Dear Chief XX:

Hello!  I am contacting you because your agency was one of 162 Iowa Law Enforcement Agencies selected to take part in a CDC study of motor vehicle safety practices, funded by NIOSH (the National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health).  This past winter, we mailed you a packet of informational materials on this study.  To date, we have not received a response regarding your departmental participation in this study.  We would like to answer any questions or concerns that you may have about this study.  You could either call me at the phone number listed below, or respond to this email.  Also, you could visit the following webpage which has some information on this study:

<http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/blog/nsb020911_police.html>

Both Dr’s Tiesman and Heick are Iowa natives and Dr.Heick’s husband is an officer in the Davenport Police Department.  So, we both feel strongly about the health and safety of Iowa law Enforcement Officers.  We are looking forward to speaking to you further-

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