Annual Major Discipline Reporting Form

Internal Affairs Policy & Procedures | Appendix L

Pursuant to IAPP Section 9.11.2, 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, reducation in rank or grade, and/or suspension of more than five days 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. Instructions for completing this form can be found on the "Instructions" tab of the Excel version of this document.

Time period	**January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022**
Agency	**Lower Township Police Department**
County	**Cape May**

	Disciplined Officer			Sanction				Synopsis	
No.	**Rank**	**First Name**	**Last Name**	**Terminated?**	**Demoted?**	**Suspended?**	**# Days Susp.**	**Sustained Charge(s)**	**Description**
1	Patrolman	Eric	Campbell	Yes				Theft by Unlawful Taking	On 10-26-21 PTL Eric Campbell was charged with theft by the unlawful taking of moveable property, specifically a bicycle valued at $400.00. This being a crime of the fourth degree. In violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:20-2b(3). The theft allegedly occurred on 10-8-21, at approximately 2220 hours. The Cape May County Prosecutors Office investigated the criminality alleged in this case. On Tuesday, March 29, 2022 we received a Pretrial Intervention Order of Postponement executed by all parties on March 28, 2022, including JSC, Christine Smith for theft by unlawful taking, 4th degree. As part of the special conditions of PTI Supervision, the follwing was agreed to: 6 month PTI Supervision, Random Drug Screens, forfeiture of all Cape May County Public Employment for life, and acceptance of termination from the Lower Township Police Department. $125.00 was also imposed as a financial obligation.
2	Patrolman	Austin	Craig	Yes				Theft by Unlawful Taking	On 10-26-21 PTL Austin Craig was charged with theft by the unlawful taking of moveable property, specifically a bicycle valued at $400.00. This being a crime of the fourth degree. In violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:20-2b(3). The theft allegedly occurred on 10-8-21, at approximately 2220 hours. The Cape May County Prosecutors Office investigated the criminality alleged in this case. On Tuesday, March 29, 2022 we received a Pretrial Intervention Order of Postponement executed by all parties on March 28, 2022, including JSC, Christine Smith for theft by unlawful taking, 4th degree. As part of the special conditions of PTI Supervision, the follwing was agreed to: 6 month PTI Supervision, Random Drug Screens, forfeiture of all Cape May County Public Employment for life, and acceptance of termination from the Lower Township Police Department. $125.00 was also imposed as a financial obligation.
3	SLEO II	Megan	Reilly	Yes				Rules of Conduct -Admin	Special Officer Megan Reilly was terminated for violating Departmental rules and regulations. 4.1.1 Performance of Duty, 4.1.3 Obedience to Laws and Rules, 4.1.8 Compromising Criminal Cases, 4.12.6 Truthfulness. On or about July 11, 2022, Employee and her fiancé, were alleged to have created a fake Bill of Sale for a jet ski that her fiancé purchased in or around Dec. 2021. On July 14, 2022, Employee was interviewed by the Cape May County Prosecutor's Office in the course of the investigation into the aforementioned conduct. During said interview, Employee was untruthful to the investigators on multiple occasions as to her knowledge of and involvement in the underlying conduct that led to the allegations. Moreover, the underlying conduct of Employee which led to the investigation would also justify the above charges regardless of whether criminal charges were brought.
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