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*Log/C.R. No. 1026051*

**Notification Date:** May 4, 2009

**Location:** 13<sup>th</sup> District

**Complaint:** Excessive Force

**Summary:** In an incident involving two on-duty CPD members (Sergeant and Officer) and a Subject, it was alleged the Officer punched the Subject without justification and falsified a departmental report. The involved Sergeant is alleged to have observed or had knowledge of the alleged misconduct, but failed to initiate a complaint and falsified a departmental report.

**Sergeant:** During mediation, the Sergeant agreed to accept IPRA's finding of "**SUSTAINED**" and a penalty of a **Reprimand** for the allegations that he failed to initiate a complaint involving the alleged misconduct observed. "**NOT SUSTAINED**" for the allegation that he provided false information in a department report.

**Officer:** Based on statements from the accused and four witnesses; photographs, videos, and court documents IPRA recommended a finding of "**SUSTAINED**" and a penalty of a **5-day suspension** for the allegation that he punched the Subject without justification; "**NOT SUSTAINED**" for the allegation that he provided false information in a department report.

*Log/C.R. No. 1051669*

**Notification Date:** February 3, 2012

**Location:** 13<sup>th</sup> District

**Complaint:** Unnecessary Physical Contact

**Summary:** In an incident involving two on-duty CPD members (Lieutenant and Officer), it was alleged that, while inside the 13<sup>th</sup> District police facility, the Lieutenant bumped the Officer with his shoulder, screamed and yelled at the Officer, displayed unprofessional behavior, and made racial remarks towards the Officer.

**Finding:** Based on statements from the accused Lieutenant, the Officer and six witnesses, IPRA recommended the following:

**Lieutenant:** A finding of "**SUSTAINED**" and a penalty of a **5-day suspension** for the allegations that the Lieutenant screamed and

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yelled at the Officer, was unprofessional in his behavior, and made racial remarks toward the Officer; **“NOT SUSTAINED”** for the allegation that he intentionally bumped the Officer with his shoulder.