3-03/360.00 - Rain Wear

Department-issued rain wear for deputy sheriff and corrections officer personnel shall be yellow and consist of a jacket and a pair of pants. The rain jacket shall be imprinted with the word "SHERIFF" on the back, a replica of the Sheriff's Shoulder Patch on both sleeves, and a replica of the Sheriff's badge on the left breast area.

Rain Jacket

The rain jacket shall be a short-style jacket, made of coated nylon, yellow in color, black Tricot foam lining in collar, snaps on collar to attach hood, storm flap, side openings with a hook and loop closure, vented back, and take-up snaps on sleeves.

Rain Pants

The rain pants shall be of similar construction, take-up snaps on waist, elastic back, and slash openings on both sides for access to weapon and radio.

Optional Rain Wear

The following items are authorized as optional rain wear for deputy sheriff and corrections officer personnel:

- Rain wear for deputy sheriff and corrections officer personnel may be California Sheriff Green and consist of a jacket and a pair of pants. The rain jacket shall be imprinted in gold with the word "SHERIFF" on the back, a replica of the Sheriff's Shoulder Patch on both sleeves, and a replica of the Sheriff's badge on the left breast area;
- Cape-Style Raincoat

  The short cape-style raincoat shall be made of dull-finish yellow rubber on white denim, single breasted with three-piece body, short cape, and full blue corduroy collar. Length is to extend below the top of knee-length rubber boots;

- Long Raincoat with Detachable Cape

  The long raincoat shall be made of high visibility safety yellow, with a lay-down collar, and snap-front opening;

- Two-Piece Rain Suit

  The two-piece rain suit shall be made of high visibility safety yellow nylon, with a lay-down collar, and snap-front opening; and

- Rain Hat or Cap Protector

  The rain hat/cap protector shall fit over the helmet, hat or bare head, at the option of the wearer, with snaps to attach to the rain jacket.

Wearing Rain Wear

Members may wear the prescribed rain wear as weather conditions warrant.

Storing Rain Wear

Department-issued rain wear shall be stored at the employee's place of assignment, where it shall be immediately available for use.

Civilian Uniform Rain Wear (optional)

Uniformed civilian personnel may wear non-Department issued rain wear as duties require, when authorized by the unit commander. The recommended color of rain clothing worn by civilian personnel shall be international orange.