

Use of Force Recommendation 12

Professional Standards to Provide Findings
During Investigations



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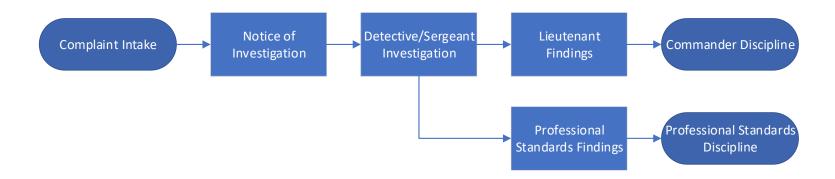
Recommendation Highlights

Recommendation 12

 Professional Standards should be in charge to make recommendations as to whether an NOI should be sustained, unfounded or exonerated.

The Police Executive Research Forum (PERF)

Current Process



Regional Trends

Agency	Provide Findings	IA/PS Staffed with all Sergeants
Phoenix PD	X	X
Tempe PD	X	X
Scottsdale PD	X	X
Chandler PD	X	X

Discussion Points

Reasons **for** adopting the recommendation:

- Investigator able to provide input on findings
- Consistency with findings

Reasons **against** adopting the recommendation:

- PS Currently staffed with 2 sergeants and 3 detectives
 - Detectives would be required to provide findings (supervisory function)



Final Guidance

Adopt PERF's recommendation for Professional Standards to provide findings.

Recommend the Professional Standards Lieutenant provide the findings rather than the individual investigators.



Discussion