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September 17, 2025

Lakenya White
Interim Chief Administrator
Civilian Office of Police Accountability (COPA)
1615 West Chicago Avenue, 4th Floor
Chicago, Illinois 60622

Re: Log No. 2021-0004795
Officer Nicholas Schillaci #10879

Dear Interim Chief Administrator White:

As you might be aware, on September 3, 2025, Police Board member Claudia Baudillo issued an opinion in *The Matter of the Recommendation for Discipline of Police Officer Nicholas Schillaci, Star No. 10879, Department of Police, City of Chicago, 25 RR 02*, stating that the Superintendent of Police did not meet his burden of overcoming the Chief Administrator's recommendation for a sustained finding that Officer Schillaci discharged his firearm at or in the direction of unknown vehicle occupants.

Therefore, based on this member's decision, pursuant to 2-78-130(a)(iii) of the Municipal Code of Chicago, the Chief Administrator's recommendation for discipline shall be deemed accepted by the Superintendent of Police. As the Chief Administrator recommended a penalty of a 180 days suspension up to Separation, the Department will implement, consistent with the penalty recommendation, a one hundred eighty (180) day suspension.

Sincerely,


Lt. Robert A. Flores
Department Advocate
Bureau of Internal Affairs