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, 2025 to December 31, 2025**	
Agency	**Edison Township**	<-- Type agency name here
County	**Middlesex**	<-- Select county from dropdown menu here

	Disciplined Officer			Sanction				Synopsis
No.	**Rank**	**First Name**	**Last Name**	**Terminated?**	**Demoted?**	**Suspended?**	**# Days Susp.**	**Description**
1	Patrolman	Manuel	Santiago	NO	No	No		Ptl. Santiagio responded to a dispute in the area of the Inman and grove shopping complex. Upon arrival Ptl. Santiago exited his vehicle and immediately approached one of the parties in the dispute, who had his hands raised stating "I don't have anything". Ptl. Santiago used force by throwing the male party to the ground and forcing his hands behind his back. Ptl. Santiagio's use of force was deemed to be excessive and inconsistent with the use of force policy. Ptl. Santiago resigned his position with the department prior to the conclusion of the Internal affairs investigation.
2	Patrolman	Christopher	Siedenburg	NO	NO	NO		A mental health patient absconded from a transport ambulance into a medical facility. Patrolman Siedenburg and other officers used force to overcome the patient's passive resistance , in an effort to get her back on the ambulance. While attempting to move the patient from the medical facility to the ambulance. Ptl. Siedenburg reached around her head and neck area in his effort to return the patient to the ambulance . The action was not proportional to the amount of resistance being given. Ptl. Siedenburg's action was in violation of the use of force policy.
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