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NEW PRESIDENTIAL LIMOUSINE ENTERS SECRET SERVICE FLEET

(Washington, D.C.) – On Tuesday, January 20, a new armored presidential limousine will make its debut as part of the 56th Presidential Inauguration, following the tradition of integrating new U.S. Secret Service vehicles into the fleet for Inaugural parades.

The 2009 presidential limousine provides the Secret Service with a valuable asset in accomplishing its protective mission by affording its occupants the highest level of protection.

"Although many of the vehicles' security enhancements cannot be discussed, it is safe to say that this car's security and coded communications systems make it the most technologically advanced protection vehicle in the world," said Nicholas Trotta, Assistant Director for the Office of Protective Operations.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: Attached are photos of the 2009 presidential limousine taken in January 2009. All photos are courtesy of the U.S. Secret Service. For questions concerning this release, please contact the United States Secret Service Office of Government and Public Affairs at 202-406-5708.



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