

# HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT

## POLICY SUPPORT OPERATIONS

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### WITNESS PROTECTION

#### POLICY

The Honolulu Police Department (HPD) participates in the statewide witness security and protection program authorized by Chapter 28, Section 101, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

- I. The Witness Protection Program shall be the responsibility of the Specialized Services Division (SSD).
- II. Guidelines for staffing, assistance to HPD elements, and the upkeep of necessary records shall be appropriately spelled out in the division's manual of operations.

#### PROCEDURE

#### GUIDELINES

- I. Special city and state funds allocated to the SSD shall be used for witness protection.
- II. A division may apply for witness protection by contacting the SSD commander or executive officer.
- III. Applications shall be completed and forwarded to the Chief of Police for approval.

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IV. Divisions shall be notified upon approval of their applications.

  
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Chief of Police

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