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November 2, 2020

Acting President Damali Taylor and Members of the San Francisco Police Commission

Re: San Francisco Department of Police Accountability October 2020 Monthly Statistical Report

Dear Acting President Damali Taylor and San Francisco Police Commissioners:

Summary of Complaints Received in October 2020

The Department of Police Accountability received **56** cases in **October 2020**, compared with **69** cases in the same period last year. The **October 2020** case total is **5%** higher than the five-year average and **14%** decrease than the previous year.

From January through **October**, the DPA received a total of **683** new cases, compared with the **637** cases filed during the same period in 2019. The **October** year to date case total represents a **7%** increase in new complaints over last year.





Year to Date Monthly Comparison of Cases Received

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Most complaints were received over the phone and online.



Please find the attached table, which summarizes cases received in October 2020. The table is prepared in compliance with San Francisco City Charter section 4.136 and Police Commission Resolution number 97-04, which require the Department of Police Accountability (DPA) to provide the Police Commission with a monthly summary of cases received, including the number and type of complaints filed.

Sincerely,

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Paul Henderson Executive Director

Attachments (1)

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY
00045092-20	10/2/2020	An officer cited the complainant without cause and failed to turn on his body-worm camera in a timely manner. Another officer behaved rudely to the complainant.
00045102-20	10/2/2020	An officer made an inappropriate comment when the complainant was injured during an incident. The officer also detained the complainant without cause.
00045095-20	10/3/2020	Officers failed to enforce traffic laws in the complainant's neighborhood.
00045101-20	10/4/2020	Officers drove a police vehicle improperly and blocked an intersection.
00045103-20	10/5/2020	An officer was driving recklessly and behaved rudely to the complainant.
00045104-20	10/5/2020	An officer has not been responsive to calls regarding a homicide investigation.
00045117-20	10/5/2020	An officer behaved rudely while administering a traffic citation to the complainant.
00045118-20	10/5/2020	An officer failed to take appropriate action for a parking dispute.
00045106-20	10/6/2020	An officer did not reopen the investigation into the complainant's mother's homicide. The officer's conduct violated Marsy's Law.
00045107-20	10/6/2020	Officers knocked loudly on the door of a residence belonging to an individual who was incarcerated at the time.
00045108-20	10/6/2020	An officer conducted a traffic stop, made inappropriate comments, and engaged in retaliatory behavior toward the complainant.
00045111-20	10/7/2020	Officers pulled the complainant over for a missing license plate and attempted to search the vehicle without cause. The complainant also believes he was stopped based on race.
00045116-20	10/8/2020	Officers have failed to address recurring street activity and noise near the complainant's home.
00045119-20	10/8/2020	Officers arrested the complainant using physical force.
00045120-20	10/8/2020	Officers restrained a woman and refused to state the reason for doing so to the complainant.
00045122-20	10/9/2020	Officers arrested the complainant's client and seized money that was not booked as evidence.
00045123-20	10/9/2020	Officers exhibited policing based on race.
00045126-20	10/11/2020	Officers treated the complainant unfairly based on his race.
00045127-20	10/11/2020	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045130-20	10/11/2020	An officer involved shooting occurred involving two officers and a male subject.
00045128-20	10/13/2020	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045129-20	10/13/2020	An officer behaved rudely toward the complainant and cited the complainant without cause.
00045133-20	10/13/2020	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045140-20	10/13/2020	Officers used physical force to handcuff the complainant.
00045138-20	10/14/2020	An officer parked a police vehicle in an unsafe manner in a bike line.
00045139-20	10/14/2020	Officers failed to enforce a violation of COVID-19 health orders.
00045145-20	10/14/2020	Officers failed to call for an ambulance and properly investigate an assault incident. The complainant stated the officers wrongfully arrested him and his wife for aggravated assault with a weapon.
00045146-20	10/15/2020	Officer removed the complainant from his residence for a hospital mental health evaluation without cause.
00045147-20	10/15/2020	Officers failed to respond to a loud noise complaint.
00045148-20	10/15/2020	The complainant stated that he reported criminal activity and officers never responded to his call. He stated that he attempted to flag down a passing patrol vehicle and one of the officers inside the patrol vehicle insulated him while passing by.

Summary of Cases Received

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00045149-20	10/15/2020	Officer engaged in retaliatory behavior, issuing the complainant a parking citation without cause.
00045161-20	10/16/2020	Officer denied a shopper entry into a store based on race.
00045162-20	10/16/2020	An officer behaved improperly toward the complainant.
00045154-20	10/17/2020	Officer pulled over a driver based on race.
00045155-20	10/17/2020	A person was detained for filming in public and was treated inappropriately by officers.
00045156-20	10/17/2020	A person was detained for filming in public and was treated inappropriately by officers.
00045157-20	10/18/2020	Officers failed to respond to the complainant's call regarding street activity and noise near his home.
00045158-20	10/18/2020	The complaint raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045159-20	10/18/2020	Officer behaved inappropriately to the complainant.
00045160-20	10/19/2020	San Francisco Police Department phone operator was inappropriate and unhelpful to the complainant.
00045164-20	10/20/2020	Officers used excessive force and the complainant sustained injuries.
00045163-20	10/21/2020	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045167-20	10/21/2020	Complainant stated he walked by an intersection and observed officers who failed to take required action and wear their face masks as they were directing traffic in a construction area.
00045168-20	10/21/2020	The complainant raises matters not rationally with the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.
00045169-20	10/22/2020	Officers responding to a traffic collision, failed to properly investigate and treated the complainant unfairly and inappropriately based on race.
00045176-20	10/24/2020	An officer provided a false star number, acted in a threatening and harassing manner, made an unlawful arrest, and lied to cover-up the wrongdoing.
00045177-20	10/25/2020	Merged: An officer provided a false star number, acted in a threatening and harassing manner, made an unlawful arrest, and lied to cover-up the wrongdoing.
00045178-20	10/25/2020	Merged: An officer provided a false star number, acted in a threatening and harassing manner, made an unlawful arrest, and lied to cover-up the wrongdoing.
00045183-20	10/26/2020	An officer behaved inappropriately toward a person experiencing a mental health emergency and service providers a the scene.
00045186-20	10/26/2020	An officer performed a traffic stop without cause.
00045189-20	10/27/2020	The complainant was pulled over, asked to exit his vehicle, and searched without cause.
00045190-20	10/27/2020	The officer provided a false star number, acted in a threatening and harassing manner.
00045191-20	10/27/2020	The officer provided a false star number, acted in a threatening and harassing manner.
00045194-20	10/28/2020	An officer failed to take a report of a crime. The complainant called the station to speak to a supervisor but was threaten with arrest.
00045196-20	10/28/2020	Officers responded to an incident after a prolonged period of time.
00045205-20	10/31/2020	Parking enforcement officer performed an inappropriate driving maneuver then behaved inappropriately toward the complainant.
Total New Cases:		56