

SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

CRAIG N. MEIDL CHIEF OF POLICE

Closed Case Summary

| Complaint Number: | C18-015 | OPO Number: None |
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| Date of Complaint: | 2/20/2018 | |
| Allegation: | Policy Violation 340.3.2 k – Discourted | ous or disrespectful treatment |
| Chain of Command Finding: | Sustained | |
| Final Discipline: | Written Reprimand | |

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

During an internal affairs interview, an officer advised investigators about two incidents where a detective attempted to intimidate him and engaged in inappropriate behavior. The incidents both occurred on duty.

COMPLAINT

An internal complaint was opened against the detective with an allegation of Policy Violation 340.3.2 k – Discourteous or disrespectful treatment of any member of the public or any member of this department or another law enforcement agency.

INVESTIGATION

Internal Affairs conducted interviews with the two involved parties and witness detectives. Witness detectives who recalled the interaction supported the officer's version of events, noting tense body language and harsh words.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

The allegation was determined to be Sustained and the detective received a letter of reprimand.