

# **Baltimore City Police Commissioner Response**

Case # 21-0025-I



# BALTIMORE POLICE DEPARTMENT



**Brandon M. Scott**  
Mayor

**Michael S. Harrison**  
Police Commissioner

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City Hall, Room 635  
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Baltimore, MD 21202

**RE: BPD Response to Management Alert for OIG Case 21-0025-I** [REDACTED]

Dear Ms. Cumming,

Thank you for your attention to the issues identified in OIG Case 21-0025-I. Based on a review of your findings, the department agrees with your determination that Officer [REDACTED] permanent suspension status (which was agreed upon by a prior administration) prohibits [REDACTED] from ever serving in a law enforcement capacity for the Baltimore Police Department. As such, that would place [REDACTED] into a similar status as other members who are medically unable to return to full service and, pursuant to the FOP MOU, the department is able to separate them from service.

The BPD Legal Affairs Division has formally notified Officer [REDACTED] (and [REDACTED] legal representative) that [REDACTED] employment will be terminated effective August 1, 2021 and that [REDACTED] should make every effort to coordinate with the Fire & Police Pension system to begin the process for obtaining any pension rights that [REDACTED] may be entitled to under F&P pension rules.

If any further information is needed, please do not hesitate to reach out to me, or my Chief of Staff. Thank you for your continued partnership with the Baltimore Police Department.

Sincerely,

Michael Harrison  
Police Commissioner  
Baltimore Police Department