

# National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives



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### **National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE) We Shall Never Forget... 16th Anniversary of the 9/11 Terrorist Attacks**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA**– Sixteen years ago America was shaken to its core. The disaster response resulting from the heinous terrorist attacks of 9/11 forever changed national security policy and the scope of first responders and line of duty law enforcement. The terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001 resulted in more law enforcement line of duty deaths than any other single incident in American history with families still grappling with the losses today. The National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE) honors the families of the fallen law enforcement officers as well as those suffering from debilitating illnesses as a result of the 9/11 terrorist attacks.

"As we continue to rebuild from that dark day in American history, we will never forget the bravery of those men and women who put their lives on the line to provide direct support following the 9/11 attacks. They showcased the heart of America. NOBLE stands with them and their families," stated NOBLE National President Clarence E. Cox, III.

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### **About the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives**

Since 1976, The National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE) has served as the conscience of law enforcement by being committed to justice by action. NOBLE represents over 3,000 members internationally, who are primarily African-American chief executive officers of law enforcement agencies at federal, state, county and municipal levels,

other law enforcement administrators, and criminal justice practitioners. For more information, visit [www.noblenational.org](http://www.noblenational.org).

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