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Department of Homeland Security

**Homeland Security Investigations
Delegation Order**

ORDER NUMBER:
HSI DO 10016.1

ISSUE DATE:
11/13/2024

EFFECTIVE DATE:
11/13/2024

SUBJECT:

**Authority to Approve Special Response Team Deployments under Sensitive Circumstances
and the Utilization of the HSI Ceremonial Honor Guard**

DELEGATED BY:

Executive Associate Director
Homeland Security Investigations (HSI)

DELEGATED TO:

Assistant Director, Domestic Operations, HSI

SOURCE OF AUTHORITY BEING DELEGATED:

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Delegation Order (DO) 0001, Delegation of Authority to the Directors, Detention and Removal and Investigations, and to Field Office Directors, Special Agents in Charge and Certain Other Officers of the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, dated June 6, 2003

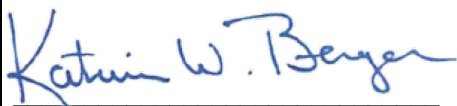
SUPERSEDED ORDER(S):

-Authority provided in Section 6.5 of the Office of Investigations (OI) Handbook (HB) 06-001, "Special Response Team Handbook," dated November 20, 2005.
-Authority provided in Section 13.1 of HSI HB 12-01, "National Ceremonial Honor Guard Handbook," dated May 8, 2012.

DELEGATION:

By virtue of the authorities delegated to me by the then Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (now the Director of ICE) in ICE DO 0001, I hereby delegate to the Assistant Director of Domestic Operations the authority to approve 1) Special Response Team deployments under sensitive circumstances and 2) the utilization of the HSI Ceremonial Honor Guard.

This authority may not be redelegated.



Katrina W. Berger
Executive Associate Director
Homeland Security Investigations