

**SALT LAKE CITY POLICE CIVILIAN REVIEW BOARD
3rd QUARTERLY REPORT**

October 13, 2011

PANELS

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

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

S2011-0010

Allegation: Improper Application of Deadly Use of Force Policy/Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Sustained

Panels with cases initiated and reported upon this quarter:

C2011-0103

Allegation: Failure to Secure a Firearm

Panel Recmnd: Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Sustained

C2011-0109

Allegation: Improper Use of Force

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0111

Allegation: Mishandling of Evidence

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0127

Allegation: Conduct Unbecoming an Officer

Panel Recmnd: Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Pending

C2011-0128

Allegation: Failure to take Police Action/Failure to Document

Panel Recmnd: Sustained/Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Pending

C2011-0133

Allegation: Failure to take Police Action

Panel Recmnd: Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Pending

C2011-0136

Allegation: Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2011-0150

Allegation: Inconsiderate Contact

Panel Recmnd: Sustained

SLCPD Finding: Pending

Trends/Issues Identified and Relayed to the Police Department

This quarter, PCRB sustained on 66% of the full investigations conducted which greatly exceeded the 20—25% average over the past four years. A full examination of this first time trend was undertaken looking to identify personnel, specific units or training issues that could explain this dramatic shift, but no such factors were discovered. The cases involved ran the gamut of allegations, ranging from the Use of Deadly Force to Failure to Provide Medical assistance and no common denominators were noted. It appears to be one of those statistical quirks that often occur and other than case specific recommendations, which are noted in the written PCRB reports, no other suggestions seem appropriate.

PCRB met with the Salt Lake City Human Rights Commission, another City board, in a small meeting to exchange mission statements and explain areas of oversight by each board. The two boards agreed to cooperate on those areas of mutual concern and oversight and meet again in the future as our respective missions dictate.

Last month, the yearly meeting of the National Association of Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement was held wherein trends and the latest strategies involved in conducting oversight tasking was discussed over four days. Salt Lake City was a presenter at one of the meetings and it became apparent that the practices used by our PCRB are cutting edge when compared to other cities and their experiences. Salt Lake City's model and results are highly effective in achieving the goal all oversight models are striving for.

Internal Affairs Cases

July 1 – September 30, 2011

17 Vehicle accidents

0 Intelligence cases

3 Pursuits

4 Firearms discharge –1 Subject Injury/3 Injured Deer

48 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
C2011-0114	2	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer failed to take reasonable care of his vehicle
0115	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-improperly impounding a vehicle
0116	M-file	Y	Y	AD	Closed-Info Only	Excessive Force
0117	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-rude contact and improper arrest
0118	M-file	N	N	AD	NDI	Employee failed to support a co-worker
0119	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-Officer used inappropriate language
0120	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-Improper investigation
0121	M-file	N	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	UHP were responding officers not SLCPD
0122	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-poor driving habits
0123	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Inconsiderate Contact
0124	M-file	N	N		Closed-Info Only	Anonymous unverifiable complaint-inconsiderate contact
0125	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-rude contact
0126	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-Improper Investigation & Inconsiderate contact
0127	1	Y	N	PA	Open	Officer had inappropriate relationship with an arrested person
0128	1	Y	N	PA	Open	Officer failed to take

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						appropriate action and failed to make a police report
0129	2	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-Inconsiderate contact
0130	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Officer parked illegally
0131	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-officers failed to take appropriate police action
0132	2	N	N	AD	Sustained	Dispatcher failed to show up for a scheduled shift
0133	1	Y	N	PA	Sustained	Officer did not take appropriate action on a medical assist
0134	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Officer failed to properly maintain his vehicle
0135	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Officer received an NDI related to department policy
0136	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Excessive Force
0137	2	N	N	AD	Sustained	Supervisor did not show up for a scheduled shift
0138	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-aggressive driving
0139	2	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer failed to follow grooming standards and show support and respect towards supervisor
0140	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Officer failed to follow department policy regarding secondary employment
0141	1	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Officer had an unauthorized ride along and failed to perform his duties on a part time assignment
0142	M-file	N	N	AD	NDI	Employee arrived late
0143	2	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-felt officer should have performed an arrest
0144	M-file	Y	N	AD	Open	Officer parked illegally
0145	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Resolved by Division	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0146	1	N	N	AD	Open	Employee is associating with known felons and accessing police records for personal knowledge

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0147	2	N	N	AD	Open	Employee failing to maintain proper care of assigned vehicle
0148	2	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint-Rude contact
0149	2	N	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen complaint-PD won't release his firearm to him (he is a restricted person who can not possess a firearm)
0150	1	Y	N	PA	Sustained	Citizen complaint-says officers were rude to her son
0151	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-driving habits, speeding
0152	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0153	1	N	N	AD	Open	Employee failed to perform his assigned duties
0154	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed-Info Only	Citizen claimed an officer took prescription drugs from her home but refused to follow up
0155	1	Y	N	Pending	Not Sustained	Mishandling of Property/Evidence
0156	M-file	N	N	AD	NDI	Dispatcher failed to properly perform duties
0157	M-file	N	N	AD	NDI	Employee did not report for work
0158	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-Rudeness
0159	2	Y	N	AD	Open	Citizen complaint-inconsiderate contact
0160	2	N	N	AD	Open	Employee took time off when it was not clear to do so
0161	1	Y	Y	Pending	Not Sustained	Inappropriate Use of Force
S11-0013	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Injured Deer
S11-0014	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Injured Deer
S11-0015	Firearm Discharge	Y	N	AD	In Policy	Injured Deer
S11-0016	Firearm Discharge	Y	Y	Pending	Open	Subject Injury

OVERVIEW of IA MATTERS (3rd Quarter 2011)

72 Total Internal Affairs (IA) Matters

-24 Administrative (17 Accidents; 4 Firearm Discharges; 3 Pursuits)

-48 IA Cases

--Cat 1 10

---3 allege "Use of Force" in some manner

--Cat 2 19

--M Files 19

Personnel Involved

-35 Sworn

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

-13 Civilian Employees