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*****MEDIA ADVISORY*****

Governor Baker to Preside at Change of Command Ceremony for the 104th Fighter Wing

BOSTON – Tomorrow, Governor Charlie Baker, acting in his constitutional role as Commander in Chief of the Massachusetts Military Forces, will join The Adjutant General, Major General Gary W. Keefe, to preside at the Change of Command ceremony for the 104th Fighter Wing. Command will be passed from Colonel James Keefe to Colonel James M. Suhr. Colonel Suhr's historic acceptance of the command represents the first time an officer from the Active Duty Air Force will assume command of a Massachusetts National Guard air wing.

Sunday, March 5, 2017

Who: Governor Baker, Major General Keefe, Colonel Keefe and Colonel Suhr

What: Change of Command Ceremony, 104th Fighter Wing, Massachusetts Air National Guard

When: 2:00 PM

Where: Barnes Air National Guard Base, 175 Falcon Dr, Westfield, MA

Press: Open

Media are invited to attend this event and must register with the 104th Fighter Wing Public Affairs office before 11:00 a.m., Sunday, Mar. 5, 2017. All media will arrive at Barnes Air National Guard Base no later than 1:00 p.m.

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