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Subject: Annual Report of summary data collected under Minn. Stat. 626.8457, Subd. 3e.

Dear Senators, Representatives, Director Lincoln:

Minnesota Statutes, section 626.8457, subdivision 3e, requires the board to prepare a report that contains summary data provided under paragraph Minn. Stat. 626.8457 (b). This section further requires the board to post the report on its publicly accessible website and provide a copy to the chairs and ranking minority members of the senate and house of representatives committees and divisions having jurisdiction over criminal justice policy.

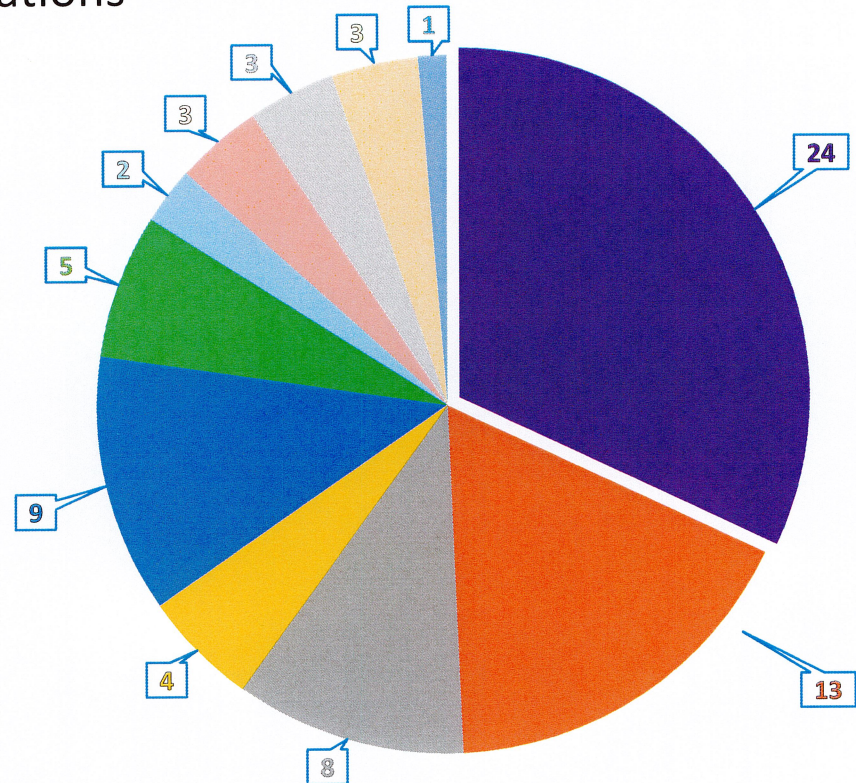
I have included the required report for calendar year 2022 in this communication. It is also available on the POST Board website.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 651-201-7789 or email erik.misselt@state.mn.us with questions or if I can provide further assistance.

Sincerely,

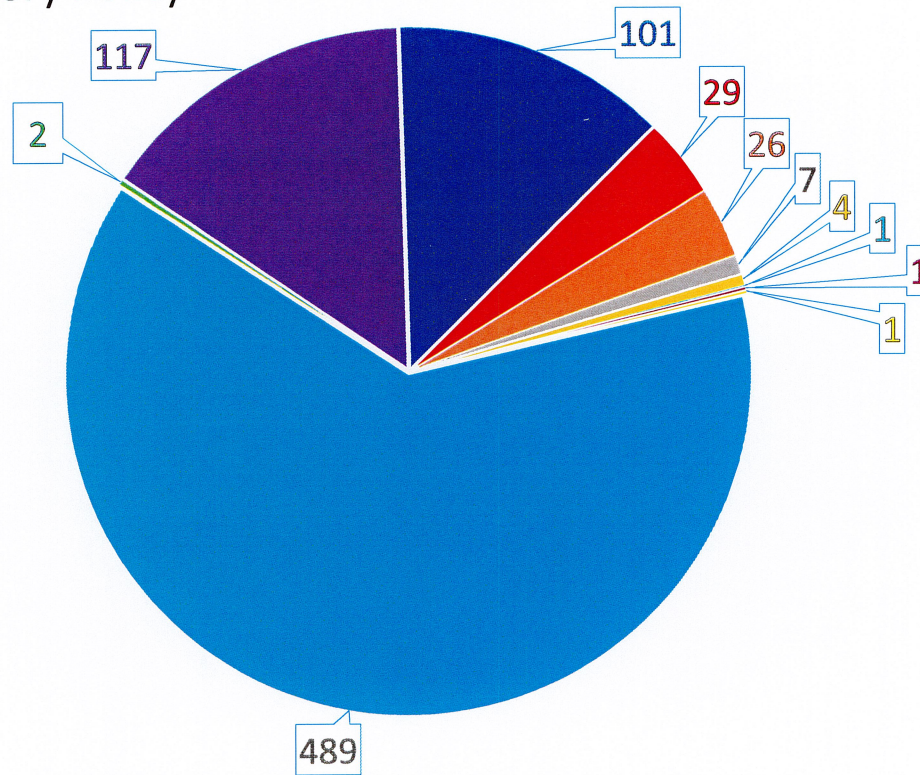
Erik Misselt
Executive Director

Standard of Conduct Violations



- Criminal - Any Felony
- Criminal - Any Gross Misdemeanors
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Assault 5th Degree - 609.224
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Domestic Assault - 609.2242
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - DWI 4th Degree - 169A.27
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Misconduct of Public Officer or Employee - 609.43
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Mistreatment of Persons Confined - 609.23
- Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Theft - 609.52
- Non-Criminal - Failure to Intercede and Report
- Non-Criminal - Sexual Harassment
- Non-Criminal - Violate any POST Board Order

Violations of Mandatory Policy



- Allegations of Misconduct Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2200
- Avoiding Racial Profiling Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8471, subd. 4
- Domestic Abuse Model Policy - MN STAT 629.342
- Investigation of Sexual Assault Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8442
- Portable Recording Systems Adoption - MN STAT 626.8473
- Predatory Offender Registration and Community Notification Model Policy
- Procession of Property for Administrative Forfeiture Model Policy - MN STAT 609.531
- Professional Conduct of Officers (Conduct Unbecoming Model Policy) - MN STAT 626.8457
- Response to Reports of Missing & Endangered Persons Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8454
- Use of Force Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8452, subd. 1, 1a
- Vehicle Pursuit and Emergency Vehicle Operations Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8458, subd. 2

Total of allegations and reports		Reports can contain multiple allegations	
General Category	Number of Reports	Number of Allegations	
Mandatory Policy Violation	524	778	
Standards of Conduct Violation	67	75	

Total by specific type of allegation	
Mandatory Policy Violation	Number of Allegations
Allegations of Misconduct Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2200	29
Avoiding Racial Profiling Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8471, subd. 4	26
Domestic Abuse Model Policy - MN STAT 629.342	7
Investigation of Sexual Assault Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8442	4
Portable Recording Systems Adoption - MN STAT 626.8473	1
Predatory Offender Registration and Community Notification Model Policy	1
Procession of Property for Administrative Forfeiture Model Policy - MN STAT 609.531	1
Professional Conduct of Officers (Conduct Unbecoming Model Policy) - MN STAT 626.8457	489
Response to Reports of Missing & Endangered Persons Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8454	2
Use of Force Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8452, subd. 1, 1a	117
Vehicle Pursuit and Emergency Vehicle Operations Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8458, subd. 2	101

Total by specific type of allegation	
Standards of Conduct Violation	Number of Allegations
Criminal - Any Felony	24
Criminal - Any Gross Misdemeanors	13
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Assault 5th Degree - 609.224	8
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Domestic Assault - 609.2242	4
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - DWI 4th Degree - 169A.27	9
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Misconduct of Public Officer or Employee - 609.43	5
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Mistreatment of Persons Confined - 609.23	2
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Theft - 609.52	3
Non-Criminal - Failure to Intercede and Report	3
Non-Criminal - Sexual Harassment	3
Non-Criminal - Violate any POST Board Order	1

Agency findings by general category	This is the agency disposition for each type of allegation	
Agency Disposition	Mandatory Policy Violation	Standards of Conduct Violation
Coaching	26	0
Exonerated	122	15
Not Sustained	56	1
Other	31	4
Policy Failure	2	0
Sustained	176	15
Unfounded	158	11

Agency findings grouped by specific type of allegation	This describes the various agency dispositions by the type of allegation								
Type of Allegation	Coaching	Exonerated	Not Sustained	Other	Policy Failure	Sustained	Unfounded	Pending	
Allegations of Misconduct Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2200	2	6	4			4	11	2	
Avoiding Racial Profiling Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8471, subd. 4		10	4				11	1	
Domestic Abuse Model Policy - MN STAT 629.342	1	1	2				3		
Investigation of Sexual Assault Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8442						1	3		
Portable Recording Systems Adoption - MN STAT 626.8473						1			
Predatory Offender Registration and Community Notification Model Policy - Minnesota Session Laws 1996, Chapter 408, Art. 5, Sec. 7		1							
Procession of Property for Administrative Forfeiture Model Policy - MN STAT 609.531						1			
Professional Conduct of Officers (Conduct Unbecoming Model Policy) - MN STAT 626.8457	19	61	36	22		106	110	135	
Response to Reports of Missing & Endangered Persons Model Policy - MN STAT 299C.51-299C.5655, 390.25 & 626.8454		2							
Use of Force Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8452, subd. 1, 1a	3	41	10	4	2	10	19	28	
Vehicle Pursuit and Emergency Vehicle Operations Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2700-6700.2704 MN STAT 626.8458, subd. 2	1			5		53	1	41	
Criminal - Any Felony	X		1	1	2	X	3	8	9
Criminal - Any Gross Misdemeanors			1		1		2	9	
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Assault 5th Degree - 609.224			2				1	2	3
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Domestic Assault - 609.2242			1					1	2
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - DWI 4th Degree - 169A.27							5	4	
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Misconduct of Public Officer or Employee - 609.43			3		1		1		
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Mistreatment of Persons Confined - 609.23			2						
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Theft - 609.52			1				1	1	
Non-Criminal - Failure to Intercede and Report							2	1	
Non-Criminal - Sexual Harassment			3						
Non-Criminal - Violate any POST Board Order			1						

Type of agency discipline by general category	If the allegation is sustained, this is the type of discipline administered by the agency	
	Mandatory Policy Violation	Standards of Conduct Violation
Demotion	4	0
Discharge	14	1
No Discipline	9	1
Oral Reprimand	34	0
Other	9	5
Suspension	52	8
Written Reprimand	51	0

Discipline administered for sustained violations of specific type of allegation	If the allegation is sustained, this is the type of discipline administered by the agency listed by the type of allegation						
	Demotion	Discharge	No Discipline	Oral Reprimand	Other	Suspension	Written Reprimand
Allegations of Misconduct Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2200						3	1
Avoiding Racial Profiling Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8471, subd. 4							
Domestic Abuse Model Policy - MN STAT 629.342							
Investigation of Sexual Assault Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8442							1
Portable Recording Systems Adoption - MN STAT 626.8473							1
Predatory Offender Registration and Community Notification Model Policy - Minnesota Session Laws 1996, Chapter 408, Art. 5, Sec. 7							
Procession of Property for Administrative Forfeiture Model Policy - MN STAT 609.531							1
Professional Conduct of Officers (Conduct Unbecoming Model Policy) - MN STAT 626.8457	4	11	6	10	9	36	30
Response to Reports of Missing & Endangered Persons Model Policy - MN STAT 299C.51-299C.5655, 390.25 & 626.8454							
Use of Force Model Policy - MN STAT 626.8452, subd. 1, 1a			2	2		5	1
Vehicle Pursuit and Emergency Vehicle Operations Model Policy - MN RULES 6700.2700-6700.2704 MN STAT 626.8458, subd. 2			1	3	22	8	16

Criminal - Any Felony		1		2		
Criminal - Any Gross Misdemeanors				1	1	
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Assault 5th Degree - 609.224					1	
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Domestic Assault - 609.2242						
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - DWI 4th Degree - 169A.27						5
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Misconduct of Public Officer or Employee - 609.43				1		
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Mistreatment of Persons Confined - 609.23						
Criminal - Certain Misdemeanors - Theft - 609.52				1		
Non-Criminal - Failure to Intercede and Report			1			1
Non-Criminal - Sexual Harassment						
Non-Criminal - Violate any POST Board Order						