



OFFICE OF POLICE OVERSIGHT

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

September 2, 2022

ICMS #: 2022-0731

On August 29, 2022, the OPO received an online complaint.

The complainant alleges: Mr. [REDACTED] (ID# [REDACTED]) submitted a crash accident report on [REDACTED] that was EXTREMELY BIASED against me. In his report, Mr. [REDACTED] claimed that I caused the accident and that I struck the other vehicle involved in the accident. THIS IS COMPLETELY UNTRUE AND DOES NOT ACCURATELY REPRESENT WHAT I TOLD Mr. [REDACTED]. Mr. [REDACTED] COMPLETELY MISREPRESENTED & MISINTERPRETED what I told him happened. Even My wife who was at the scene spoke with Mr. [REDACTED] and told him that English was not my first language and explained to him again what I told her happened AND ASKED HIM TO LIMIT HIS REPORT TO THE FACTS ONLY & NOT MISREPRESENT MY STATEMENT IN HIS REPORT. MR. [REDACTED] informed us that he has years of experience with car accidents and although he was NOT A WITNESS TO THE CRASH, he still can draw HIS OWN conclusion about what happened. Mr. [REDACTED] MADE A COMPLETELY INCORRECT AND INACCURATE ACCOUNT OF WHAT HAPPENED EVENTHOUGH HE WAS NOT AT THE SCENE. The accident REPORT submitted by Mr. [REDACTED] is COMPLETELY INACCURATE, HIGHLY UNFAIR, AND DOES NOT REPRESENT AT ALL WHAT I TOLD HIM HAPPENED. It is quite unfortunate that this kind of unchecked misrepresentation of the facts still exists. It is counterproductive and negatively impacts our communities. PERHAPS A MORE TRANSPARENT AND FAIR PRACTICE TO AVOID MISINTERPRETATION OR MISREPRESENTATION BY Mr. [REDACTED] OF WHAT WAS VERBALLY CONVEYED TO HIM, IS TO HAVE A written statement PREPARED by Mr. [REDACTED] summarizing WHAT HE WAS VERBALLY TOLD happened and bearing a signature of the driver involved who by his/her signature acknowledges and agrees that it is an accurate account of what was verbally communicated to Mr. [REDACTED]. Though I sincerely wish the concerns raised here would make a difference; unfortunately, I am afraid this complaint will simply be ignored. Thank you for taking the time to at least read it.



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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.