CITY OF LONG BEACH CITIZEN POLICE COMPLAINT COMMISSION MINUTES

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 2022 411 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD CIVIC CHAMBERS, 5:30 PM

Dana Buchanan, Chair Veronica Garcia, Vice Chair Michele Anderson, Commissioner Irma Archuleta, Commissioner Michael L. Bates, Commissioner



Dianne McNinch, Commissioner David Ochoa, Commissioner Kenneth Shiozaki-Kawamoto, Commissioner Michael Soto, Commissioner Merry Taheri, Commissioner Brent Walmsley, Commissioner

Patrick Weithers, Manager of the CPCC

FINISHED AGENDA & MINUTES

CITIZEN POLICE COMPLAINT COMMISSION MEETING IN-PERSON/VIRTUAL HYBRID MEETING PURSUANT TO AB 361 (GOV. CODE SECTION 54953(e)(1)-(2))

CALL TO ORDER (5:31 PM)

At 5:31 PM, Chair Buchanan called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (5:31 PM)

Commissioners Michele Anderson, Irma Archuleta, Michael L. Bates, Dianne Present: McNinch, David Ochoa, Kenneth Shiozaki-Kawamoto, Michael Soto, Merry Taheri, Brent Walmsley, Veronica Garcia and Dana Buchanan

Also Present: Chris Crisostomo, Special Investigator; Terrance Pham, Special Investigator; Anita Lakhani, Deputy City Attorney; Lee DeBrabander, Commander, Long Beach Police Department; Kyle Smith, City Clerk Specialist.

REGULAR AGENDA (5:31 PM)

1. 22-023CPRecommendation to approve the minutes of the Citizen Police
Complaint Commission Regular Meeting of Thursday, May 12, 2022.

A motion was made by Commissioner McNinch, seconded by Commissioner Archuleta, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

- Yes: 9 Michele Anderson, Irma Archuleta, Michael L. Bates, Dianne McNinch, David Ochoa, Kenneth Shiozaki-Kawamoto, Brent Walmsley, Veronica Garcia and Dana Buchanan
- Absent: 2 Michael Soto and Merry Taheri

PUBLIC COMMENT (5:32 PM)

No members of the public addressed the Commission.

MANAGER'S REPORT (5:32 PM)

Chris Crisostomo, Special Investigator, spoke; and presented the Manager's Report.

Commissioner Ochoa spoke.

Chris Crisostomo, Special Investigator, spoke.

Commissioner McNinch spoke.

Chair Buchanan spoke.

Vice Chair Garcia spoke.

Commissioner McNinch spoke.

Commissioner Archuleta spoke.

Chris Crisostomo, Special Investigator, spoke.

Chair Buchanan spoke.

REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR AND THE COMMISSIONERS (5:41 PM)

Commissioner Soto spoke.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION (5:42 PM)

At 5:42 PM, there being no objection, Chair Buchanan recessed the meeting to Closed Session.

RECONVENE FROM CLOSED SESSION (8:43 PM)

At 8:43 PM, Chair Buchanan reconvened the meeting.

ROLL CALL (8:43 PM)

- Commissioners Michele Anderson, Irma Archuleta, Michael L. Bates, Dianne Present: McNinch, David Ochoa, Kenneth Shiozaki-Kawamoto, Michael Soto, Merry Taheri, Brent Walmsley, Veronica Garcia and Dana Buchanan
- **2.** <u>22-024CP</u> Recommendation to receive Commission's vote and refer findings to the City Manager.

Chair Buchanan reported out from Closed Session the following actions taken:

[1] Case 21-087 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 - Sexual Misconduct for Officer accused;

[2] Case No. 21-113 Commissioners voted 9-2 on Allegation No. 1 -Improper Arrest, 11-0 on Allegation Nos. 2 - Unbecoming Conduct for First and Second Officer accused, and 3 - Harassment for Officer accused;

[3] Case No. 21-072 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation Nos. 1 -Unbecoming Conduct and 2 - Unbecoming Conduct for Officer accused;

[4] Case No. 21-121 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation Nos. 1 -Failure to Take Action and 2 - Unbecoming Conduct for Officer accused;

[5] Case No. 21-106 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 -Unbecoming Conduct for Officer accused; [6] Case No. 21-103 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 - Use of Force for Officer accused;

[7] Case No. 22-028 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 -Unbecoming Conduct for Officer accused;

[8] Case No. 21-077 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 -Unbecoming Conduct for Officer accused;

[9] Case No. 22-058 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 - Failure to Investigate for Officer accused; and

[10] Case No. 21-096 Commissioners voted 11-0 on Allegation No. 1 - Failure to Take Action for First and Second Officers accused.

A motion was made by Commissioner Taheri, seconded by Vice Chair Garcia, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

- Yes: 11 Michele Anderson, Irma Archuleta, Michael L. Bates, Dianne McNinch, David Ochoa, Kenneth Shiozaki-Kawamoto, Michael Soto, Merry Taheri, Brent Walmsley, Veronica Garcia and Dana Buchanan
- **3.** <u>22-026CP</u> eComments received for the Citizen Police Complaint Commission meeting of Thursday, June 9, 2022.

This CP-Agenda Item was received and filed.

PUBLIC COMMENT (8:46 PM)

No members of the public addressed the Commission.

ADJOURNMENT (8:46 PM)

At 8:46 PM, there being no objection, Chair Buchanan declared the meeting adjourned.

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