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 Police officers in Denver are struggling to enforce a new law that prohibits drivers from using their cell phones while driving. The law, which took effect on Jan. 1, 2013, requires drivers to hold their phones in one hand while driving, which makes it more difficult for officers to see if a driver is texting. Officers are also facing a shortage of resources to enforce the law, and many drivers are still using their phones while driving.

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 A 10-year-old boy named [Name] is missing. He was last seen on [Date] in [Location]. He is [Description]. If you have any information, please call [Phone Number].

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

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