

SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

CHIEF OF POLICE CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F18-023

Incident Number: 2018-20064564

Date of Incident: 4/9/2018

Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Disorderly call. Motel management requested that police evict and trespass a suspect from the location based upon his threatening behavior to both management and other tenants. The suspect was known to be armed and dangerous along with mental health issues. The suspect refused to come out of his room. He said he would assault officers if they entered the room. After attempts at communication, officers forced entry into the room. One officer performed an exceptional technique of pinning the suspect with a shield against a wall. The suspect received a visible bloody nose from the shield pinning technique. He was booked for Criminal Trespass and Obstructing.

