



## **News Release**

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## LOS ANGELES AIRPORT POLICE SWEARS IN TWO NEW POLICE OFFICERS

(Los Angeles, California - February 3, 2011) Two new police officers joined the ranks of the Los Angeles Airport Police following their recent graduation from the Los Angeles Police Academy in downtown Los Angeles on January 28th.

Los Angeles Airport Police Assistant Chief Michael Hyams attended their graduation and performed the swearing-in ceremony. Captain Tyrone Stallings of the Airport Police Command Staff was also present. The graduates are Jacqueline Zambrano, and Omir Garcia. Zambrano who was selected as the class secretary by her academy peers provided guidance over class projects.

Chief Hyams said, "It is an honor to swear in these fine new Airport Police graduates from the Los Angeles Police Academy. Both officers embraced their academy experience and we're pleased to have them join our Airport Police family, and support our critical mission."

The next step for the officers is to complete a six month Field Training Program. During the training program new officers will be assigned to a Field Training Officer (FTO) before they are released and assigned to the Patrol Services Section.

The Los Angeles Airport Police Division is the fourth largest law enforcement agency in Los Angeles County with more than 1,200 law enforcement, security and staff personnel. Airport Police is a division of Los Angeles World Airports, the City department that owns and operates three airports in Southern California: Los Angeles International (LAX), LA/Ontario International (ONT) and Van Nuys (general aviation).



L to R – Officer Omir Garcia, Assistant Chief Michael Hyams and Officer Jacqueline Zambrano

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