2015 - 1 RELEASE OF IMPOUNDED VEHICLES

PURPOSE OF ORDER

The purpose of this order is to establish time guidelines on vehicles impounded for evidence for Bureau investigations.

SCOPE OF ORDER

This order applies to all sworn Bureau personnel.

ORDER

When assigning cases, the team sergeant shall notify the assigned detective if the case involves an impounded vehicle.

Within four business days of the vehicle being impounded, it shall be the responsibility of the detective or team sergeant to reclassify the impounded vehicle as "stored." For further information regarding the reclassification of vehicles and vehicle release administrative fees, refer to ***MPP 5-01/090.00 and 5-01/090.10.***

If, during the course of the investigation, it is necessary for the vehicle to remain "impounded" beyond four business days, the Unit Commander or their designee shall be notified regarding the circumstances.