer dressed in an the new gray colored uniform, they are Department of Public Safety officers with all powers and jurisdictions associated with that position.

Lieutenant Blair Harkleroad is in possession of one of the new uniforms and will be available for interviews if desired. His office number is 775-687-1511.

Again, we wanted to thank you in assisting us getting this message out to the public in a preemptive effort to alleviate any issues we may have with this transition to our new uniform.



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