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San Francisco Police Commission  
San Francisco Police Headquarters  
1245 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
San Francisco, CA 94158

Re: Weekly DPA Statistics

Dear San Francisco Police Commission,

At the Commission's request, the Department of Police Accountability is now submitting, in writing, the statistics we previously reported on weekly during the Director's Report at Police Commission Meetings.

	2022	2021
<b>Cases Opened</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>555</b>
<b>Cases Closed</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>620</b>
<b>Cases Pending</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>295</b>
<b>Cases Sustained</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Cases Mediated</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Cases Past 270-Day</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>

Of the 22 cases, 18 cases are tolled.

Commission Pending: 10  
Cases Pending w/Chief: 90

**Update** - DPA decided to change our reporting about the number of DPA cases currently with the Chief's office in order to provide the Commission with a more comprehensive view of low-level discipline cases. Rather than simply reporting the weekly number of DPA sustained cases set for initial review by the Chief, we are now reporting on all sustained cases that are pending at the Chief's level. As you know, once DPA sends SFPD a sustained case, it goes through various levels of review, including an initial review by IAD, a meet and confer process between DPA and the Chief if there is disagreement about DPA's allegations or level of discipline recommended, a Chief's hearing if the officer disagrees with the Chief's notice of intended discipline, and a period for appeal. We now report on any cases that are in any stage of the process described above. Hence the numerical change



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During the Director's Report, we will be reporting on the cases received in the past week:

**DPA Received 61 new cases in the past five weeks**

Call for service involved assault, neighbor dispute, trespass, behavioral health crisis, Burglary, and noise complaints.

Districts:

<i>District</i>	<i>Current Number of Cases (5 weeks)</i>	<i>Previous Number of Reported Cases (N/A)</i>	<i>Current Report Types</i>
A - Central	5	0	Harassment, a supervisor failed to intervene, an officer failed to provide a badge number on request, officers failed to take a stolen identity report, and officers failed to make an arrest.
B - Southern	8	0	Abuse of power, failure to conduct a thorough search, reckless driving, failure to investigate an assault, and detention of a person for mental health evaluation without justification.
C - Bayview	1	0	Officers followed and harassed a complainant.
D - Mission	5	0	Illegal seizure of a firearm and failure to investigate an accident.
E - Northern	5	0	Failure to take a police report, issued a search warrant without cause, failure to use de-escalation techniques, improper citation, and use of profanity.
F - Park	6	0	Issued an invalid parking ticket, followed, and harassed a person, refused to prepare a police report, and failed to investigate a reported crime.
G - Richmond	3	0	Rude and refused to take a police report, wrongful detention and citation, and failure to investigate and arrest a person who attempted to steal car parts.
H - Ingleside	1	0	Driving recklessly
I - Taraval	5	0	Failure to respond to a trespasser illegally detained a person under mental health evaluation and illegally obtained and provided criminal background information on a person.
J - Tenderloin	10	0	Excessive response time for a call for service, failure to arrest a suspect, failure to respond to multiple reports of break-ins, and failure to remove a homeless person from outside their business.
Airport	1	0	Officers threatened it issue a vehicle citation at the airport drop-off.
Not Applicable	0	0	Referrals to an outside agency.
Out of Town	7	0	An off-duty officer trespassed on the property as a form of intimidation.



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Sincerely,  
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