



September 10, 2019

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Complaint:

Officer [REDACTED], may have violated department policy by not maintaining visual contact with the suspect when the suspect was in the backseat of the patrol vehicle.

Administrative Policy to Review:

321.3 Transporting arrested persons

The law imposes a duty of care on the transporting officer to protect prisoners from injury.

321.3.1 Transporting arrested persons

- (c) The prisoner must be under observation at all times to reduce opportunities for escape, disposal or destruction of contraband, and/or attack on the transporting officer.

Recommended Classification: *The OPO is permitted to make a preliminary recommendation on the classification of administrative cases.*

The OPO recommends that this allegation receive a B classification.