SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDER

DATE/TIME: JUNE 8, 2023 1500 HOURS

NUMBER: OR 23-15

SUBJECT: CHATGTP AI AND ALTERNATIVE AI MODEL USAGE

SCOPE: ALL MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT PROCEDURE AFFECTED: 1.45

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ChatGTP (Chat Generative Pre-Trained Transformer) AI and alternative models can format and generate human-like responses entered via prompts from a user. These responses can be in the form of essays, articles, and other text. These responses are not always accurate, truthful, and are unreliable. They also expose the Department computers to unknown security concerns.

Effective immediately, all Department personnel shall discontinue the use of any sort of ChatGTP AI or its alternatives. If you believe you have an operational need for such a program, authorization shall be obtained via the Deputy Director of Information Services and the Chief of Police, or their designee.

For immediate help or any questions, please call the SDPD Help Desk at (Deleted – records of security).

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