

NORTHERN JOINT POLICE BOARD

22 NOVEMBER 2007

Agenda Item	
Report No	

COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE POLICE

Report by the Chief Constable

SUMMARY

To inform Members, in terms of Circular 16/1973, with regard to recorded complaints against the Police.

BACKGROUND

In the period between 1 August 2007 to 30 September 2007, **34** complaints were received with **43** allegations being made. The breakdown of the **43** allegations for the period is:

ON DUTY

• Assault	3
• Excessive Force	2
• Incivility	6
• Neglect of Duty	2
• Irregularity in Procedure	2
• Traffic Irregularity	2
• Oppressive Conduct/Harassment	11
• Unlawful Arrest/Unnecessary	1
• Discriminatory Behaviour	1
• Corrupt Practice	2
• Other - Criminal	4
• Other - Non Criminal	0

<u>Total Allegations</u>	36
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OFF DUTY

• Crimes of Violence	0
• Crimes of Indecency	0
• Crimes of Dishonesty	0
• Fireraising, Malicious Mischief, etc.	0
• Other Crimes	0
• Miscellaneous Offences	0
• Offences involving Motor Vehicles	0
• Incivility	0
• Other	0

<u>Total Allegations</u>	0
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QUALITY OF SERVICE

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| • Policy/Procedure | 2 |
| • Service Delivery | 5 |
| • Service Outcome | 0 |
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<u>Total Allegations</u>	7
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The Complaints Register will be available for examination at the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

The Board is invited to note the report.

I Latimer
Chief Constable
17 October 2007