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**Seniority Stripes**  
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This bulletin is to remind members of the update to the Department's Seniority Stripes uniform policy (D.G.O. 10.01, L.G.). The revision to the Department policy allows for seniority stripes to be worn by all officers, including commissioned officers. Each seniority stripe represents five years of law enforcement service. The five-year increments apply to law enforcement service both within the San Francisco Police Department and service provided to other law enforcement agencies.

Wearing seniority stripes on uniforms is optional. Seniority stripes shall not be placed on commissioned officers formal, class AA long coat. Seniority stripes may be placed only on the "Ike" jacket and/or on the long-sleeved uniform shirt, centered on the left forearm.

  
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