



SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C16-030 OPO Number: N/A

Date of Complaint: 04/08/2016

Allegation: Inadequate Response/Policy Violation

Chain of Command Finding: Unfounded

Final Discipline: Not Applicable

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

This was an internal complaint. A detective did not clear his desk out and move to an assigned precinct by the date given to him.

INVESTIGATION

Internal Affairs interviewed the officer, reviewed internal email and other communications.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

An email from the sergeant of the unit states "I have been directed to have your office relocated on March 31st." The detective subsequently received notification from a captain that he would not need to move to the precinct until the following week. An arguable level of confusing exists and/or contradicting messages. The detective's stated intent was to follow the last direction he was given by the captain.