

**SALT LAKE CITY POLICE CIVILIAN REVIEW BOARD
1st QUARTERLY REPORT 2015**

April 22, 2015

PANELS

Panels initiated in the 1st quarter of 2014 with case numbers included in that chart:

C2013-0031

Allegation: Evidence Mishandling/Failure to Adhere to Policy
Panel Recommend: No Determination is Possible/Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Pending

C2014-0010

Allegation: S - Mishandled Evidence, S1 - Mishandled Evidence
Panel Recommend: S – No Determination is Possible, S1 - Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

Panels initiated in the 2nd of 2014 quarter with case numbers included in that chart:

C2014-0042

Allegation: S - Improper Use of Force, W5/W6 – Failure to Report Misconduct
Panel Recommend: S – Sustained, W5/W6 - Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Pending

Panels initiated in the 3rd quarter of 2014 with case numbers included in that chart:

C2014-0076

Allegation: Conduct Unbecoming
Panel Recommend: Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Sustained

C2014-0113

Allegation: Unreasonable Use of Force

Panel Recommend: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

S2014-0004

Allegation: OIS-Person: Fatal

Panel Recommend: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

Panels initiated in the 1st quarter of 2015 with case numbers included in that chart:

C2015-0004

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel Recommend: Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Pending

C2015-0009

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel Recommend: Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

S2015-0001

Allegation: OIS-Person: Fatal

Panel Recommend: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

Trends/Issues Identified and Relayed to the Police Department

A review of all complaints shows only three cases wherein there was any allegation about the improper use of force, of any type. One of these cases was a tragic OIS matter wherein the citizen was killed as a result of the encounter. Not only did the CRB review this matter, a separate IA investigation as well as a review by the SLCo District Attorney's Office was completed with all three entities arriving at the same decision. Other panels listed above show a difference of opinion in one reviewed matter between CRB and IA, with a number of cases already decided upon by CRB yet still pending in the SLCPD.

A review of data does not reveal any specific officer or unit involved in an abnormally high number of complaints. CRB looks for these trends to ensure that officers across the spectrum are providing good service to the public no matter their assignments.

CRB noted that the recommended training suggested in past reports has resulted in no complaints concerning Search/Seizure issues this quarter. This is a great outcome and is greatly appreciated by not only CRB members, but the public as well since improper search and seizure is an issue in many cities across the nation.

Internal Affairs Cases
January 1 – March 31, 2015

20 Vehicle accidents
0 Intelligence cases
1 Pursuits
5 Firearms discharge
26 IA cases

Dispositions: AD: Administratively Declined

PO: Polled the PCRB

PA: PCRB Panel Held

File #	Category	Sworn Y/N	Use of Force Y/N	Disposition	Status	Summary
C2015-0001	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Detective did not return citizen phone call.
0002	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-Officer put untrue facts in a police report.
0003	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Officer profiled her because she was a woman.
0004	1	Y	Y	PA	Open	Officer used inappropriate force during an arrest.
0005	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Inappropriate use of a baton. (See C2015-0009)
0006	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen disagreed with Officer's report of his wife's accident.
0007	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Officer received NDI in regards to leave time.
0008	M-file	Y	N	AD	Resolved by Bur	Citizen Complaint-Detective was not working on solving stolen car case.
0009	2	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen Complaint-Misuse of force with Officer's baton.
0010	M-file	Y	N	AD	Resolved by Bur	Citizen Complaint-Driving Habits.
0011	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Detective did not do a proper investigation
0012	M-file	Y	N	AD	Resolved by Bur	Citizen Complaint-Officer was rude over the telephone
0013	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Officer neglected to book

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						evidence.
0014	Complaint	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen from Clearfield claimed Officer's ordered an attack on him.
0015	M-file	N	N	AD	Unfounded	A Boy Scout claimed an Officer threatened him. Man was not a SLC employee.
0016	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen Complaint-Officer obtained financial info on a citizen without cause.
0017	2	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Officer was acting intimidating at a school board meeting. Citizen withdrew his complaint.
0018	Complaint	Y	N	AD	Resolved by Bur	Citizen Complaint-Upset by how an Officer handled his mother's traffic accident.
0019	M-file	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen felt an Officer was intimidating and treated him in a threatening manner.
0020	Complaint	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen Complaint-Officers wouldn't help him find his dog while he was having a PTSD flashback.
0021	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Officer's ex claimed that she took their child while on duty.
0022	M-file	N	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen having ongoing issues with Parking Enforcement.
0023	2	Y	N	AD	Open	IMS personnel allege Sergeant acted unprofessionally.
0024	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Complaint that two Officers are having an affair.
0025	M-file	N	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen upset over a traffic situation.
0026	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen upset over public comments made by Chief. No policy issues identified.

File #	Category	Sworn Y / N	Use of Force Y / N	Disposition	Status	Summary
P2015-0001	Pursuit	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Pursuit of vehicle wanted for an Aggravated Assault/Kidnapping.
S2015-0001	Firearm Discharge	Y	Y	PA	In Policy	Citizen involved shooting. Citizen deceased.
0002	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Put down badly injured deer.
0003	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Put down badly injured deer.
0004	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Put down badly injured deer.
0005	Firearm Discharge	Y	Y	Pending	Open	Shooting involving injuring a citizen.

OVERVIEW of IA MATTERS (1st Quarter 2015)

52 Total Internal Affairs (IA) Matters

-26 Administrative (20 Accidents; 5 Firearm Discharges; 1 Pursuit)

-26 IA Cases

--Cat 1 1
---2 allege "Use of Force" in some manner, OISs.
--Cat 2 5
---1 alleges "Use of Force" in some manner
--M Files 17
--Complaint 3

Personnel Involved

-23 Sworn

-- 4 involve Rudeness, Inconsiderate Contact, and/or poor Driving Habits

-0 Civilian Employees