



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CHIEF OF POLICE
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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C22-071 OPO Number: 22-28
Date of Complaint: 11/2/2022
Allegation: Inadequate Response and Demeanor
Chain of Command Finding: Inquiry
Final Discipline: Not Applicable

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:

Spokane police officers responded to the complainant's residence for a reported burglary. The case was later assigned to a detective for investigation.

COMPLAINT:

The complainant alleged that officers were discourteous when they asked if she sold drugs. She also complained that it took too long for the case to be assigned to a detective.

INVESTIGATION:

The investigator attempted to contact the complainant. The investigator reviewed officer's reports and body worn camera footage. The investigator communicated with the SPD investigative supervisor.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

The investigation concluded that the officers' line of questioning was reasonable and appropriate given the circumstances of the initial call. The case was assigned to a detective according to available detectives and their respective caseloads.

