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Sergeant Durant to serve as Patrol spokesperson

COLUMBUS- Sergeant Raymond C. Durant of the Ohio State Highway Patrol's Canton Post has transferred to the Public Affairs Unit as part of a 90-day program, in which he will temporarily serve as a spokesperson for the Patrol.

Sgt. Durant joined the Patrol in May 1989 as a member of the 118th Academy Class. He was commissioned that November and assigned to the Milan Post on the Ohio Turnpike. In November 1992 he transferred to the Berea District's Office of Investigative Services, where in 1995 he was named Post Trooper of the Year by his peers. In March 1998 he transferred to the Medina Post.

He was promoted to the rank of sergeant in May 2001 and transferred to the Wapakoneta Post, to serve as an assistant post commander. In July 2002 he transferred to his current assignment at the Canton Post.

Sgt. Durant earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science from the University of Akron in May 2002 and a Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Boston University in January 2004.

Originally of Cleveland, Sgt. Durant currently resides in Copley with his wife, Tina, and their four children.

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