



NEWS ADVISORY
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RIDE-A-LONG REGISTRATION:
DEADLINE-OCTOBER 26, 2015

Operation Boo Offers Ride-alongs to Sex Offender Enforcement Areas

Halloween night compliance checks to be conducted across the state

- What:** The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) will conduct the 22nd annual Operation Boo compliance checks. This year's Halloween child-safety project features a parent educational component and visits to sex offender transient curfew centers (where available), in addition to the customary compliance checks and media ride-alongs.
- Who:** Agents with CDCR's Division of Adult Parole Operations and GPS enforcement teams, along with local law enforcement partners
- When:** Parents and Guardians Educational Component October 26-31, 2015
(A separate press release on the educational component is forthcoming.)
- Ride-alongs Saturday, October 31, 2015, 4 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Media ride-alongs are being offered on a first-come, first-served basis to credentialed news personnel. The media tours will include compliance checks in sex offenders' homes and visits to transient sex offender curfew centers in communities where they are available.

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Where:

It is anticipated that a limited number of ride-alongs will be conducted in all major media markets in the state. Please register your crew of no more than two people by the **deadline of 5 p.m., October 26, 2015.**

Please fill out the attached form for each crew member and fax it to:

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Why:

CDCR's Parole Division and its partners continue efforts to help keep children safe from sex offenders.

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