



**SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN  
HOMICIDE TASK FORCE**

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MEMORANDUM

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The first formal written Status Report to Agency Heads was prepared on March 1, 1989 and covered the first six months of operation of the Task Force.

The attached Report has as its primary focus the intervening eleven months since the March 1, 1989 Report. Some matters contained in the earlier report will receive additional treatment.

Like its predecessor, this Report is intended to serve as a two-way communication tool as well as a record of activities of the Task Force. Thus, not only does it report the important events, activities and theories of the Task Force, but it also provides a framework within which the chief executive of each agency may perform his own analysis and make comments, suggestions and policy directions for the future.

In addition, the instant Report serves one further function not performed by the March, 1989 document. This Report addresses the specific questions of whether the Task Force concept continues to

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be the appropriate approach to the subject homicides and, if so, how long the Task Force should continue to operate.

In performing these functions, the Report reviews the background from which the Task Force originated and the nature of the problems it now faces.

The working members of the San Diego Metropolitan Homicide Task Force very much appreciate the support and encouragement of each agency, and the contributions each has made in this locally unprecedented investigative enterprise.

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