Annual Major Discipline Reporting Form

Internal Affairs Policy & Procedures | Appendix L

Pursuant to Attorney General Law Enforcement Directive No. 2022-14, every state, county, and local law enforcement agency in New Jersey is required to submit to the Attorney General and the County Prosecutor, and publish on the agency's public website, a brief synopsis of all complaints where a termination, reduction in rank or grade, and/or suspension of more than five days, as well as sustained findings listed in the above directive, regardless of the type or severity of discipline imposed, was assessed to an agency member. For the purposes of this report, please include all major disciplines in which a plea agreement was reached or final sanction was imposed during the time period listed below. In addition, include all discipline from earlier years which was has been on appeal, the final appeal was resolved during 2023, and the discipline remains in one of the enumerated categories. Instructions" tab of the Excel version of this document.

Time period January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023

County Hudson

Agency Hudson Co Sheriffs Dept

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		Disciplined Officer			Sanction					Synopsis	
No.	Rank	First Name	Last Name	Terminated?	Demoted?	Suspended?	# Days Susp.	Resigned, retired, transferred, or separated while IA Pending	Specify other sanction type, if applicable	Sustained Charge	Description
1	Sergeant	Salvatore	DiCiacco	No	No	Yes	30	No		Neglect of Duty	The investigation revealed Sgt. DiCiacco was sleeping on duty while in the holding area of the courthouse. This was vertified by fellow Officers and a photograph showing Sgt. DiCiacco seated in a reclined chair with his eyes closed. Sgt. DiCiaccio's conduct was a violation of the Hudson County Sheriff's Office Rules and Regulations (Neglect of Duty).
2	Sergeant	Antonio	Lucia	No	No	Yes	180	No		4a. Other Sufficient Cause	Sgt. Lucia, while on duty responded to a call for assistance of a non-working vehicle of a fellow Sheriff's Officer patrol vehicle. Upon arrival to the scene a verbal dispute ensued between Sgt. Lucia and his colleague escalating into a physical altercation. Subsequently, Lucia was struck 3 times by his fellow Sheriff's Officer and in response he retaliated with a single punch, causing the officer to fall to the ground. As a result, Lucia was charged with Simple Assault and plead guilty. Lucia's conduct was a violation of the Hudson County Sheriff's Office Rules and Regulations. (4A. Other Sufficient Cause)
3	Officer	Bartholomew	Lore	No	No	Yes	150	No		Conduct Unbecoming	Officer Lore, while on duty called for assistance for his non-working patrol vehicle. His fellow Officer arrived on scene to assist where a verbal dispute ensued which then escalated into a physical altercation whereby Sheriff's Officer Lore fell to the ground. Officer Lore's Conduct was a violation of the Hudson County Sheriff's Rules and Regulations (Conduct Unbecoming)
4	Detective	William	Medina	No	No	Yes	206	No		Endangering Welfare of Chile	d Detective Medina was criminally charged with Third Degree Endangering the Welfare of a Child in violation of 2C:24- 4B(5). These allegations are the result of an investigation that uncovered Detective Medina possessed numerous images of child sex abuse materials.
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