

## Abstracts of Sustained Cases

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### *Log/C.R. No. 1021573*

On November 9, 2008, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on November 9, 2008, involving an off-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Captain and Sergeant. It was alleged that the Captain was intoxicated while off-duty; failed to identify himself; used excessive force in that he pepper-sprayed the Sergeant; and failed to complete a Tactical Response Report. It was also alleged that the Sergeant was intoxicated while off-duty; was insubordinate to the Captain; directed profanities at the Captain; grabbed the Captain without justification; failed to identify himself; and released his dog at the Captain. Based on statements from the accused and witnesses, OEMC transmissions, department reports, and drug and alcohol results, IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegations that the Captain was intoxicated while off-duty; failed to identify himself; and pepper-sprayed the Sergeant. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that the Captain did not complete a Tactical Response Report. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegations that the Sergeant was intoxicated while off-duty and failed to identify himself. IPRA recommended a finding of **"NOT SUSTAINED"** for the allegations that the Sergeant was insubordinate to the Captain and released his dog at the Captain. IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegations that the Sergeant directed profanities at the Captain and grabbed the Captain without justification. IPRA recommended a **written reprimand for the Captain** and a **three (3) day suspension for the Sergeant**.

### *Log/C.R. No. 1010082*

On October 12, 2007, a complaint was registered with the Independent Police Review Authority (IPRA), regarding an incident that occurred on October 12, 2007, involving one known on-duty Chicago Police Department (CPD) Officer (Officer A) and several unknown CPD Officers. It was alleged that Officer A was inattentive to duty in that a prisoner, the Victim, escaped while in his custody; pushed the Victim to the ground without justification; punched the Victim; and stepped on the Victim's neck. It was also alleged that the unknown Officers pushed the Victim to the ground without justification; choked the Victim; and struck the Victim about the body several times with their fists. Based on statements from the accused, the Victim and witnesses, photographs, medical records, and department reports, IPRA recommended to **"SUSTAIN"** the allegation that Officer A was inattentive to duty in that a prisoner, the Victim, escaped while in his custody. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the

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allegations that Officer A pushed the Victim to the ground without justification; punched the Victim; and stepped on the Victim's neck. IPRA recommended a finding of **"UNFOUNDED"** for the allegations pushed the Victim to the ground without justification; choked the Victim; and struck the Victim about the body several times with their fists. IPRA recommended a **two (2) day suspension for Officer A.**