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ITEM  
**Belt, Duty ( Synthetic  
Equipment)**

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**ITEM:** BELT, DUTY EQUIPMENT (SYNTHETIC LEATHER ALTERNATE)

**CONSTRUCTION:** Plain smooth finish nylon polymer compressed to ¼ inch thickness forming a leather-like look and feel. Single line black stitching will run the entire circumference of the belt edge. The belt will not exceed 2 ½ inches in width. Exterior will be black in color with moderate gloss. Exterior will be free of ornamentation, decorative stitching, carving, tooling, and logos. Plain polished white metal rectangular buckle will fasten the belt and will not exceed 3 inches by 2 1/8 inches in size. The buckle will have a double tang secured to a rotating post which will be attached to two white or metal receiver hooks on the opposite end of the belt. The free end of the belt will be fastened by means of both a centered ¼ inch black or white metal ball stud securely fastened to the opposite end of the belt and a integral black leather loop 1/2 inch to ¾ inches in width. The belt will have 4-5 sets of predrilled holes properly aligned for proper fit-of-waist. A 3 ¼ inch buckle tab will be inserted on the back side of the belt as a backing for the buckle.

**ACCESSORIES:** Approved nylon leather equipment accessories: aerosol chemical case, flashlight case, duty handcuff case, baton holder, divided double magazine case, **Pro-3** retention holster with covered EXO-skeleton, optional key ring holder. Color: black. Studs or snaps will be white metal or black.

**AUHORIZATIONS/  
RESTRICTIONS:**

1. The equipment belt must be worn in conjunction with an approved trouser belt.
2. All accessories must meet the appropriate uniform specification for the item.
3. When worn, the buckle must be centered in front of the trouser.
4. The free end of the belt will not extend beyond 5 inches when passed through the buckle.
5. The use of Velcro closure devices is prohibited.
6. This equipment belt may be lined with any material of the member's choice.

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