

GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTERNAL AFFAIRS

(IA Case# 11-08, Conformance To Laws)

On February 2011, Chief of Police Filed a complaint of Conformance To Laws with Internal Affairs (IA). It was alleged that a police officer had taken a suspected controlled substance during off duty hours. After a preliminary Investigation of disturbance was conducted, the allege officer was requested to undergo a drug test exam in compliance with the department's Drug Free Work Place Program, GO 00-02.

Internal Affairs conducted an investigation of this case which revealed the following.

On February 2010, IA investigators were activated to work with this case. Preliminary investigation revealed that suspicious activities might have been taking place at the residence of the officer. Internal Affairs Investigation gathered evidence which led them to suspect the use of a controlled substance by this officer. After detailed interview of witnesses alleged to be involved with the officer it was established by the investigators that there was a strong possibility of an illegal use of drugs.

The investigation of an alleged violation of "Conformance to Laws" was sustained regarding this officer. The officer voluntarily resigned from the department. The Chief of Police accepted the resignation. Case was closed and filed for records.

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