

## SUMMARY REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

## I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Date of Incident:	October 29, 2019
Time of Incident:	6:10 p.m.
Location of Incident:	Chicago Police Department (CPD) 10 <sup>th</sup> District Processing Area, 3315 West Ogden Avenue, Chicago, Illinois
Date of COPA Notification:	October 30, 2019
Time of COPA Notification:	1:34 p.m.

██████████ mother of ██████████ had telephonically contacted COPA and advised that her daughter, ██████████ had been falsely arrested by the CPD and had been injured in the process due to the use of excessive force. Further, on October 30, 2019, COPA had been notified by CPD Bureau of Patrol, 10<sup>th</sup> District, that they had received a complaint that ██████████ had been arrested near 19<sup>th</sup> Street and Trumbull Avenue in Chicago and had been injured while being transported to the 10th District CPD. Specifically, ██████████ had complained that she had been lifted up and then dropped by officers onto her knees, which became scraped; and, that her arms had been injured and swollen. ██████████ also had alleged that she had been verbally degraded by being called a *leaf head*. ██████████ has claimed that she was treated at ██████████ Hospital, Chicago, Illinois for her injuries. ██████████ later provided a statement to COPA relative to this incident, claiming that she was falsely arrested and injured by officers of the CPD.<sup>1</sup> She, however, had declined to go to the hospital while in custody. She also claimed that Officer Nick Perez had injured her while handcuffing her at the 10<sup>th</sup> District and had used excessive force in doing so.<sup>2</sup>

## II. INVOLVED PARTIES

Involved Officer #1:	Brian D. Collins, Star #16773, Employee ID # ██████████, Date of Appointment: November 24, 2014, Rank: Police Officer, Unit of Assignment: 10 <sup>th</sup> District, DOB: ██████████, 1991, Gender: Male, Race: White
Involved Officer #2:	Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #15038, Employee ID # ██████████, Date of Appointment: October 27, 2014, Rank: Police Officer, Unit of Assignment: 10 <sup>th</sup> District, DOB: ██████████, 1985, Gender: Male, Race: White
Involved Individual #1:	██████████ DOB: ██████████, 1978, Female, Black (3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Complainant)

<sup>1</sup> Attachment #13

<sup>2</sup> ██████████ had identified an Officer Nick Perez as the officer who had injured her. She is actually referring to Officer Nicholas J. Mukite (Star #15038), as there is no Officer Nick Perez.

Involved Individual #2: [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED], 1995; Female, Black  
(Complainant)

**III. ALLEGATIONS**

Officer	Allegation	Finding / Recommendation
Officer Brian D. Collins	1. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Brian D. Collins, Star #16773, arrested [REDACTED] without justification. <sup>3</sup>	<b>Exonerated</b>
	2. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, after being arrested at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Brian D. Collins, Star #16773, used excessive force in transporting [REDACTED] into the 10 <sup>th</sup> District without justification.	<b>Exonerated</b>
Officer Nicholas J. Mukite	1. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #15038, arrested [REDACTED] without justification. <sup>4</sup>	<b>Exonerated</b>
	2. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, after being arrested at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #16773, used excessive force in transporting [REDACTED] into the 10 <sup>th</sup> District without justification.	<b>Exonerated</b>
	3. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, after being arrested at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #16773, used	<b>Unfounded</b>

<sup>3</sup> In violation of Rules 2 and 3

<sup>4</sup> In violation of Rules 2 and 3

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excessive force in handcuffing [REDACTED] at the 10<sup>th</sup> District without justification.

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#### IV. APPLICABLE RULES AND LAWS

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##### Rules

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1. Rule 1: Violation of any law or ordinance.
  2. Rule 2: Any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals or brings discredit upon the Department.
  3. Rule 3: Any failure to promote the Department's efforts to implement its policy or accomplish its goals.
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##### General Orders

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1. General Order G03-02<sup>5</sup>
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##### Federal Laws

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1. 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the U.S. Constitution
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##### State Laws

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1. Constitution of the State of Illinois, Article I, Section 6
  2. 625 ILCS 5/11-1003: Crossing at Other than Crosswalks<sup>6</sup>
  3. 625 ILCS 5/11-1416<sup>7</sup>
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##### City of Chicago Municipal Ordinances

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1. Title 9 – Vehicles; Chapter 9-80 Section 180<sup>8</sup>
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<sup>5</sup> Use of Force: Section III (B): Department members may only use force that is objectively reasonable, necessary, and proportional, *under the totality of the circumstances*, in order to ensure the safety of a member or third person, stop an attack, make an arrest, control a subject, or prevent escape.

<sup>6</sup> Section (a): Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or within an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles upon the roadway.

<sup>7</sup> Sec. 11-1416. Obstructing person in highways. No person shall willfully and unnecessarily hinder, obstruct or delay, or willfully and unnecessarily attempt to delay, hinder or obstruct any other person in lawfully driving or traveling along or upon any highway within this State or offer for barter or sale merchandise on said highway so as to interfere with the effective movement of traffic.

<sup>8</sup> Attachment #28: Obstruction or Interference with Traffic. Any person who shall willfully hinder, obstruct or delay or who shall willfully and unnecessarily attempt to hinder, obstruct or delay any other person in lawfully driving or travelling along or upon any street ... shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

## V. INVESTIGATION<sup>9</sup>

### a. Interviews

In her interview with COPA on November 1, 2019,<sup>10</sup> ██████████ (Complainant) stated that she was walking across the street near her home in the area of 19<sup>th</sup> Street and Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, on October 29, 2019, at approximately 6:10 p.m., when she was arrested by three (3) officers of the CPD, an African-American and two Latinos. The African-American officer was in plain clothes and riding in the back of the vehicle; the two Latino officers were in uniform and riding in the front seat. The Latino officer, who was the passenger, whose name she believed was Nick Perez, had grabbed her by the arm. The Latino driver exited the vehicle and assisted the other officer in placing her in the police vehicle. She was cooperating and not resisting arrest. She claimed that she wasn't doing anything wrong at the time. She was walking to a *cigarette house*, which was located across the street, and that she had been waking east to west. She said that her sister, ██████████ was walking behind her at the time, and that she had already crossed the street when the police arrived, jumped out of their vehicle, a brown 4-door SUV, and arrested her and placed her in handcuffs. She was searched and an officer said that she had to sign a ticket. She told him that she wasn't going to sign a ticket. She claimed that she was being harassed by the officers and was placed in a squad car.

She was then taken to a police station. When they arrived at the police station, she got out of the vehicle on her own on the driver's side. Officer Perez grabbed her by the arm, and then the other Latino officer grabbed her by the arm and she was picked up off the ground and forced into the building. She stated that she was not stiffening her body up at that time.<sup>11</sup> One of the officers said that she smelled like *leaf*.<sup>12</sup> Two female officers arrived and searched her. She was then taken to a room and handcuffed to a wall. She claimed that one of the officers passed gas. She was angry and spit on the floor. A sergeant then came to the room. She described the sergeant as an older, Hispanic male. He pulled her from the wall, and re-handcuffed her with a second pair of handcuffs. Doing so, he squeezed her arms and threw her to the floor. One of her knees hit the floor and began to bleed. She stated that the handcuffs were too tight. They released the handcuffs and she was taken to another room and searched. She was then taken back to another room where Officer Perez came into the room, and she told him that she wanted to go to the hospital because her knees were injured. She, however, decided not to go to the hospital because her mother had arrived at the police station. Approximately 1 ½ hours later she received an I-Bond and was released.

**In his interview with COPA on March 17, 2021,<sup>13</sup> Officer Brian D. Collins, Star #16773,** stated that relative to the arrest of ██████████ which occurred on October 29, 2019, at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 19th Street and Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, he was on routine patrol in the area. His partner was Officer Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #16773. They were driving at a normal rate of speed in a marked unit. Officer Collins was driving. Somewhere

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<sup>9</sup> COPA conducted a thorough and complete investigation. The following is a summary of the material evidence gathered and relied upon in our analysis.

<sup>10</sup> Attachment #13

<sup>11</sup> Attachment #13 at 30:25

<sup>12</sup> Review of the BWCs in this incident does not corroborate the assertion by ██████████ that an officer had called her a *leaf head*. There is, however, indications by ██████████ actions that she had been using drugs. Also, the officers believed that she smelled strongly of a chemical odor resembling PCP.

<sup>13</sup> Attachment #29

in the middle of the block [REDACTED] walked right in front of their vehicle, obstructing traffic, and Officer Collins had to apply the brakes in order not to hit her. She did not make contact with the vehicle. After walking in front of their vehicle she continued to walk across the street. There was no crosswalk where she was crossing. Another person was present, but that person did not obstruct their vehicle.

Officer Collins stopped the vehicle and approached [REDACTED] and asked her if she would sign a ticket for the offense. She declined to sign a ticket and was arrested. Subsequently, she was transported to the 10th District. He described [REDACTED] demeanor as highly agitated and verbally aggressive. [REDACTED] was cited for violation of City of Chicago Municipal Ordinance: Title 9 – Vehicles; Chapter 9-80 Section 180, Obstruction or Interference with Traffic, which is listed on the police report. [REDACTED] was handcuffed and placed in the backseat of their vehicle. Officer Collins drove the vehicle to the 10th District. Upon arrival at the 10th District, Officer Collins escorted [REDACTED] into the building. During the incident [REDACTED] did not indicate that she was injured, nor did she request medical attention. [REDACTED] smelled of PCP during the incident, which is similar to the smell of nail polish remover. [REDACTED] was released that evening and was only in custody for a couple of hours. Officer Collins denied that he had used excessive force when escorting [REDACTED] into the 10th District, but because he was responsible for her safety, he was required to hold onto her so she would not trip and fall and injure herself.

#### **b. Digital Evidence**

**BWC of Officer Brian D. Collins on October 29, 2019 from 6:09:44 to 6:20:17<sup>14</sup>** [REDACTED] is observed walking in the middle of the street when officers stop her for obstructing traffic. Officer Mukite attempts to place her in handcuffs, and she struggles with Officer Mukite and screams at Officer Collins.<sup>15</sup> She is offered the opportunity to receive a ticket by Officer Collins, in lieu of being arrested, but she refuses, and then screams in his face.<sup>16</sup> She is handcuffed and walked to the police vehicle by Officer Mukite, but she continues to struggle, attempting to pull away, and she screams in Officer Collins' face.<sup>17</sup> She continues to struggle with the officers, and refuses to get into the police vehicle.<sup>18</sup> She continues to scream at the officers<sup>19</sup> and refuses to enter the police vehicle, screaming at the officers to get their hands off of her.<sup>20</sup>

She finally sits in the police vehicle with her legs on the street, and the door open, but refuses to get inside of the vehicle, while continuing to yell at the officers.<sup>21</sup> Eventually, she enters the police vehicle, while continuing to scream at the officers. She is subsequently transported to the 10<sup>th</sup> District.

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<sup>14</sup> Attachment #12

<sup>15</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:11:57

<sup>16</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:12:43

<sup>17</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:12:54

<sup>18</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:13:05

<sup>19</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:13:23

<sup>20</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:13:37

<sup>21</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:13:51

During the ride, she is verbally combative. Upon arrival at the 10th District, she is removed from the vehicle, but continues to scream at the officers to let her go.<sup>22</sup> The officers appeared to remain calm. Officer Mukite is holding her by her right arm, and she continues to yell and struggle, attempting to pull away.<sup>23</sup> As they enter the building, she attempts to pull away.<sup>24</sup> She is not dropped to the ground. She continues to struggle, attempting to pull away, and screams in Officer Collins' face.<sup>25</sup> A female officer arrives.<sup>26</sup> She is verbally combative with the female officer, yelling at her.<sup>27</sup> Prior to being placed in a holding cell, she is patted down by the female officer without incident.<sup>28</sup> Officer Collins then handcuffs her to a wall in a holding cell without incident.

**BWC of Officer Nicolas J. Mukite on October 29, 2019 from 6:09:50 to 6:19:03<sup>29</sup>**

Officer Mukite exits his vehicle and approaches [REDACTED]. She is handcuffed, struggles with Officer Mukite, screaming in his face.<sup>30</sup> Officer Collins is also present and assisting Officer Mukite. [REDACTED] is arrested for obstructing traffic. She is belligerent, combative and yells in the officers' faces. She refuses to sign a ticket, in lieu of being arrested.<sup>31</sup> She is then escorted to the police vehicle, in handcuffs, by Officer Mukite, and continues to scream to be let go.<sup>32</sup> She resists as the officers attempt to place her in the police vehicle, and continues to argue loudly with the officers.<sup>33</sup> She tells Officer Collins to get his hands off of her. Officer Collins attempts to get her into the police vehicle, but she refuses.<sup>34</sup> He asks her several times for her to put her feet into the car. She finally complies. [REDACTED] is transported to the 10<sup>th</sup> District and continues to argue with the officers and scream at them during transport.

Upon arrival at the 10th District, [REDACTED] is taken into the building by Officer Mukite. She does not fall to the ground, and is combative throughout the incident. She continues to struggle with Officer Mukite, as she is escorted down the hallway.<sup>35</sup> She yells at Officer Mukite to let her go.<sup>36</sup> A female officer arrives to search [REDACTED] and she argues with, and screams at, the female officer.<sup>37</sup> She continues to scream at the officers, but is finally searched by the female officer. [REDACTED] is eventually taken to a holding room by officer Collins and is handcuffed to a wall without incident.

**BWC of Officer Brian D. Collins on October 29, 2019 from 6:19:35 to 6:21:18<sup>38</sup>** Officer Collins met [REDACTED] mother, [REDACTED] near the front desk of District 10 and told her

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<sup>22</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:16:02

<sup>23</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:16:19

<sup>24</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:16:33

<sup>25</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:16:37

<sup>26</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:18:03

<sup>27</sup> Attachment #12 at 06:18:26

<sup>28</sup> Attachment #12 at 06:19:42

<sup>29</sup> Attachment #22

<sup>30</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:10:48

<sup>31</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:11:33

<sup>32</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:11:47

<sup>33</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:11:57

<sup>34</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:12:35

<sup>35</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:12:35

<sup>36</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:15:58

<sup>37</sup> Attachment #22 at 6:16:49

<sup>38</sup> Attachment #24

that ██████████ would be released in a couple of hours. No additional probative content is found on this video.

**BWC of Officer Brian D. Collins on October 29, 2019 from 6:46:59 to 6:56:26**<sup>39</sup> Officer Collins meets with ██████████ and an unknown female named ██████████ at the front desk of the 10<sup>th</sup> District. ██████████ states that she was with ██████████ when ██████████ had been arrested for obstructing traffic and that they had been walking in the street and not walking in a crosswalk.<sup>40</sup>

**BWC of Officer Nicholas J. Mukite at 10<sup>th</sup> District CPD on October 29, 2019 from 7:02:19 to 7:02:35**<sup>41</sup> In this BWC, ██████████ does not appear to be injured. She is smiling while sitting on the floor of a holding cell, does not ask for medical treatment, and refuses medical treatment.

**BWC of Sergeant Timothy E. Gorzkowski on October 29, 2019 from 7:08:50 to 7:28:26**<sup>42</sup> Sergeant Gorzkowski meets with ██████████ and an unknown female named ██████████ in the front of the 10<sup>th</sup> District and explains to ██████████ why her daughter, ██████████ had been arrested. He also expresses concern for ██████████ erratic behavior and mood swings throughout the incident and says that ██████████ has a strong chemical odor about her. ██████████ denies that ██████████ uses drugs and denies that ██████████ has any medical issues.

**BWC of Sergeant Timothy E. Gorzkowski on October 29, 2019 from 7:32:38 to 7:43:11**<sup>43</sup> Sergeant Gorzkowski meets with an individual, an African-American male who identifies himself as ██████████ in the front of the 10<sup>th</sup> District. ██████████ states that he lives with ██████████. He denies that ██████████ has any medical issues concerning depression or bipolar disorder, but says that ██████████ smokes *weed* (i.e. marijuana). Sergeant Gorzkowski tells him that ██████████ has a strong chemical odor about her, similar to what PCP smells like. ██████████ denies that ██████████ uses PCP. Sergeant Gorzkowski tells him that ██████████ will receive an I-Bond and be released shortly.

### Documentary Evidence

CPD Arrest Report for ██████████ dated October 29, 2019 (CB No. ██████████).<sup>44</sup> ██████████ was observed standing on the westside of Trumbull Avenue. She then walked eastbound directly in front of an approaching vehicle and was obstructing the flow of traffic. She was subsequently detained and asked if she would sign a ticket. She replied in the negative, was placed into custody, and transported to the 10th District.

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<sup>39</sup> Attachment #23

<sup>40</sup> Attachment #23 at 6:47:48

<sup>41</sup> Attachment #11

<sup>42</sup> Attachment #25

<sup>43</sup> Attachment #26

<sup>44</sup> Attachment #2

CPD A&A Sheets for Unit 010, Watch 4, October 29, 2019:<sup>45</sup> This record reflects that PO Brian D. Collins, Star #16773 and PO Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #15038, were both on duty on Watch 4, 10th District, on October 29, 2019, and assigned to vehicle #4750.

OEMC<sup>46</sup> Event Query Report, No. [REDACTED] dated October 29, 2019:<sup>47</sup> This report reflects that a traffic stop was effectuated at 1939 S. Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois on October 29, 2019 at approximately 6:10 p.m.

## VI. ANALYSIS

For each Allegation COPA must make one of the following findings:

1. Sustained - where it is determined the allegation is supported by a preponderance of the evidence;
2. Not Sustained - where it is determined there is insufficient evidence to prove the allegations by a preponderance of the evidence;
3. Unfounded - where it is determined by clear and convincing evidence that an allegation is false or not factual; or
4. Exonerated - where it is determined by clear and convincing evidence that the conduct described in the allegation occurred, but it is lawful and proper.

A **preponderance of evidence** can be described as evidence indicating that it is **more likely than not** that the conduct occurred and violated Department policy. *See Avery v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co.*, 216 Ill. 2d 100, 191 (2005), (a proposition is proved by a preponderance of the evidence when it has found to be more probably true than not). If the evidence gathered in an investigation establishes that it is more likely that the misconduct occurred, even if by a narrow margin, then the preponderance of the evidence standard is met.

**Clear and convincing evidence** is a higher standard than a preponderance of the evidence but lower than the "beyond-a-reasonable doubt" standard required to convict a person of a criminal offense. *See e.g., People v. Coan*, 2016 IL App (2d) 151036 (2016). Clear and Convincing can be defined as a "degree of proof, which, considering all the evidence in the case, produces the firm and abiding belief that it is highly probable that the proposition . . . is true." *Id.* at ¶ 28.

It is evident from review of the BWCs in this matter that [REDACTED] account of her arrest is blatantly fabricated. There is clear and convincing evidence that [REDACTED] was walking

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<sup>45</sup> Attachment #3

<sup>46</sup> OEMC is an acronym for the Office of Emergency Management and Communication for the City of Chicago

<sup>47</sup> Attachment #5

across the street, and not in a crosswalk, and obstructing traffic, as the police account had stated.<sup>48</sup> The arrest report clearly states that [REDACTED] was walking eastbound on Trumbull and obstructing traffic. Further, per the BWC of Officer Collins, he can be heard saying, “You walked right in front of our car. We almost hit you.”<sup>49</sup> This is consistent with the BWC evidence. As such, this is a violation of a City of Chicago ordinance, which subjects the violator to fine and / or arrest.<sup>50</sup> Per 625 ILCS 5/11-1003 – Crossing at other than Crosswalks - Section (a): Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or within an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles upon the roadway. Further, [REDACTED] Last Name Unknown, had stated to Officer Collins at the front desk of the 10<sup>th</sup> District on the date of [REDACTED] arrest, that she was with [REDACTED] when [REDACTED] had been arrested for obstructing traffic, and that they had been walking in the street and not walking in a crosswalk.<sup>51</sup> Further, [REDACTED] was given the option by the officers to sign a ticket and not be arrested and [REDACTED] refused to do so. The arrest report clearly states that [REDACTED] was given the option to sign a ticket and not be arrested. This is consistent with the BWC and is contrary to [REDACTED] statement given to COPA.<sup>52</sup> According to [REDACTED] account, she was not given that opportunity, which is clearly false. Also, [REDACTED] was belligerent and uncooperative and was resisting arrest at the time. Again, this is contrary to her statement provided to COPA.<sup>53</sup>

As a result, there is clear and convincing evidence that [REDACTED] was obstructing traffic, for which she was lawfully arrested. This was a lawful arrest by the accused officers and, as such, both **Officer Brian D. Collins** and **Officer Nicholas J. Mukite** should be **EXONERATED** of **Allegation 1**, respectively.

With respect to Allegation 2, where [REDACTED] claimed excessive force was used against her, after her arrest, when transporting her into the 10<sup>th</sup> District, it is clear and convincing from review of the BWC evidence that [REDACTED] was combative and resisting the efforts of the officers to escort her into the building.<sup>54</sup> [REDACTED] stated in her interview with COPA that she was not stiffening her body when the officers were attempting to escort her into the building. However, the BWC clearly shows that [REDACTED] is stiffening her body and resisting the efforts of the officers to escort her into the building.<sup>55</sup> This is clearly refuted by the BWC evidence, which shows that [REDACTED] was combative and noncompliant with the officers’ requests. The officers used reasonable force to escort [REDACTED] into the police station and, as such, both **Officer Brian D. Collins** and **Officer Nicholas J. Mukite** should be **EXONERATED** of **Allegation 2**, respectively.

With respect to Allegation 3, where [REDACTED] claimed she was injured while being handcuffed by Officer Nicholas Mukite in the 10<sup>th</sup> District, BWC evidence<sup>56</sup> clearly shows that

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<sup>48</sup> Attachment #2.

<sup>49</sup> Attachment #12 at 2:35

<sup>50</sup> Attachment #28: Obstruction or Interference with Traffic. Any person who shall willfully hinder, obstruct or delay or who shall willfully and unnecessarily attempt to hinder, obstruct or delay any other person in lawfully driving or travelling along or upon any street ... shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

<sup>51</sup> See 625 ILCS 5/11-1003 Section (a): Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or within an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles upon the roadway. (this is the wrong attachment to reference this incident)

<sup>52</sup> Attachment #2.

<sup>53</sup> Attachment #13

<sup>54</sup> Attachment #12

<sup>55</sup> Attachment #12 at 6:16:17

<sup>56</sup> Attachment #11



<p>3. It is alleged by [REDACTED] that on or about October 29, 2019, after being arrested at approximately 6:10 p.m., in the vicinity of 1939 South Trumbull Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, Officer Nicholas J. Mukite, Star #15038, used excessive force in handcuffing [REDACTED] at the 10<sup>th</sup> District without justification.</p>	<p><b>Unfounded</b></p>
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Approved:

[REDACTED]

Angela Hearts-Glass  
*Deputy Chief Administrator*

4-30-2021

Date

Appendix A

Assigned Investigative Staff

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<b>Squad#:</b>	12
<b>Investigator:</b>	James L. Whitmer
<b>Supervising Investigator:</b>	Andrew Dalkin
<b>Deputy Chief Administrator:</b>	Angela Hearts-Glass