

SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C18-070 OPO Number: 18-42

Date of Complaint: 8/29/2018

Allegation: Inadequate Response

Chain of Command Finding: Inquiry

Final Discipline: Not Applicable

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

The complainant was reported a firearm stolen by an acquaintance of his daughter. The incident was assigned to a detective for follow-up.

COMPLAINT

The complainant alleges that he called and left messages for the detective to call him back, but did not receive any calls back from him.

INVESTIGATION

Internal Affairs reviewed the incident and determined through the detective's supervisor that the messages left by the complainant were not left on the detective's voicemail, but rather on a general line. The supervisor monitors the general line, but was off work for an extended period of time. The complainant was apprised of this information and was satisfied with the explanation.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

The allegation of inadequate response has been deemed an inquiry.