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News Release

RANDAL J. STOVER PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN

Randal J. Stover, a 33-year law enforcement veteran, was recently promoted to Captain by Sheriff Lee Baca and assumed command of Pitchess Detention Center, South Facility.

Captain Stover began his law enforcement career with the Sheriff's Department in 1978 as a pre-academy deputy at Men's Central Jail and attended the Sheriff's Training Academy in Class #190. He subsequently left the Department and joined the Pomona Police Department in 1979, where he was assigned to patrol, Major Crimes Task Force, Gang Investigations, and Special Weapons and Tactics.

Captain Stover returned to the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department as a Deputy in 1982 and was assigned to Men's Central Jail, Operations Safe Streets, Lynwood Station, Pico Rivera Station and Narcotics Bureau. He was promoted to Sergeant in 1994 and assigned to Industry Station and Narcotics Bureau. In 2000, he was promoted to Lieutenant and assigned to Lennox Station, Narcotics Bureau, Los Angeles Interagency Metropolitan Police Apprehension Crime Task Force (LA IMPACT) and Detective Division as Chief's Aide.

Captain Stover holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice Management from Union Institute & University and is a graduate of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Academy, Class #237. He is also a graduate of the Rio Hondo Police Academy, Class #47.

Captain Stover is a native of Whittier, and currently resides in Upland. He has a daughter, Ashleigh, who is a full-time college student. In his spare time, Captain Stover enjoys boating, fitness activities and traveling.

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