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Colonel Christopher Knight
Florida Highway Patrol
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Tallahassee, FL 32301

Dear Colonel Knight:

On February 25, 2006, the California Highway Patrol experienced a tragedy involving an officer of our Inland Division. Officer Gregory John Bailey was killed while performing his duties when an impaired motorist struck him. Upon hearing of this tragedy, your department immediately contacted the California Highway Patrol to express condolences and request information regarding the funeral services. Sergeant Alexander Annunziato, #357 traveled to California in full uniform to attend the memorial services and pay tribute to Officer Bailey.

Thank you for allowing Sergeant Annunziato to attend the memorial services and expressing his condolences on behalf of your department. The California Highway Patrol, specifically Inland Division, has suffered a tremendous loss. Officer Bailey was a conscientious, hardworking officer and he will be truly missed. It is comforting to know that we have the support of the law enforcement community throughout the nation. Again, thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedule to attend the memorial services and offer your condolences.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "J. M. Fogerty".

J. M. FOGERTY, Chief