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**Captain Joseph Perez (Ret.)**  
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Captain Joe Perez began his law enforcement career in 1995 as an officer with the Takoma Park Police Department in Maryland. He initially served as a patrol officer and was later assigned to recruiting and background investigations. In 1998, he transferred to the Patrol Division of the Prince George's County Police Department. He later served as commander of the Internal Affairs Division in addition to Career Development within the Training & Education Division. During his time with the Internal Affairs Division, he commanded the Special Investigation Response Team. His assignments have also included work with the Community Services Division and Violent Crimes Task Force within the Bureau of Patrol.

Captain Perez retired from policing in 2019. Since 2014, he has been the Hispanic American Police Command Officers Association (H.A.P.C.O.A) National Capitol Region Chapter President and was previously the President of the Hispanic National Law Enforcement Association. He holds a B.S. and M.S. in management from John Hopkins University.

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