



Seattle Office of Inspector General

To: Gino Betts, OPA Director
CC: Dan Okada, Assistant Director of Investigations
From: Mary Prang, OIG Public Safety and Investigations Specialist
Date: 07/19/2023
Re: OIG Certification Memo for Case Number: 2023OPA-0126

OIG Certification Memo with Note

OIG has reviewed the investigation for case number 2023OPA-0126. The investigation is certified as thorough, timely, and objective.

NOTE: Investigating OPA Sargent informed the Complainant the conversation was being recorded rather than asking the Complainant if they consented to be recorded. OIG reminded OPA in May 2023 of the requirement to request consent prior to recording a Complainant's statement (OPA Manual 6.5(F)). OIG notes the interview in the case occurred in April 2023.

Respectfully,

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