

Peace Officer Standards and Training Council September 2018 Disciplinary Case Presentation

**The following is a synopsis of cases heard and decided by the POST Council on September 20, 2018*

Cases Presented	16
Law Enforcement Officers	10
Corrections Officers	5
Special Functions Officers	1
Dispatcher	0
 Sanctions Issued by Council	
Revocation	1
3 Year Suspension	1
2 Year-6 Month Suspension	2
2 Year Suspension	3
18 Month Suspension	4
1 Year Suspension	4
Letter of Caution	1
 POST Recommendation Status *	
Recommendations Accepted	11(69%)
Recommendations Rejected	5 (31%)
Hearing Waiver – Recommendation Accepted	4
ALJ Hearing – Recommendation Accepted	2
Order of Default – Recommendation Accepted	5
Hearing Waiver – Recommendation Rejected	2
ALJ Hearing – Recommendation Rejected	1
Default Order – Recommendation Rejected	2
(Decrease sanction -2, Increase sanction - 3)	
 Officers Appearing Before Council	
Officers Appearing Before the Council	7 (44%)
Officers Represented by Legal Counsel	7 (44%)
 Years of Service	
Average	11.92
Longest	29
Shortest	0
 Gender	
Male	15
Female	1
 Cases with Alcohol or Drug Involvement	
Total Alcohol	6
Alcohol Primary Contributor	4
Alcohol Secondary Contributor	2
Total Prescription Drugs	0
Prescription Drugs Primary Contributor	0
Prescription Drugs Secondary Contributor	0
Total Controlled Substance	0
Controlled Substance Primary Contributor	0
Controlled Substance Secondary Contributor	0
 Sustained Allegations	
Animal Cruelty	1
Assault	1
Carrying a Loaded Weapon While Under the Influence	2
Criminal Trespass	2

Domestic Violence Assault	1
Domestic Violence in the Presence of a Child	1
Driving Under the Influence	4
False Evidence of Title and Registration	1
Providing False Information to Obtain Certification	1
False Emergency Reporting	1
Falsification of a Government Record	3
Obstruction of Justice	1
Reckless Endangerment	1
Unlawful Trapping	1
Take, Transfer, Sell, Purchase Protected Wildlife	1

Disciplinary Guideline Category

Category A	2
Category B	1
Category C	3
Category D	8
Category E	3
Category F	1
Category G	0

POST Adjudication Type

Hearing Waiver	6
Administrative Law Judge Hearing	3
Order of Default	7

Employing Agency Action

No Action – Still Employed	2
Reprimanded/Warning – Still Employed	1
Suspended/Demoted – Still Employed	0
Terminated	4
Resigned or Retired	8
Not Employed	1

POST Recommended Sanctions

Revocation	1
3 Year Suspension	1
2 Year-6 Month Suspension	2
2 Year Suspension	3
18 Month Suspension	4
1 Year Suspension	4
Letter of Caution	1

Criminal Status

No Criminal Action	6
No Charges Filed	5
Charges Dismissed	1
Convictions	10
Class A Misdemeanor	2
Class B Misdemeanor	7
Class C Misdemeanor	1
Pending Criminal Adjudication	2

Letter of No Action Filed Since Last POST Council Meeting** **2**

Voluntary Relinquishments Since Last POST Council Meeting **7**

Allegations related to Voluntary Relinquishment – Sexual conduct on duty, obstruction of justice, Falsification of a government record, assault, lying under *Garrity*, DUI, disorderly conduct, intoxication, interference with a police officer, sexual battery, reckless endangerment, custodial sexual misconduct, child abuse.

**This section indicates whether the council accepted the sanction recommended by POST investigations or issued an alternate sanction. The section also indicates whether the case came before the Council as a result of an administrative law judge (ALJ) hearing, an individual signing a hearing waiver, or an individual failing to respond and a default order being issued.*

***Indicates the number of POST investigations closed since the last POST Council meeting which resulted in no action being taken against the individual's certification.*