

SALT LAKE CITY POLICE CIVILIAN REVIEW BOARD QUARTERLY REPORT

January 1, 2010

PANELS

Panels listed on the 3rd Quarterly Report but still pending at that time within the SLCPD:

C2008-0200

Allegation: Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2009-0203

Allegation: Excessive Force

Panel's Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2009-0231

Allegation: Improper Search/Seizure

Panel's Recmnd: Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

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

C2009-0201

Allegation: Excessive Force

Panel Recmnd: No Determination is Possible
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2008-0204/0263

Allegations: Failure to Perform Duty; Excessive Force;
Interfering with an Investigation

Panel Recmnd: Sustained; Sustained; Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Sustained; Not Sustained; Active (C09-0263)

C2008-0207

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force; Mishandling of Evidence; Rudeness

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated; Sustained; Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained; Not Sustained; Not Sustained

C2008-0233

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel Recmnd: Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2008-0234

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force (Two Allegations)

Panel Recmnd: Exonerated; Unfounded
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained; Not Sustained

C2009-0237

Allegation: Rude Comment, Racial in Nature; Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Exonerated; Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained; Not Sustained; Not Sustained

C2009-0238

Allegation: Improper Use of Force; Improper Seizure of a gun

Panel's Recmnd: Exonerated; Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

Panels with cases initiated and reported upon this quarter:

C2009-0255

Allegation: Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Sustained
SLCPD Finding: Sustained

C2009-0271

Allegation: Improper Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Exonerated
SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2009-0274

Allegation: Rude/Inconsiderate Contact; Inappropriate Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Sustained; Exonerated

SLCPD Finding: Active

C2009-0279

Allegation: Inconsiderate Contact-Discrimination

Panel's Recmnd: Unfounded

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

C2009-0282

Allegation: Inconsiderate Contact; Unnecessary Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Unfounded; Exonerated

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained; Not Sustained

C2009-0289

Allegation: Unnecessary Use of Force

Panel's Recmnd: Exonerated

SLCPD Finding: Not Sustained

Trends/Issues Identified and Relayed to the Police Department

Previous Quarterly Reports in 2009 identified trends and noted them for the SLCPD's use. Based upon a review of data in this last quarter of the year, it appears that changes and further training of officers by the SLCPD has dramatically reduced citizen complaints about these identified issues, such as "search and seizure" procedures. This is to be commended and reflects the effectiveness of this process. Complaints this calendar year have dropped by roughly nine percent, indicating a downward trend and fewer instances of dissatisfaction with the police by the public with whom they interact. Forty full investigative panels were conducted this year with 265 other allegations examined.

In the 4th Quarter, no trends were noted and no systemic failures/oversights were observed.

**Internal Affairs Cases
October 1 – December 31, 2009**

23 Vehicle accidents
0 Intelligence cases
0 Pursuits
4 Firearms discharge – injured deer
50 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
C2009-0255	1	Y	Y	PA	Sustained	Citizen complaint – during arrest officer knocked him to the ground and threatened him with his dog.
0256	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Citizen complaint – failure to complete proper documentation in vehicle accident w/ injuries.
0257	1	Y	N	AD	Active	Failure to support co-worker by providing back-up.
0258	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Officer used emergency lights to stop a reckless driver. Not a pursuit.
0259	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Citizen complaint; failure to conduct proper investigation in traffic accident.
0260	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint; officer failure to perform duty.
0261	1	N	N	AD	Active	Failure to support co-workers; failure to supervise; interfering w/ investigation.
0262	1	Y	N	AD	Sustained	Inappropriate records access; untruthfulness
0263	1	Y	N	AD Combined in a Panel with 0204	Active	Citizen complaint; interfering w/ investigation; intimidation
0264	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint – inconsiderate contact
0265	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint – inconsiderate contact
0266	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed -	Citizen complaint – failure

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					resolved by division	to use child restraint in vehicle.
0267	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint – illegal entry.
0268	1	Y	N	AD	Active	Citizen complaint – failure to perform duty; rudeness.
0269	2	Y	N	AD	NDI	Citizen complaint; rudeness; improper use of discretion
0270	M-file	Y	N	AD	Not sustained	Citizen complaint; driving habits – speeding.
0271	1	Y	Y	PA Exonerated	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint; inappropriate force used during arrest.
0272	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Failure to attend firearms qualification.
0273	M-file	Y	Y	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint; improper use of discretion; assault – complaint withdrawn.
0274	1	Y	Y	PA	Active	Citizen complaint; inappropriate force during traffic stop; use of profanity.
0275	1	Y	Y	PO	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint; inappropriate use of force.
0276	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint; rudeness
0277	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint; driving habits – speeding
0278	M-file	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint; driving habits
0279	1	Y	N	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint; racial profiling; harassment
0280	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen request for restitution in kidnapping case.
0281	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint; failure to perform duty.
0282	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint- inappropriate force; inconsiderate contact
0283	M-file	N	N	AD	NDI	Tardiness
0284	2	Y	N	AD	Active	Failure to support coworkers – verbal confrontation
0285	1	Y	N	AD	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint- inconsiderate contact;

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						inaccurate report.
0287	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint – inappropriate accusation
0288	1	Y	Y	Ongoing	Active	Citizen complaint – inappropriate force , pointing weapon at child; failure to write report
0289	1	Y	Y	PA	Not Sustained	Citizen complaint – inappropriate force used during arrest
0290	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Citizen complaint – driving habits, reckless.
0291	2	Y	N	AD	Active	Failure to pass firearm qualification
0292	1	Y	N	AD	Active	Citizen complaint – improper handling of evidence
0293	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint – improper arrest (discrepancy w/ protective order)
0294	1	Y	N	PO	Active	Officer issued misdemeanor citation by Lehi PD for disorderly conduct
0295	1	Y	Y	Ongoing		Citizen complaint – inappropriate use of force
0296	M-file	Y	N	AD	NDI	Performance of duty
0297	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint – improper performance of duty – held w/out cause
0298	1	Y	N	AD	Active	Citizen complaint; failure to take action; mishandling evidence
0299	M-file	Y	Y	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint; inappropriate use of force. Complainant did not cooperative w/ investigation, could not recall events due to intoxication and provided no specific allegation.
0300	M-file	Y	Y	AD	Closed – info only	Citizen complaint – inappropriate force, complaint withdrawn
0301	1	Y	N	AD	Active	Citizen complaint – improper entry.
0302	1	Y	Y	Ongoing	Active	Citizen complaint – inappropriate force used during arrest of son.

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0303	M-file	Y	N	AD	Closed – resolved by division	Failure to attend required training.
0304	M-file	Y	N	AD	Active	Failure to support coworker – posted material on Facebook page
0305	M-file	Y	N	AD	Active	Failure to abide by subpoena

OVERVIEW of IA MATTERS (4th Quarter 2009)

77 Total Internal Affairs (IA) Matters

-27 Administrative (23 Accidents; 4 Firearm Discharges)

-50 IA Cases

--Cat 1 20

---12 allege "Use of Force" in some manner

--Cat 2 3

--M Files 27

Personnel Involved

-48 Sworn

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

- 2 Civilian Employees