



OFFICE OF POLICE OVERSIGHT

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

January 27, 2023

ICMS #: 2023-0061

On January 23, 2023, the OPO received an online complaint.

The complainant alleges: Car [REDACTED] black and white APD marked SUV. License plate # [REDACTED]

I entered [REDACTED] from [REDACTED] southbound. As I turned right, the aforementioned police car appeared in the lane immediately to my right from somewhere behind me, I think from [REDACTED] street before I turned onto [REDACTED] street.

The police vehicle accelerates to 60mph starting at the intersection of [REDACTED] street and [REDACTED] lane and proceeded at 60mph on [REDACTED] street until stopping at the red light at [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Ave. During the time the police vehicle stopped at the light and waited approximately 10 seconds, then turned on the vehicle's red & blue emergency overhead lights, drove through the intersection, and then continuing on [REDACTED], then turned off his overhead lights immediately after crossing the intersection. I followed the car as best I could on [REDACTED] street when the traffic light turned green and eventually lost sight of the car due to its high speed

At NO time during the police vehicle's high speed did the vehicle's driver turn on his red & blue overhead emergency lights except for 5-10 seconds while crossing the intersection.

It is extremely dangerous for officers to operate their vehicles at very high speeds exceeding the speed limit without enabling their emergency lights.

This notice of complaint is a request for Internal Affairs to initiate an investigation to determine if the employee conduct is within compliance of APD policy, Civil Service Rules, and Municipal Civil Service Rules.