



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CHIEF OF POLICE
CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C21-067 OPO Number: N/A
Date of Complaint: 12/6/2021
Allegation: Inadequate Response
Chain of Command Finding: Unfounded
Final Discipline: Closed

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:

Officers responded to a possible burglary in progress. Upon their arrival they spoke with a person at the location, and determined this person had lawful standing and the matter was a civil dispute between a landlord and tenant.

COMPLAINT:

The complainant said the officer did not do their job appropriately and did not assess the situation properly. The complainant also thought the officer was disrespectful during the response to the call for service. The complainant alleged inadequate response and improper demeanor.

INVESTIGATION:

Spokane Police Internal Affairs investigated by interviewing the complainant and reviewing the police report and body worn camera video footage. The investigator found that the officer responded appropriately and did not display inappropriate demeanor.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

This matter was determined to be an inquiry with no policy violations or misconduct by the responding officers. The investigator contacted the complainant to explain the matter, and the complainant was satisfied with the determination.

