North Carolina State University Police Department Annual Summary of Internal Investigations 2019

Background

In November of 2019, the NC State University Police Department went through an on-site evaluation to be reaccredited by the International Commission of Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies. In March of 2020, the police department will go before the commission to be awarded reaccredited status. The Commission encourages accredited agencies to compile and make available to the public annual statistical summaries based upon records of Internal Affairs Investigations. Our actions are according to Accreditation Standard 52.1.5 and copies of all standards the department must meet are available from our Accreditation manager located at 2610 Wolf Village Way.

It is the policy of the NC State University Police Department to investigate all complaints from the public and its employees. The department believes it has an obligation to the university community and its employees to thoroughly investigate itself to maintain the trust of those we serve. All complaints are accepted and documented. Complaints may be submitted in person, over the phone, through e-mail, or in writing. Anonymous complaints or complaints from a person who wish their names to be held in confidence will be accepted for investigation. Procedures for filing a complaint or a compliment can be found on our website at https://police.ehps.ncsu.edu/documents-and-brochures/

Summary for 2019

During the calendar year 2019, the NC State University Police Department received twenty-two (22) citizen/internal complaints involving twenty-four (24) employees of our department. Of the total number of complaints received or initiated by our agency, seventeen (17) involved external complaints from citizens, and four (4) involved internal and/or supervisory investigation initiated from within the agency. Two (2) complaints were anonymous. One (1) complaint was referred to another department, which is not part of our statistical data.

Nature	Total	NOT SUSTAINED	SUSTAINED
Unprofessional Conduct	5	4	1
Ineffective Performance	7	3	4
Harassment	1	1	0
Bias Based Profiling	1	1	0
Rudeness	7	5	2
Targeted Enforcement	1	1	0
Total:	22	15	7

Note: Not sustained is defined as there is insufficient evidence to either prove or disprove that a violation of policy occurred. Sustained is defined as the allegation is true, and the member's action was inconsistent with policy. Questions concerning Internal Affairs Investigations may be directed to Lieutenant William Davis 919-515-5944.