



SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C16-068 OPO Number: N/A

Date of Complaint: 10/2/2016

Allegation: Standard Violation 4.8

Chain of Command Finding: Sustained

Final Discipline: Verbal Reprimand

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

A civilian employee was arrested for DUI by the Washington State Police. Per policy and procedures, the internal investigation commenced at the conclusion of the criminal investigation.

COMPLAINT

The civilian employee was arrested for DUI upon the conclusion of the criminal investigation an internal investigation commenced for violation of Standard 4.8, "Members of the Spokane Police Department shall not engage in any activity which would create a conflict of interest or would be in violation of any law."

INVESTIGATION

Internal Affairs reviewed the criminal investigation of the DUI to which the employee plead "Guilty". The employee was interviewed and admitted that she should not have been driving. The employee did not dispute any facts of the State Trooper's report.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

The employee was charged with driving while intoxicated. The criminal investigation was reviewed and the employee was interviewed. There was no information to dispute that the employee was driving while intoxicated.

The allegation against the employee for violating Standard 4.8 was sustained and a verbal reprimand was the sanction.