

## SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

# CHIEF OF POLICE CRAIG N. MEIDL

## **Closed Case Summary**

Complaint Number: C22-089 OPO Number: N/A

Date of Complaint: 4/10/2023

Allegation: Criminal

Chain of Command Finding: Not Sustained

Final Discipline: Not Applicable

#### **INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:**

The complainant contacted Spokane Police Department Internal Affairs and to report a sexual assault that allegedly occurred in approximately 15 years ago involving a Spokane Police Officer. The officer was not employed with the Spokane Police Department at the time of the alleged incident.

#### **COMPLAINT:**

Policy Violation – Policy 340.5 (X) Violating any felony/misdemeanor statute where such violation may materially affect the employee's ability to perform official duties or may be indicative of unfitness for his/her position.

#### **INVESTIGATION:**

Due to the serious criminal allegation, Washington State Patrol conducted the criminal investigation. WSP investigators determined there was no probable cause to charge the officer with a crime and it was also outside of the statute of limitations, so Spokane Police Department Internal Affairs investigated the complaint from an administrative standpoint.

### ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

Spokane Police Department Internal Affairs determined there was no supporting evidence that a crime occurred and there was no evidence of any SPD policy violations.

