

**SALT LAKE CITY POLICE CIVILIAN REVIEW BOARD
2nd QUARTERLY REPORT**

July 14, 2011

PANELS

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

C2011-0005

Allegation: Inconsiderate Contact

Panel Recmnd: Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Sustained

C2011-0042

Allegation: Improper Search

Panel Recmnd: Unfounded

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0050

Allegation: Release of Confidential Information

Panel Recmnd: Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Sustained

Panels with cases initiated and reported upon this quarter:

C2011-0067

Allegation: Unlawful Entry/Improper Search of Individual

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated/Unfounded

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained/Not Sustained

C2011-0072

Allegation: Excessive Force/Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: Unfounded/Exonerated

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained/Not Sustained

C2011-0084

Allegation: Evidence Mishandling

Panel Recmnd: Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0085

Allegation: Inappropriate Force

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0099

Allegation: Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0108

Allegation: Unlawful Entry (S)/Failure to file Police Report (S)/Unlawful Entry & Improper Search of Home (S1)

Panel Recmnd: Sustained (S)/Sustained (S)/Exonerated (S1)
SLCPD Finding: Pending

Trends/Issues Identified and Relayed to the Police Department

No significant trends were identified this quarter that had not already been pointed out and none of those types of isolated issues were systemic to an individual or a unit. It was noted that improper use of Law Enforcement data bases for unauthorized purposes again occurred and it is recommended that employees, since this issue is not limited to sworn personnel, must be constantly reminded that accessing and disseminating such information , for personal reasons, is improper and will not be tolerated.

Improper Use of Force allegations, of all types, are well below the national average which reflects well upon the SLCPD from top to bottom. It was noted that of the four such allegations that were put forth, the various Panels found the complaints to be without merit. Equally satisfying was that of the officers exonerated of such claims, none were accused by multiple citizens in separate incidents and no history of similar allegations was noted.

Search and Seizure law violations continue to occur and will most likely continue due to the ever changing law and the length of time from initial training/FTO in the aging work force of officers. In one case, a second officer was exonerated in a situation his partner was sustained in due to specific factors at play in the case. Once again, PCRБ is glad to note that of the violations of Search and Seizure law seen to date, no incident includes an element beyond a simple mistake or misunderstanding of the applicable law/policy. In other words, no intentional violation of Search and Seizure policy was noted or even alleged by the complainants.

Internal Affairs Cases

April 1 – June 30, 2011

25 Vehicle accidents

0 Intelligence cases

3 Pursuits

6 Firearms discharge – 1 Subject Fatality/1 Subject Injury/2 Injured
Animals/2 Attacking Dogs

52 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
C2011-0062	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0063	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-conduct unbecoming of an officer
0064	1	N	N	AD	Resigned	Dispatcher failed to handle 9-1 call per procedure
0065	1	N	N	AD	Resigned	Dispatcher failed follow proper procedure
0066	M-file	N	N	AD	Sustained	Employee showed up late for assignment
0067	1	Y	N	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-unlawful entry, unlawful strip search
0068	M-file	N	N	AD	Sustained	Employees 4 th time being late for work
0069	1	N	N	AD	Open	Civilian employee used position to gain privileges
0070	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0071	2	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer failed to qualify with his duty handgun
0072	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Excessive force
0073	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0074	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-Inconsiderate contact
0075	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-alleges officer didn't do a proper investigation
0076	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-driving habits/improper lane change
0077	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Officer failed to show up for an assignment

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0078	2	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer failed to qualify with his duty handgun
0079	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-claims traffic stop was improper
0080	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-alleges officers failed to take action
0081	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0082	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0083	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-claimed an officer was under the influence due to his pale complexion
0084	1	Y	N	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-alleges officer mishandled property
0085	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Inappropriate force
0086	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-driving habits/following too close
0087	2	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer driving marked vehicle outside of jurisdiction and county in which he lives
0088	2	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-rude and unprofessional behavior
0089	1	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-officer left an inappropriate phone message
0090	M-file	N	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	No allegation against any specific officer
0091	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-alleges officer caused damage to a door knocking on it
0092	1	N	N	AD	Open	Employee not accurate in her time keeping duties
0093	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-driving habits/failed to use turn signals
0094	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0095	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Officer given an NDI in regards to the personal break policy
0096	M-file	N	N	AD	Sustained	Employee given an NDI for records access and dissemination
0097	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-unfair treatment

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0098	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-rude contact.
0099	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Excessive force
0100	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-officers damaged property & inconsiderate contact
0101	2	N	N	AD	Open	Employee failed to report for duty
0102	2	N	N	AD	Open	Employee failed to report traffic accident involving city owned vehicle
0103	2	Y	N	Pending	Open	Officer allegedly misplaced his duty handgun
0104	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-driving habits/speeding
0105	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-no allegations of misconduct or policy violations
0106	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-officers didn't recover fingerprints at scene of burglary as asked to
0107	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Officer allegedly accessed and released personal info
0108	1	Y	N	PA	Open	Officer performed an unlawful search and failed to document his actions on his police report
0109	1	Y	Y	Pending	Open	Excessive Force
0110	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen upset over being issued two citations
0111	1	Y	N	Pending	Open	Citizen alleges officer mishandled money that was seized during an arrest
0112	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Officer received NDI's in regards to emergency responses
0113	2	N	N	AD	Open	Dispatcher arrived late to her shift
S11-0007	Firearm Discharge	Y	Y	PO	Open	Subject Fatality
S11-0008	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Injured Deer
S11-0009	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	2 Attacking Dogs
S11-0010	Firearm Discharge	Y	Y	Pending	Open	Subject Injury
S11-0011	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Attacking Dogs
S11-0012	Firearm	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Injured Deer

File #	Category	Sworn Y / N	Use of Force Y / N	Disposition	Status	Summary
	Discharge					

OVERVIEW of IA MATTERS (4th Quarter 2010)

86 Total Internal Affairs (IA) Matters

-34 Administrative (25 Accidents; 6 Firearm Discharges; 3 Pursuits)

-52 IA Cases

--Cat 1 13

---4 allege "Use of Force" in some manner

--Cat 2 15

--M Files 24

Personnel Involved

-41 Sworn

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

-11 Civilian Employees