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Subject: **7.1.4 PHYSICAL SURVEILLANCE AND PLANNED ARREST OPERATIONS**

The attached manual section, **7.1.4 PHYSICAL SURVEILLANCE AND PLANNED ARREST OPERATIONS** is a new policy addition and has been approved for insertion into the Long Beach Police Department Manual.

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Attachment

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The Investigations Bureau shall review this policy on a three-year cycle.

Officers conducting physical surveillance or planned arrest operations shall do so with the utmost awareness of the risks to bystanders, officers, and the suspect(s). Officers shall continually assess the dangers and risks posed by the operation and whether the need to immediately apprehend the suspect outweighs the risks. These risk factors include but are not limited to the following:

- Location of arrest,
- Severity of the crime,
- Known weapons,
- Suspect's criminal history.

For operations outside the City of Long Beach, refer to LBPD Manual § 7.3.7 *FOREIGN JURISDICTION – POLICE INVESTIGATIONS OUTSIDE THE CITY OF LONG BEACH*.

7.1.4.1 OFFICER RESPONSIBILITIES

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Officers shall do the following prior to the operation:

- Develop a plan and brief involved officers,
- Notify their supervisor.

7.1.4.2 SUPERVISOR RESPONSIBILITIES

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Supervisors shall do the following prior to the operation:

- Review the plan,
- Ensure adequate resources are available,
- Notify the Watch Commander when enforcement action is anticipated,
- Notify the Communications Center, unless otherwise approved by the Watch Commander.