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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

**The Smithfield Police Department is scheduled for an on-site assessment as part of a program to attain re-accreditation by verifying it meets professional standards.**

**Administered by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA), the accreditation program requires agencies to comply with state-of-the-art standards in four basic areas: policy and procedures, administration, operations, and support services.**

**As part of the on-site assessment, agency employees and members of the community are invited to offer comments at a public**

**information session Monday, December 7th, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. The session will be conducted in the Smithfield Senior Center located at 1 William J. Hawkins, Jr. Trail, Smithfield, Rhode Island.**

**Agency employees and the public are also invited to offer comments by calling (401) 233-1025 on Monday, December 7th, 2009, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Comments will be taken by the Assessment Team.**

**Telephone comments as well as appearances at the public information session are limited to 10 minutes and must address the agency's ability to comply with CALEA's standards. A copy of the standards is available and may be viewed at the Smithfield Police Department, 215 Pleasant View Avenue, Smithfield, Rhode Island. Local contact is Captain Robert J. Beaudry, 231-2500, extension 105.**

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