DEPARTMENT BULLETIN



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SFPD Implementation of Assembly Bill 953, "The Racial and Identity Profiling Act of 2015"

The California Department of Justice, acting under authority granted by the California Legislature by AB953, has mandated that all law enforcement agencies in the state electronically collect demographic data for all stops.

The department will cease use of eStops on July 1, 2018 and begin use of the state mandated Stops Data Collection System (SDCS), provided by the California DOJ.

Under state generated regulations, officers will no longer be authorized to request demographic data directly or via CADL – officers will instead be required to utilize their perception of the individual stopped.

A department bulletin with additional guidance and training is in development, and will be issued prior to implementation.

All officers should familiarize themselves with the associated regulations for AB953. Link to associated regulations for <u>AB953</u>.

WILLIAM SCOTT Chief of Police

Per DB 17-080, both sworn and non-sworn members are required to electronically acknowledge receipt and review of this Department Bulletin in HRMS.