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Governor Musgrove Appoints Chief Robert Moore to Commission on Police Pursuit Standards and Procedures

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has appointed Jackson Chief of Police Robert Moore to the Commission on Police Pursuit Standards and Procedures. He will represent the police chief position ending July 1, 2004.

“Chief Moore has over 30 years of experience in the field of criminal justice as a law enforcement officer and he will definitely be an asset to the Commission on Police Pursuit Standards and Procedures,” said Musgrove. “This commission is crucial because it will develop the standards that will insure the safety of Mississippi’s citizens if a law enforcement officer has to pursue a fleeing criminal.”

Moore has served as Police Chief of the capitol city for a little over a year. Before coming to Jackson Moore was a United States Marshal for the Central District of Illinois, Chief of Internal Affairs at the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services, Deputy Chief of Police with the Savannah Georgia Police Department and EEO Director and Special Agent Sergeant in Internal Affairs with the Illinois State Police. Moore received his Bachelor and Masters degree from the University of Illinois. He is also a member of the Mississippi Chiefs of Police, the International Association of Chiefs of Police, the National Organization of Blacks in Law Enforcement, President of Mississippi Chapter of the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives and a member of the Hinds County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council.

The Commission on Police Pursuit Standards and Procedures was created by Senate Bill 2446 during the 2003 Legislative Session and is charged with addressing the uniform methods and procedures of pursuit for the state which insures the safety of the public and the apprehension of criminal defenders.

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