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Beverly Hills Police Officer Deployed to Afghanistan



Beverly Hills, CA – Beverly Hills Police Officer Thomas West will be deployed to Afghanistan early this Spring for a one year tour, as part of the additional forces announced by President Barack Obama. This is Officer West's third combat tour, having previously served in Iraq.

Officer West is an infantry officer with a specialty in civil affairs. In this role, he will support efforts to restore security and stability in areas previously controlled by the Taliban and assist Afghan government authorities in restoring governance. In addition to coordinating with Afghan government officials, tribal leaders, military and police, he will also be working with international humanitarian aid agencies.

Officer West has been with the Beverly Hills Police Department since 1999, currently assigned to patrol and SWAT. He was selected as Patrol Officer of the quarter last summer.

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