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OIU's AAIC Johnson Promoted to AIC of Cincinnati District

(COLUMBUS) – Assistant Agent-in-Charge Adam S. Johnson was promoted to the rank of agent-in-charge (AIC) on January 17, 2017, and was recognized by Colonel Paul A. Pride, Ohio State Highway Patrol superintendent, during a ceremony at the Patrol's Academy. AIC Johnson will serve as the commander of Ohio Investigative Unit's Cincinnati District Office.

AIC Johnson began his career with OIU in April 2003. He was assigned to the Cincinnati District Office as an enforcement agent working assignments in liquor, gambling, drug and food stamp fraud investigations. In November 2010, he was promoted to assistant agent-in-charge.

AIC Johnson received an associate degree in Applied Science in criminal justice from the University of Akron in 1999. In June 2013, he completed the John Glenn Public Safety Leadership Academy. Prior to working for OIU, he was a corrections officer at the Medina County Sheriff's Office and a patrol officer with the village of Doylestown Police Department.

The Cincinnati District Office oversees liquor law enforcement as well as food stamp fraud investigations in southwest Ohio for the following: Adams, Auglaize, Brown, Butler, Champaign, Clark, Clermont, Clinton, Darke, Greene, Hamilton, Highland, Logan, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Preble, Shelby and Warren counties.

The Patrol is an internationally accredited agency whose mission is to protect life and property, promote traffic safety and provide professional public safety services with respect, compassion, and unbiased professionalism. OIU is a component of the Patrol. Enforcement agents are plainclothes, fully sworn peace officers.

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OIU is charged with enforcing the state's liquor laws and is the only state law enforcement agency specifically tasked with investigating food stamp fraud crimes. Agents also investigate tobacco violations. Follow OIU on Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Ohio-Investigative-Unit/165782203506269> and on Twitter by logging onto http://twitter.com/Ohio_OIU.