



California Exposition and State Fair Police Department

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DEPARTMENTAL GENERAL ORDER

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POLITICAL ACTIVITY IN POLICE UNIFORM OR WHILE ON STATE-TIME

400.801 PURPOSE

- A. The purpose of this general order is to establish policy concerning political activity while in the official uniform of the California Exposition and State Fair Police Department.

400.802 POLICY

- A. Wearing the CE&SFP Uniform.

1. No officer or employee of the California Exposition and State Fair Police Department shall participate in any political activities, including but not limited to, appearing as a candidate or supporting a candidate for public office, either in person or in any visual media while wearing the official uniform or clearly identifiable official California Exposition and State Fair Police Department patch or badge.
2. This does not apply to any officer assigned by this Department to a political function to act as a peace officer.

- B. Political Activity on State Time.

1. No officer or employee of the California Exposition and State Fair Police Department shall engage in any political activity during state duty time as prohibited in California Government Code § 19990 (g).
2. California Government Code § 19990 (g) describes the following activity as incompatible and inconsistent with State employment: “*Subject to any other laws, rules, or regulations as pertain thereto, not devoting his or her full time, attention, and efforts to his or her state office or employment during his or her hours of duty as a state officer or employee*”.