Priority Two (II) calls require that a car be dispatched and an officer respond to the scene as soon as possible. The officer will respond immediately while obeying all applicable traffic laws.

Priority Three (III) calls are of a routine or less serious nature. The officer will respond as soon as possible or may handle the call while remaining in service with the approval of his/her supervisor. This type of call may be held, at the discretion of a field supervisor, for the beat car if one is not available.

PRIORITY I - Calls for which the Police Officer has the discretion to use emergency equipment. Officer should proceed to the location of the call as quickly and as safely as possible.

- 4 Ambulance on the way
- 6 Burglar in the house
- 7 Burglar in store
- 36-Robbery in progress
- 44-Investigate robbery
- 63-Officer needs help
- 73-Rush call

Priority II - Calls are those requiring that a car be dispatched immediately to the location of the call.

- 3 Alarm ringing
- 5 Breaking street lights
- 24 Demented person
- 25 Discharging firearms
- 29 Drunk, disorder or fight
- 30 Drunk in auto
- 31 Electric wire down
- 32 Escaped prisoner
- 33 Fire
- 41 Investigate auto accident
- 42 Investigate burglary

- 43 Investigate hit and run
- 45 Investigate larceny
- 46 Investigate person hit by auto
- 47 Investigate person injured
- 48 Investigate person dead
- 49 Investigate rape or attempt
- 50 Investigate person shot
- 51 Investigate person stabbed
- 52 Investigate stolen
- 53 Investigate suicide or attempt
- 54 Investigate suspicious person
- 55 Investigate trouble unknown
- 56 Lost person or child
- 58 Man beating woman
- 60 Molesting woman or children
- 65 P.B.A. or P.H.A. alarm
- 66 Peeping Tom
- 67 Person down
- 68 Person screaming
- 69 Person armed
- 70 Prowler
- 71 Public indecency
- 76 Sick call
- 77 Snatch thief
- 79 Stealing auto/from auto
- 82 Wagon call
- 83 Wanted person located
- 84 Work traffic
- 86 Bomb threat

Priority III - Calls which will be held for the officer assigned to that specific location (the beat officer).

- 1 Abandoned auto
- 22 -Vandalism or malicious mischief
- 23 Disorderly children
- 26 Discharging fireworks
- 27 Dogs barking / no leash
- 28 Drunk
- 34 Gambling
- 37 Illegal parking
- 38 Illegal whiskey or drugs

- 39 Information for officer
- 40 Investigate or kill animal
- 57 Loud party or radio
- 59 Meet officer
- 61 Money transfer
- 64 Panhandling
- 72 Reckless driving/speeding
- 74 Selling beer or liquor on Sunday
- 75 Shooting air rifles
- 76 Sick call
- 80 Stray animal
- 81 Street or sidewalk obstruction

The Communications operator may upgrade or downgrade any call for service depending on the circumstances indicated during the request for service. If a call is upgraded or downgraded (from the set priority), the priority will be broadcast with the appropriate signal. example of a downgrade would be when a person has requested service to investigate a robbery (Signal 44) a length of time after the robbery occurred. Factors to be considered when altering a priority include the need for immediate response to prevent death or injury or the need for immediate police presence. It is absolutely necessary that the Communications dispatcher, because of knowledge and information of the request for service, control the dispatching order of calls for service. The victim/caller should be advised as to the response of the officer en route to the call. The caller should be advised in the event of an extended response time. Communications will not issue a call for service until an officer is available to respond. All calls for service must be dispatched by the Communications operator. If 200/300 receives an immediate request for service, 200/300 should notify Communications by the quickest means of the immediate request. Communications will then dispatch the request as required.

If the Watch Commander finds it necessary to change the priority of any call, the Watch Commander must accept full responsibility for altering the priority of the call(s).

POLICE RADIO SIGNALS

- 1 Abandoned Auto
- 2 ADT Alarm
- 3 Alarm Ringing
- 4 Ambulance En route
- 5 Breaking Street Lights
- 6 Burglar in House
- 7 Burglar in Business
- 8 Call North Precinct
- 9 Call South Precinct
- 10 Call Chief's Office
- 11 Call Northeast Precinct
- 12 Call Home
- 13 Call Major Case Office
- 14 Call ID
- 15 Call Communications
- 16 Cancel Call
- 17 Switch to TAC 2
- 18 Call Radio Shop
- 19 Call South Magistrate Court
- 20 Call North Magistrate Court
- 21 Call Southwest Precinct
- 22 Vandalism/Malicious Mischief
- 23 Disorderly Children
- 24 Demented Person
- 25 Discharging Firearms
- 26 Discharging Fireworks
- 27 Dog Barking or No Leash
- 28 Drunk
- 29 Drunk/Disorderly or Fight
- 30 Drunk in Auto
- 31 Electrical Wire Down
- 32 Escaped Prisoner
- 33 Fire
- 34 Gambling
- 35
- 36 Holdup in Progress

- 37 Illegal Parking
- 38 Illegal Whiskey or Drugs
- 39 Information for Officer
- 40 Investigate or Kill Animal
- 41 Investigate Auto Accident
- 42 Investigate Burglary
- 43 Investigate Hit and Run
- 44 Investigate Holdup
- 45 Investigate Larceny
- 46 Investigate Person Hit by Auto
- 47 Investigate Person Injured
- 48 Investigate Person Dead
- 49 Investigate Rape
- 50 Investigate Person Shot
- 51 Investigate Person Stabbed
- 52 Investigate Stolen Vehicle/ Articles
- 53 Investigate Suicide
- 54 Investigate Suspicious Person
- 55 Investigate Trouble Unknown
- 56 Lost Person or Child
- 57 Loud Party or Radio
- 58 Man Beating Woman
- 59 Meet Officer
- 60 Molesting Women or Children
- 61 Money Transfer
- 62 OB Call
- 63 Officer Needs Help
- 64 Panhandling
- 65 PBA or PHA Alarm
- 66 Peeping Tom
- 67 Person Down

- 68 Person Screaming
- 69 Person Armed
- 70 Prowier
- 71 Public Indecency
- 72 Reckless Driving or Speeding
- 73 Rush Call
- 74 Selling Beer/Liquor on Sunday
- 75 Shooting Air Rifles
- 76 Person Sick
- 77 Snatch Thief
- 78 Standby for Lookout
- 79 Stealing Auto or from Auto
- 80 Stray Animal
- 81 Street/Sidewalk Hazard
- 82 Wagon Call
- 83 Wanted Person Located
- 84 Work Traffic
- 85 Call Wrecker
- 86 Bomb Threat
- 87 Pull Out
- 89 Welfare Check of Police Officer

PULL IN CODES

- 1 Gone on Arrival
- 2 Unfounded
- 3 No Action Taken
- 4 Miscellaneous Report
- 5 Incident Report
- 6 Accident Report

Codes 4,5, and 6 receive Case Numbers

- 7 Traffic Ticket Issued
- 9 Turned Over to
- 10- Officers Welfare is Alright
- 11- Officer Needs Assistance
- 26 Arrived on Scene of Call
- 40 Officer Being Held Hostage

SUPERVISORS RESPONSE TO CALLS

Incidents of a serious nature often arise that require the presence of a supervisor at the scene for the purpose of assuming command. A police department supervisor will be dispatched anytime one of the following situations apply:

Sig. 6 - Burglar in House

Sig. 7 - Burglar in Business

Sig. 25 - Discharging Firearms

Sig. 33 - Fire (Structure only)

Sig. 36 - Robbery in Progress

Sig. 44 - Investigate Robbery

Sig. 46 - Person Hit by Auto

Sig. 47 - Person Injured

Sig. 48 - Person Dead

Sig. 49 - Person Raped

Sig. 50 - Person Shot

Sig. 51 - Person Stabbed

Sig. 63 - Officer Needs Help

Sig. 67 - Person Down

Sig. 69 - Person Armed

Sig. 73 - Rush Call

Sig. 86 - Bomb Threat

Any call that requires the dispatching of a Signal Any call where a domestic situation exists.

PHRASES AND WORDS

Radio users are urged to incorporate a code in their operating procedures. The primary purpose of a code is to save time and to avoid confusion misunderstanding. Security Communications is a minor advantage, if any at Codes are usually readily recognizable, easily understood, and convey maximum meaning in a minimum of time. Dispatchers sometimes find it necessary to explain or amplify a message. When you use words in place of coded signals, you will need to be careful to select terms that are not difficult to understand.

For example, these kinds of words and phrases are:

Poor Preferred

Pick up and hold	Apprehend
Do you want	Advise if
Chase	Pursue
Chasing	Pursuing
Can't	Unable
I will notify	Will advise
Buy	Purchase
Call and see	Ascertain
Yes	Affirmative
Get	Obtain
Want	Desire
No	Negative
Be advised	5

PHONETIC ALPHABET

The Phonetic Alphabet is used in Law Enforcement Communications. The following is the Phonetic Alphabet:

A - Adam

B - Boy

C - Charles

D - David

E - Edward

F - Frank

G - George

H - Henry

I - India

J - John

K - King

L - Lincoln

M - Mary

N - Nora

O - Oscar

P - Paul

O - Queen

R - Robert

S - Sam

T - Tom

U - Union

V - Victor

W - Whiskey

X - X-Ray

Y - Young

Z - Zebra

FORMAT FOR LOOKOUTS

The Associated Public Safety Communications Officers have developed and refined standard personal and vehicular descriptions as follows:

VEHICLES - using the acronym "CYMBAL" for description as follows:

C = Color

Y = Year

M = Make

B = Body Style

A = And

L = License

Example: "White/blue 70 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4-door, 95 Ga. GCL215"

If the lookout is via TWX or a written lookout, the Vehicle Identification Number (V.I.N.) should follow the license.

PERSON

Name (if known)

Sex

Race

Age

Height

Weight

Hair

Eves

Complexion

Plus any distinguishing physical characteristics Plus any clothing description

When a lookout is placed over the radio, the above format should be used with the vehicle description to be placed first, followed by the description of the person.

NON-EMERGENCY CALLS

It is a well-known fact that not all calls received by a public service agency are emergency calls. Particularly during the day time hours, a large number of administrative calls will be received by the Communications Center. While these calls may not be of an emergency nature, they are important to the caller. Therefore, it is imperative that these calls are answered as soon as possible and handled as quickly as possible. To help ensure that these administrative calls do not utilize incoming available emergency lines, the Communications Center has a telephone system which separates incoming administrative lines from the incoming emergency (911) lines. Separate lines are also provided for outgoing telephone calls to keep emergency lines clear.

The Communications Operator is an unseen representative of the Police and Fire Departments and the person calling may form his/her opinion of the department based upon the operator who answers their call. All operators should be thoroughly familiar with important telephone numbers likely to be used on his/her shift. Many of these telephone numbers, including telephone numbers to other agencies, are stored in the C.A.D. system.

In the event that a non-emergency call is received on the emergency line, the operator should request that the caller return the call on the non-emergency line for handling. If the flow of incoming calls is light, the call-taker may choose to handle the non-

GEORGIA STATE PATROL

TEN SIGNALS

10-0 - Caution	10.50
10-1 - Unable copy-change location	10-58 - Direct traffic
10-2 - Signal good	10-59 - Convoy or escort
10-3 - Stop transmitting	10-60 - will leave this station at hours
10-4 - Acknowledgement (OK)	TO DI SIGNAL IN FOLLOWING CORE
10-5 - Relay	10-02 - Keply to message
10-6 - Busy, unless urgent	10-63 - Prepare to make written copy
10-7 - Out of service	10-04
10-8 - In service	10-65 - Mechanical breakdown 10-66
10-9 - Repeat	10-67
10-10 - Fight or disorder reported	
10-11 - Dog case	10-68 - Dispatch information
10-12 - Stand by (Stop)	10-69 - Message received 10-70 - Fire
10-13 - Weather - road report	10-70 - FIFE 10-71
10-14 - Prowler report	10-72
10-15 - Burglary	10-72
10-16 - Domestic problem	10-73 - Negative
10-17 - Armed robbery	10-74 - Negative
10-18 - Quickly	10-75 - In contact with
10-19 - Return to	10-76 - En route
10-20 - Location	10-77 - ETA (Estimated time of arrival) 10-78 - Need assistance
10-21 - Call by telephone	10-79 - Notify coroner
10-22 - Disregard	10-80 - Chase in progress
10-23 - Arrived at scene	10-81 - Give Leasting
10-24 - Completed last assignment	10-81 - Give location & status (Hourly report) 10-82 - Reserve lodging
10-25 - Report in person (Meet)	10-83 - Work school annuits
10-26 - Detaining subject, expedite	10-83 - Work school crossing at 10-84 - Special detail
10-27 - Drivers license information	10-85 - Delayed due to
10-28 - Vehicle registration information	10-86 - Officer-operator on duty
10-29 - Check stolen/wanted	10-87 - Pickup/distribute checks
10-30 - Unnecessary use of radio	10-88 - Present telephone checks
10-31 - Crime in progress	10-88 - Present telephone no. of 10-89 - Bomb threat
10-32 - Subject with firearms	10-90 - Bank alarm at
10-33 - EMERGENCY	10-91 - Pickup prisoner/subject
10-34 - Riot	10-92 - Improperty parked vehicle
10-35 - Transporting Liquor	10-93 - Blockade
10-36 - Correct time	10-94 - Drag racing
10-37 - (Investigate) Suspicious person/vehicle	10-95 - Prisoner/subject in custody
10-38 - Stopping suspicious person/vehicle	10-96 - Mental subject
10-39 - Resume normal operations	10-97 - Check signal
10-40 - If not stolen, check with owner	10-98 - Prison/jail break
10-41 - Beginning tour of duty	10-99 - Wanted/stolen indicated
10-42 - Ending tour of duty	10-100 -
10-43 - Murder reported	10-101 - Medical acknowledgement (OK)
10-44 - Suicide or attempt	10-102 - Send receive in its
10-45 - Hold evidence, GBI en route	10-102 - Send rescue unit to 10-103 - Send police unit to
10-46 - Assist motorist	10-104 - Unable to locate
10-47 - Emergency road repair at	10-105 - Patient refuses service
10-48 - Traffic light out at	10-106 - Patient refuses treatment
10-49 - Speeding auto	10-107 - Patient pickup by other means
10-50 - Accident (F,PI,PD)	
10-51 - Wrecker needed	10-109 - Patient condition toto
10-52 - Ambulance needed	A - Walking Injured
10-53 - Road blocked at	R = Moderately != ive-
10-54 - Livestock/carcass on road	B - Moderately Injured C - Severely Injured
10-55 - Intoxicated driver	D - Dead
10-56 - Intoxicated pedestrian	10-110 - Multi-initian
50-57 - Hit and run (F,PI,PD)	10-110 - Multi-injury accident (Indicate number
	of injuries)

PHONETIC ALPHABETS

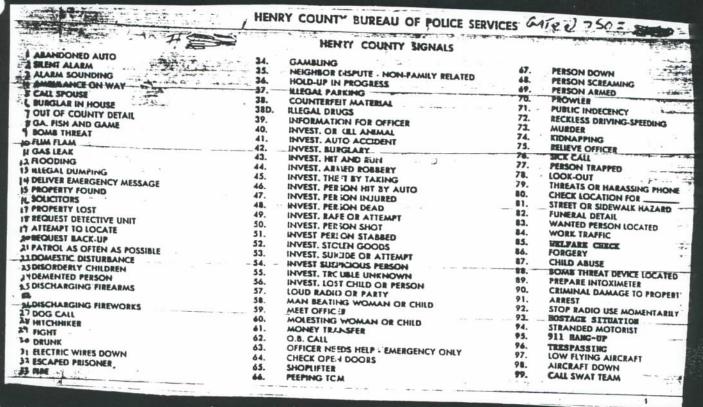
POLICE (APCO)

- A ADAM
- B BOY
- C CHARLES
- D DAVID
- E EDWARD
- F FRANK
- G GEORGE
- H HENRY
- I IDA
- J JOHN
- K KING
- L LINCOLN
- M MARY
- N NORA
- O OCEAN
- P PAUL
- Q QUEEN
- R ROBERT
- S SAM
- T TOM
- U UNION
- V VICTOR
- W WILLIAM
- X X-RAY
- Y YOUNG
- Z ZEBRA

INTERNATION.

- A ALPHA
- B BRAVO
- C -CHARLIE
- D DELTA
- E ECHO
- F FOXTROT
- G GOLF
- H HOTEL
- I INDIA
- J JULIETT
- K KILO
- L LIMA
- M MIKE
- N NOVEMBEE
- O OSCAR
- P PAPA
- Q QUEBEC
- R ROMEO
- S SIERRA
- T TANGO
- U UNIFORM
- V VICTOR
- W WHISKEY
- X X-RAY
- Y YANKEE
- Z ZULU

FIGURE 3



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USE CAUTION				The state of the s
RECEIVING POORLY	10-32	AT OR EN ROUTE TO PUMPS		
RECEIVING WELL	10-33	EMERGENCY	10-64	PREPARE TO MAKE WRITTEN COPY
STOP TRANSMITTING	10-34	RESUME NORMAL TRAFFIC	10-65	INCIDENT REPORT
ACKNOWLEDGE	10-35	CLEAR RADIO TRAFFIC FOR LOOKOUT	10-66	ACCIDENT REPORT
HELAYYAJBI	10-36	TIME	10-67	CITATION ISSUED
USY	10-37	RETURN TO HEADQUARTERS	10-68	WARNING ISSUED
AT SCENE	10-38	ROADBLOCK-LICENSE CHECK	10-69	OCCURRED OUTSIDE USUBY COM
N GENERAL AREA CANNOT LOGICE	10-39	ROUTINE CIECY - NOT SITTING OFFICE	10-70	CHAPTEL
	10-40	IDENTIFY OPERATOR ON DUTY		LOG ON DIGITAL
ISING BOOSTER HOSE, STATE SIZE	10-41	BEGINNING TOUR OF DUTY	10-72	LOG OFF DIGITAL
AYING OUT HOSE, STATE SIZE	10-42	ENDING TOUR OF DUTY	10-73	ACKNOWLEDGE DIGITAL MESSAGE
WELL INVOLVED	10-43	OPERATING WITHOUT BUSINESS LICENSE	10-74	
M MERVICE	10-44	STATISTICS WITHOUT BUSINESS LICENSE	10-75	IN CONTACT WITH
MEPEAT	10-45	+	10-76	ENROUTE
DUT AT SUBJECT TO CALL	10-46	INVESTIGATION	10-77	ETA
ASE NUMBER PRESENT CALL	10-47	AT RESIDENCE	10-78	
TANDBY	10-48	STOPPING TRAFFIC VIOLATOR	10-79	1
VEATHER CONDITIONS	10-49	SERVING CIVIL BARRES	10-80	CHASE IN PROGRESS
CTIVATE DUE DESCRIPTIONS	10-50	SERVING CHURCH PAPERS	10-81	ON FOOT WITH PORTABLE
CTIVATE DIVE RESCUE TEAM	10-51	SERVING CRIMINAL WARRANT WRECKER HEEDED	10-82	ON PAGER SERVICE
RANSPORTING PRISONER TO JAIL	10-52	AMBINANCE ACCEPT	10-83	WORK SCHOOL CROSSING
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE	10-53	AMBULANCE HEEDED	10-84	SPECIAL DETAIL
ANY CALLS OR MESSAGES?	10-54	PATIENT REPUSES TREATMENT	10-85	RADIO TELEPHONE PATCH
USH YOUR CALL	10-55	PATIENT PICKED UP BY OTHER MEANS	10-86	THE PATCH
O CALLS AT PRESENT	10-56	TRANSFER PATIENT FROM	10-87	
OCATION	10-36	PATRINT CONDITION	10-88	WORKING RADAR
CALL BY TELEPHONE		(A) MINOR INJURIES	10-89	COMPUTED CHAR
DISREGARD		(B) MODERATELY INJURED	10-90	COMPUTER SYSTEM DOWN
EQUEST TIMES ON KDT		(C) SEVERE!! INJURED	10-91	
OMPLETED LAST ASSIGNMENT		(U) DEAD	10-92	WAGON CALL . NOT HE SOME
TUATION UNDER CONTROL CANCEL CONTROL	10-57	SCHO POLICE - HAVE EMERGENCY SITUATION	10-93	NUAD BLOCK AT
	10-58	MOTHER CL UNITY COMONED		REQUEST ROAD BLOCK PLAN
MIVERS LICENSE IMPORTATION	10-39	FALSE ALAUM	10-94	BUSINESS OR HOUSE CHECK
EMOR BECKER IN ORNOTION	10-60	MEAL RREAK	18-95	7
	10-61		10-94	TRANSPORTING MENTAL SUBJECT
PHICLE REGISTRATION INFORMATION TOLEN WANTED CHECK		IS EVERYTURIS ONT	10-97	CHECK SIGNAL

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ROAD CHARACTER
1. Straight And Level
2. Straight On Grade
3. Straight On Hillcrest
4. Curve And Level

Orn - Lighted

MANNER OF COLLISION