

July 24, 2008

A meeting of the Committee on Rules and Complaints of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners was held on the above date, commencing at 5:08 P.M.

PRESENT: Commissioners: Earl Buford, Chair  
Richard Cox

ALSO PRESENT: Michael G. Tobin, Executive Director

The Chair announced that the agenda would consider Police Chief Edward Flynn's request to amend Police Department rules regarding uniforms, equipment and appearance by rescinding Rule 4, Sections 2/070.00, 2/070.01, and 2/071.00; rescinding Rule 9 in its entirety; and creating Standard Operating Procedure 340. Commissioner Cox announced that he intended to recommend approval to the full Board as the Chief has explained his rationale for the request, advance notice was given and meetings held by the Department with the unions, and they are in agreement with the change. The Director noted that Lieutenant Gary Gacek was present at the meeting on behalf of the Chief. The Chair announced unanimous consent of the Chief's recommendation.

Commissioner Cox moved to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Buford. The motion carried unanimously.

The meeting concluded at 5:12 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Michael G. Tobin  
Executive Director

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