

**SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORDER**

DATE/TIME: JANUARY 8, 2020 - 1500 HOURS

NUMBER: OR 20-02

SUBJECT: CHANGES TO IDENTIFICATION PROCEDURES

COST CENTER: 1914141213

SCOPE: ALL MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT PROCEDURE AFFECTED: 4.02

As a result of the passage of Senate Bill (SB) 923, significant changes have been made regarding how live line-ups and photo line-ups are presented and documented. These changes have been codified with the amendment of section 859.7 of the California Penal Code, which took effect January 1, 2020. San Diego Police Department members presenting photo or live line-ups shall familiarize themselves with these changes. New templates have been developed and have been placed in the F-Drive, Templates, Investigative Forms, Identification Procedures. Department members shall cease using the old templates immediately, since they are no longer compliant with the law.

Department Procedure 4.02 – Witness Identification will be amended to reflect this Department Order.

Any questions regarding this order can be directed to Lieutenant Matt Dobbs, Homicide Unit, at (619) 531-2425.

Please read at squad conferences and give a copy to all personnel.