



SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C19-103 OPO Number: N/A
Date of Complaint: 11/21/2019
Allegation: Inadequate Response
Chain of Command Finding: Closed
Final Discipline: Not Applicable

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

On 05/14/2018, a Spokane Police detective submitted an Affidavit and Charging Request to have the complainant charged with a felony, Harassment – Threats to Kill. The Spokane County Prosecuting Attorney charged the complainant with the crime. On 11/12/2019, the charges were dismissed after a judge determined probable cause did exist to charge the complainant. However, the evidence was not sufficient to try the case beyond a reasonable doubt on the threat to kill.

COMPLAINT

The complainant requested an investigation into the conduct of the detective. The complainant alleged the charges were not valid since the case was eventually dismissed.

INVESTIGATION

The investigation consisted of a thorough review of the police report and evidence.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

The conduct of the detective was within Spokane Police Department policy and investigative procedures. The case was classified as CLOSED.