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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Mark D. Boughton

From: Alan D. Baker, Chief of Police

Subject: **ICE 287g Program – Danbury Police Department**

I, along with several senior staff members, met with Bruce M. Foucart, ICE Special Agent in Charge from Boston, about the 287g Program. Based on our meeting and a review of their printed materials, I recommend the Danbury Police Department make application to participate in the 287g on a limited basis. By participating, we would formalize a long-standing informal relationship that has existed between the Danbury Police Department and ICE.

The focus of our participation would be on crimes committed by illegal immigrants. These include:

- Gangs & Organized Crime
- Drug Smuggling
- Human Trafficking
- Document Fraud
- Identity and Benefit Theft
- Work Site Investigation

Benefits to the City of Danbury would include free training on immigration law by ICE for a limited number of officers, access to ICE criminal databases and ICE supervision while our officers engage in immigration enforcement. Costs to the City of Danbury would include the salaries for the officers during training and some computer costs to access the ICE database.

Alan D. Baker
Chief of Police

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