



OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY

Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number OPA#2016-1110

Issued Date: 03/31/2017

Named Employee #1	
Allegation #1	<u>Seattle Police Department Manual</u> 5.001 (3) Standards and Duties: Employees Must Attend All Mandatory Training (Policy that was issued April 1, 2015)
OPA Finding	Not Sustained (Unfounded)
Final Discipline	N/A

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

The Named Employee did not complete mandatory training.

COMPLAINT

The complainant, the Compliance Bureau, alleged that the Named Employee did not complete the SPD - 2015 Rapid Intervention class. This class was mandatory for all sworn Employees.

INVESTIGATION

The OPA investigation included the following actions:

1. Review of the complaint memo
2. Search for and review of all relevant records and other evidence
3. Interview of SPD employee

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION

The preponderance of the evidence showed that the Named Employee did not complete this mandatory training. However, the evidence also showed that, before he could complete the training but while sessions of the training were still available, the Named Employee was on extended medical leave and light duty until after the last session of this mandatory training was offered. The training required physical activity and officers on light duty were prohibited from participation.

FINDINGS

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A preponderance of the evidence showed that the Named Employee was on extended medical leave and light duty until after the last session of this mandatory training was offered. Therefore a finding of **Not Sustained** (Unfounded) was issued for *Standards and Duties: Employees Must Attend All Mandatory Training*.

NOTE: The Seattle Police Department Manual policies cited for the allegation(s) made for this OPA Investigation are policies that were in effect during the time of the incident. The issued date of the policy is listed.