

CITIZEN POLICE REVIEW BOARD

816 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 400, PITTSBURGH, PA 15219

BOARD ACTION DATE: 9/27/05

CASE REVIEW AGENDA

CPRB# / INVESTIGATOR	ALLEGATION	SUMMARY	REASON
PUBLIC HEARINGS (1)			
113-05-T Gamble	Use of Force (PBP 12-6) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. acted inappropriately when responding to a neighborhood dispute.	Authorized a Public Hearing.
FULL INVESTIGATIONS (5)			
73-05 Gamble ECP	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cxs allege that the S.O. acted inappropriately during a traffic.	Authorized a Full Investigation.
74-05 Gamble ECP	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Warrantless Searches & Seizures (PBP 45-2)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. acted inappropriately which caused a physical altercation between the two.	Authorized a Full Investigation.
76-05 Gamble ECP	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.7) Neglect of Duty (PBP 16-1, 3.13)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. refused to take a police report.	Authorized a Full Investigation.
108-05 Gamble ECP	Towing & Tow Pound Procedures (PBP 41-4) Neglect of Duty (PBP 16-1, 3.13)	Cx. alleges that his vehicle was towed in error and that the S.O. was unable to complete the investigation.	Authorized a Full Investigation.
124-05 Matts ECP	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7) Truthfulness (PBP 16-1, 3.19) Motor Vehicle Stops (PBP 40-4)	Cx. alleges that he was threatened by the S.O. and issued an unwarranted citation.	Authorized a Full Investigation.

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30-DAY EXTENSION OF FULL INVESTIGATION (1)			
391-04 Matts	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that she was mistreated during an accident investigation.	Authorized a 30-Day Extension.
OTHERS (11)			
10-02-W Gamble	Use of Force (PBP 12-6) Warrantless Searches and Seizures (PBP 45-2) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s used excessive force during his arrest.	Suspension Occurred: 10-22-02 (Awaiting Cx's possible release date).
106-02 Gamble	Records/Reports/Files-General Regulation (S.O. #1 & #2) (PBP 62-1) Truthfulness (S.O. #2) (PBP 16-1, 3.19) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (S.O. #2) (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that she received a false traffic citation after the S.O.'s vehicle hit the Cx.'s vehicle.	Suspension Occurred: 03-25-03 (S.O. #2, on military duty).
269-03 Matts	Use of Force (PBP 12-6)	Cx. alleges the S.O. shot and killed the Victim before all non-lethal measures were attempted.	Suspension Occurred: 09-23-03 (Awaiting conclusion of coroner's investigation).
339-03 Matts	Use of Force (S.O. #1) (PBP 12-6) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Records/Reports/Files-General Regulations (S.O. #2, 3, &4) (PBP 62-1) Neglect of Duty (S.O. #1) (PBP 16-1, 3.13)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s utilized excessive force and also wrote a false report.	Suspension Occurred: 02/24/04 (Pending reevaluation of complaint due to the investigator's separation from the agency).
363-03 Matts	Use of Force (PBP 12-6)	Cx. alleges the S.O.s used excessive force during his arrest.	Suspension Occurred: 02/24/04 (Pending reevaluation of complaint due to the investigator's separation from the agency).
101-04 Gamble	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. was rude to her while she was trying to file a police report.	Suspension Occurred: 12/7/04 Pending consideration of possible reclassification.

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210-04 Matts	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7) Towing & Tow Pound Procedures (PBP 41-4)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. did not treat him properly and arrested him without cause.	Suspension Occurred: 1/25/05 (Pending re-evaluation by the executive director).
228-04 Matts	Towing & Tow Pound Procedures (PBP 41-4) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that his vehicle was wrongfully towed.	Suspension Occurred: 1/25/05 Pending possible reclassification of complaint.
245-04 Matts	Obedience to Orders &/or Laws (PBP 16-1, 3.1) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. was rude to him and issued an improper citation.	Suspension Occurred: 12/7/04 Pending possible reclassification of complaint.
05-05-T Gamble	Use of Force (PBP 12-6) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7) Property of Prisoners & Suspects (PBP 50-02)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s used excessive force on her after she was arrested.	Suspended Until Complainant's Court Hearing Date: 10/25/05.
110-05 Gamble	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O acted inappropriately when asking for directions.	Suspended Pending Consideration of Possible Reclassification.
DISMISSALS (13)			
UNSUSTAINABLE (4)			
199-04 Gamble	Warrantless Searches & Seizures (PBP 45-2) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s did not act appropriately during several incidents involving a neighborhood dispute.	Dismissed as Unsustainable.

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349-04 Gamble	Warrantless Searches & Seizures (PBP 45-2) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s failed to immediately call medics for his gunshot wounds.	Dismissed as Unsustainable.
03-05-T Gamble	Use of Force (S.O. #1, 2, & 3) (PBP 12-6) Obedience to Order &/or Laws (PBP 16-1, 3.1) (S.O. #1 & 2) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (All S.O.s) (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	The Cx. alleges that the S.O.s were unprofessional and used unnecessary force during a protest.	Dismissed as Unsustainable.
19-05-T Gamble	Motor Vehicle Stops (PBP 40-04) Warrantless Searches & Seizures (PBP 45-2)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s searched him and his vehicle without consent.	Dismissed as Unsustainable.
UNFOUNDED (7)			
438-04 Matts ECP	General Firearms Regulations (PBP 34-1)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s violated the law by carrying their weapons while in an alcohol serving establishment.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
22-05 Matts ECP	Neglect of Duty (PBP 16-1,3.13)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s neglected their duties by not taking a report of an incident.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
77-05-T Gamble	Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. would not allow him time to ask for directions.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
102-05 Matts ECP	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s violated his civil rights.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
104-05 Matts ECP	Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. accused him of loitering.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
161-05 Matts ECP	Conduct Toward the Public (PBP 16-1, 3.7)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. embarrassed, harassed, humiliated, and intimidated him without provocation.	Dismissed as Unfounded.
162-05 Matts ECP	Neglect of Duty (PBP 16-1, 3.13)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s did not respond appropriately to his 911 call.	Dismissed as Unfounded.

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WITHDRAWAL (2)			
96-05 Gamble ECP	Self-Assigned Investigations (PBP 16-1, 3.47)) Use of Force (PBP 12-6) Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6)	Cx. alleges that the S.O. acted inappropriately during a family dispute.	Accepted Complainant's request to withdraw.
134-05 Gamble	Conduct Unbecoming a Member (PBP 16-1, 3.6) Warrantless Searches & Seizures (PBP 45-2)	Cx. alleges that the S.O.s stole a large sum of money from him.	Accepted Complainant's request to withdraw.
OUT OF JURISDICTION (0)			
LACK OF COOPERATION (0)			

*** ECP = Executive Director reviewed fact-finding summary and authorized a Preliminary Inquiry or concurred with recommendations of dismissal. The Board before this meeting has not seen these cases and you retain final action on these "new" cases.**