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Log/C.R. No. 1037959

On July 11, 2010, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on July 11, 2010 in the 18th District involving two on-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officers (Officer A and Officer B). It was alleged that both Officer A and B failed to properly search the subject while in their custody; failed to properly secure the subject while in their custody; failed to properly monitor the safety of the subject, while in their custody; failed to provide medical care for the subject, who was in need of immediate medical attention; failed to properly notify a supervisor of a sick person, the subject, in their custody; failed to treat the subject with respect and dignity; and made a false statement to IPRA. Based on statements from the accused officers and witnesses, department reports, audio recordings, and video recordings, IPRA recommended a finding of **"EXONERATED"** for the allegations that Officer A and Officer B failed to properly search the subject while in their custody and, based on the absence of a governing CPD policy, that Officer A and Officer B failed to properly notify a supervisor of a sick person, the subject, in their custody. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that Officer A and Officer B failed to properly monitor the safety of the subject, while in their custody. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A and Officer B failed to properly secure the subject while in their custody; failed to provide medical care for the subject, who was in need of immediate medical attention; failed to treat the subject with respect and dignity; and during its investigation, made a false statement to IPRA. IPRA recommended **separation for the accused officers from the department.**

Log/C.R. No. 1024576

On March 10, 2009, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on March 10, 2009 in the 7th District involving two on-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officers (Officer A and Officer B). It was alleged that Officer A and Officer B entered the residence of the victim without legal justification; seized victim without justification; threatened victim with injury and/or death; failed to secure their firearms; delayed summoning medical assistance for the victim; and that Officer B fired his firearm without justification. Based on statements from the accused officers and witnesses, reports and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A and Officer B entered the residence of the victim without legal justification and seized victim without justification. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"**

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the allegation that Officer A failed to secure his firearm. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that Officer A and Officer B threatened victim with injury and/or death and delayed summoning medical assistance for the victim. IPRA recommended a finding of **"EXONERATED"** for the allegation that Officer B fired his firearm without justification. IPRA recommended a **seventeen (17) day suspension for Officer A** and a **fifteen (15) day suspension for Officer B**.

Log/C.R. No. 1050750

On December 18, 2011, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on December 18, 2011 in the 13th District involving an on-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Sergeant and victim Lieutenant. It was alleged that the accused Sergeant verbally and physically mistreated victim Lieutenant. Based on a mediation, the accused Sergeant agreed to accept IPRA's finding of **"SUSTAINED"** for the allegation and subsequently retired from the department.

Log/C.R. No. 1017716

On June 27, 2008, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on June 26, 2008 in the 9th District involving an off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officer. It was alleged that the accused officer physically maltreated the victim during a domestic dispute; was taken into custody and placed under arrest for Domestic Battery; and violated the conditions of his bail bond when he contacted the victim via text message. Based on statements from the accused officer, victim, and witnesses, reports and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that the accused officer physically maltreated the victim during a domestic dispute; was taken into custody and placed under arrest for Domestic Battery; and violated the conditions of his bail bond when he contacted the victim via text message. IPRA recommended **separation for the accused officer from the department**.

Log/C.R. No. 1051707

On February 6, 2012, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on February 6, 2012 in the 8th District involving an off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Sergeant. It was alleged that the accused Sergeant failed to properly secure his weapon and unnecessarily discharged his weapon. Based on a mediation, the accused Sergeant agreed to accept

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IPRA's finding of **"SUSTAINED"** for the allegation and subsequently retired from the department.

Log/C.R. No. 1017110

On June 4, 2008, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on June 4, 2008 in the 14th District involving an off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Sergeant. It was alleged that the accused Sergeant directed profanities at complainant; pushed complainant; failed to provide complainant with his name and/or badge number; and brought discredit on the department by his overall actions. Based on statements from the accused officer, complainant, and witnesses, department reports, and OEMC transmissions, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that the accused officer directed profanities at complainant; pushed complainant; and brought discredit on the department by his overall actions. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that the accused officer failed to provide complainant with his name and/or badge number. IPRA recommended a **twenty (20) day suspension for the accused sergeant.**

Log/C.R. No. 1014617

On March 3, 2008, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on March 3, 2008 in the 18th District involving an off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officer. It was alleged that the accused officer engaged in a physical altercation with the complainant and was intoxicated while off-duty. Based on statements from the accused officer, complainant, and witnesses, department and medical reports, video recordings, photographs, and a breathalyzer test, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that the accused officer was intoxicated while off-duty. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that the accused officer engaged in a physical altercation with the complainant. IPRA recommended a **two (2) day suspension for the accused officer.** The accused officer resigned prior to the completion of IPRA's investigation.

Log/C.R. No. 1001556

On November 25, 2006, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA f/k/a The Office of Professional Standards), regarding an incident that occurred on November 25, 2006 in Merrionette Park, IL involving two off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officers (Officer A and Victim Officer B). It was alleged that Officer A was intoxicated off-duty; engaged in a

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verbal altercation with Victim Officer B; engaged in an unjustified physical altercation with Victim Officer B; punched Victim Officer B about the face; was arrested and charged with Battery; and engaged in conduct which brought discredit upon the Department. It was alleged that Victim Officer B was intoxicated off-duty; engaged in a verbal altercation with Officer A; engaged in an unjustified physical altercation with Officer A; and "head-butted" Officer A. Based on statements from the accused members and witnesses, police and medical reports, breathalyzer tests, and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A was intoxicated off-duty; engaged in a verbal altercation with Victim Officer B; was arrested and charged with Battery; and engaged in conduct which brought discredit upon the Department. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A engaged in an unjustified physical altercation with Victim Officer B and punched Victim Officer B about the face. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Victim Officer B was intoxicated off-duty; engaged in an unjustified physical altercation with Officer A; and "head-butted" Officer A. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that Victim Officer B engaged in a verbal altercation with Officer A. IPRA recommended a **ten (10) day suspension for Officer A.**

Log/C.R. No. 1003207

On February 2, 2007, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA f/k/a The Office of Professional Standards), regarding an incident that occurred on February 2, 2007 in the 3rd District involving two off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officers (Officer A and Officer B). It was alleged that Officer A struck victim on the back of the head; punched victim on the mouth; verbally abused victim; and provided a false statement to IPRA. It was alleged that Officer B observed Officer A engage in misconduct and failed to report the misconduct. Based on statements from the accused members, victim and witnesses, reports, and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A punched victim on the mouth and provided a false statement to IPRA. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A struck victim on the back of the head and verbally abused victim. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that Officer B observed Officer A engage in misconduct and failed to report the misconduct. IPRA recommended a **thirty (30) day suspension for Officer A.**

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Log/C.R. No. 1034720

On March 16, 2010, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on March 16, 2010 in the 10th District involving two on-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officers (Officer A and Officer B). It was alleged that both Officer A and Officer B conducted an unjustified traffic stop of the vehicle Complainant A drove; admitted to past use of racially-biased language; were verbally abusive towards Complainant A and Complainant B; threatened Complainant A and Complainant B; made coercive statements to Complainant A; made a coercive statement to Complainant B; made a false department report; and observed misconduct and failed to take action. Based on statements from the accused members and complainants, department records, and a cell phone audio recording IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer A conducted an unjustified traffic stop of the vehicle Complainant A drove; made a false department report; and observed misconduct and failed to take action. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that Officer A admitted to past use of racially-biased language; was verbally abusive towards Complainant A and Complainant B; threatened Complainant A and Complainant B; made coercive statements to Complainant A; and made a coercive statement to Complainant B. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer B admitted to past use of racially-biased language; was verbally abusive towards Complainant A and Complainant B; threatened Complainant A and Complainant B; and made coercive statements to Complainant A. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations that Officer B conducted an unjustified traffic stop of the vehicle Complainant A drove; made a coercive statement to Complainant B; and made a false department report. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that Officer B observed misconduct and failed to take action. IPRA recommended a **thirty (30) day suspension for Officer B.**

Log/C.R. No. 1006000

On May 24, 2007, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA f/k/a The Office of Professional Standards), regarding an incident that occurred on May 24, 2007 in the 25th District involving one off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officer (Officer A) and one on-duty CPD Officer (Officer B). It was alleged that on May 24, 2007, Officer A engaged in a physical altercation with the victim; verbally abused the victim; threatened the victim; and unnecessarily displayed his weapon. It was also alleged

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that on May 29, 2007, Officer A brought discredit upon the department when he was arrested and charged with Domestic Battery. It was alleged that on November 19, 2005, Officer A verbally abused the victim and unnecessarily displayed his weapon. It was alleged that on May 24, 2007, Officer B verbally abused the victim. Based on statements from the accused officers, victim and witnesses, department and medical reports, court records, and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on May 24, 2007, Officer A engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. Further, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on May 29, 2007, Officer A brought discredit upon the department when he was arrested and charged with Domestic Battery. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations on May 24, 2007, Officer A verbally abused the victim; threatened the victim; and unnecessarily displayed his weapon. Further, IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegations on that November 19, 2005, Officer A verbally abused the victim and unnecessarily displayed his weapon. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on May 24, 2007, Officer B verbally abused the victim. IPRA recommended a **fifteen (15) day suspension for Officer A.**

Log/C.R. No. 1007584

On July 16, 2007, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA f/k/a The Office of Professional Standards), regarding an incident that occurred on July 16, 2007 in the 5th District involving a Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officer. It was alleged that on July 16, 2007, Officer A engaged in a physical altercation with the victim; verbally abused the victim; had victim's cell phone service disconnected; and was intoxicated. It was alleged that on July 11, 2007, Officer A engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. It was alleged that on December 17, 2006, Officer A engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. It was alleged that between October 2006 and July 2007, Officer A pointed a gun at the victim and threatened to kill her; threatened to have victim's children taken away from her; and threatened to have victim's family members arrested. It was alleged on an unspecified date, Officer A obtained a copy of victim's criminal history. Based on statements from the accused officer, victim and witnesses, department and medical records, cell phone data, and photographs, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on July 16, 2007, the accused officer engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on July 16, 2007, the accused officer verbally abused the victim. IPRA recommended a finding of

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"EXONERATED" for the allegation that on July 16, 2007, the accused officer had victim's cell phone service disconnected. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that on July 16, 2007, the accused officer was intoxicated. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on July 11, 2007, the accused officer engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegation that on December 17, 2007, the accused officer engaged in a physical altercation with the victim. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that between October 2006 and July 2007, the accused officer pointed a gun at the victim and threatened to kill her and threatened to have victim's children taken away from her. IPRA recommended to **"NOT SUSTAIN"** the allegation that between October 2006 and July 2007, the accused officer threatened to have victim's family members arrested. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that on an unspecified date, the accused officer obtained a copy of victim's criminal history. IPRA recommended **separation for the accused officer from the department.**