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TOWN MANAGER  
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To: Lieutenant Jesse Jarvis

From: Captain Eli A. Mulligan

RE: 2023 Internal Affairs Summary (RIPAC 5.7 - Complaint Investigations)

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Between January 1 and December 31, 2023, the Internal Affairs Division of the North Kingstown Police Department investigated and documented eleven (11) complaints. This included anonymous complaints, whether internally generated, or received externally, regarding misconduct or illegal behavior against the department or any member of the department. All complaints of misconduct were investigated thoroughly to ensure the integrity and professionalism of the department's operations and personnel.

The complaints involved three (3) discourteous officer complaints, two (2) untruthful officer complaints, one (1) mishandling of a civilian all for service complaint, one (1) officer social media posting complaint, one (1) officer harassment complaint, one (1) officer unlawful access to law enforcement data base complaint, one (1) inadequate investigation by an internal affairs officer complaint and one (1) general order/policy violation complaint.

The officer social media posting complaint was found to be substantiated and all other complaints were found unsubstantiated. The officer social media posting complaint was generated from within the department. All other complaints were generated from outside the department.

All complainants were notified via USPS mail regarding the outcomes of each investigation.

The following chart depicts by month when the complaints were received, by whom they were initiated by, and whether they were substantiated or not.

<b>Month of Investigation</b>	<b>Substantiated</b>	<b>Unsubstantiated</b>	<b>Generated within Department</b>	<b>Citizen Complaint</b>
January	0	2	0	2
February	1	0	1	0
March	0	2	0	2
April	0	2	0	2
May	0	0	0	0
June	0	0	0	0
July	0	1	0	1
August	0	1	0	1
September	0	2	0	2
October	0	0	0	0
November	0	0	0	0
December	0	0	0	0

The North Kingstown Police Department is committed to monitoring the performance of sworn and civilian department employees. The residents of the town delegate considerable authority to the police and expect service that is professional and consistent with department policies and department rules and regulations.

Respectfully.



Captain Eli A. Mulligan  
Internal Affairs Officer

Cc: Chief John Urban