

ILLINOIS STATE POLICE DIRECTIVE OPS-071, FOOD SHIPMENT INCIDENTS/TRAFFIC CRASHES

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RELATED DOCUMENTS: None	RELATED CALEA STANDARDS: 61.2.3

I. POLICY

The Illinois State Police (ISP) will cooperate with the Illinois Department of Agriculture (AG), the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), and the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) in identifying commodities involved in an incident/traffic crash.

II. DEFINITION

Commodities - for purposes of this directive, this includes food, drink, drugs, cosmetics, or medical devices intended for human consumption or use, excluding livestock.

III. PROCEDURES

III.A. The investigating officer will immediately advise the District Communications Center of an incident/traffic crash involving shipments of any commodities destined for human consumption or use, or a shipment of meat, poultry, or meat/poultry products.

III.B. The District Communications Center will ascertain the following information and forward it to the Springfield Communications Center, terminal LYB, immediately:

III.B.1. Date and time the incident/traffic crash occurred

III.B.2. Type of incident/traffic crash

III.B.3. Location of incident/traffic crash

III.B.3.a. Highway designation, if a crash has occurred

III.B.3.b. District

III.B.3.c. County

III.B.3.d. Nearest city/town

III.B.4. Description of the incident/traffic crash.

III.B.4.a. What types of commodities are involved?

III.B.4.b. Is the vehicle broken open?

III.B.4.c. Has the load spilled?

III.B.4.d. Is the refrigeration unit working (if applicable)?

III.B.4.e. Has the vehicle been removed?

NOTE: If possible, in the event of the load having spilled, the incident should be recorded by a video medium.

III.C. The District Communications Center will provide the following information to the Springfield Communications Center, terminal LYB, when it becomes available:

III.C.1. The name and address of the carrier

III.C.2. The license number of the tractor and trailer

III.C.3. The driver's name

III.C.4. The origin and intended destination(s)

III.C.5. Narrative

- III.C.6. The name of the agency investigating the incident/traffic crash and the name and telephone number of the contact person(s) working the incident/traffic crash site
- III.D. The Springfield Communications Center personnel will promptly advise the IEMA of all information received. IEMA personnel will make the necessary notifications to the AG and the IDPH.
- III.E. The carrier is responsible for transferring or arranging to have the shipment transferred to an operable vehicle and/or maintaining security for any products that may disperse or spill from the shipment.

-End of Directive-