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## CHARGES

OPS Investigator II William T. Rotroff, is charged with violating the following rules contained in Article V of the Rules and Regulations of the Chicago Police Department, which were in full force and effect on the date of the alleged violations:

Rule 2:

Any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve

its policy and goals or brings discredit upon the Department.

Rule 14:

Making a false report whether written or oral.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

1. OPS Investigator II William T. Rotroff, is charged with violating Rule 2, "any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals or brings discredit upon the Department," in one or more of the following instances:

Count I:

That on or about October 7, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 248984, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count II:

That on or about October 16, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 240835, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count III:

That on or about December 16, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 242060, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count IV:

That on or about December 23, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 242226, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count V:

That on or about January 30, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243046, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit

upon the Department.

Count VI:

That on or about February 9, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243227, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count VII:

That on or about February 11, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243303, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count VIII:

That on or about February 23, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243551, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count IX:

That on or about March 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 244239, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count X:

That on or about May 6, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 245092, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count XI:

That on or about August 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 247918, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

Count XII:

That on or about September 15, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff, submitted a false report regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 248402, thereby engaging in any action or conduct which impedes the Department's efforts to achieve its policy and goals, or bringing discredit upon the Department.

2. OPS Investigator II William T. Rotroff, is charged with violating Rule 14, "making a false report whether written or oral," in one or more of the following

## instances:

Count I:

That on or about October 7, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Cynthia Hendrix, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 248984 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count II:

That on or about October 16, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Mary Ventrice, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 240835 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count III:

That on or about December 16, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Curtis Hicks, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 242060 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count IV:

That on or about December 23, 1997, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Larry Easton, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 242226 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count V:

That on or about January 30, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Sharlene Ray, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243046 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count VI:

That on or about February 9, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Katherine Scott, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243227 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count VII:

That on or about February 11, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Phillip Esparza, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243303 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count VIII:

That on or about February 23, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Darrell

Stamps, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 243551 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count IX:

That on or about March 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Wanda Carrasco, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 244239 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count X:

That on or about March 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Alicia Carrasco, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 244239 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count XI:

That on or about March 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Cordelia Sparks, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 244239 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count XII:

That on or about May 6, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Dominika Borowiak, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 245092 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count XIII:

That on or about August 26, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Jesse Jones, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 247918 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Count XIV:

That on or about September 15, 1998, OPS Investigator II Rotroff submitted a report indicating that he sent a certified letter to a Complainant, Joseph Sabato, regarding the investigation of Complaint Register Number 248402 when, in fact, no certified letter was sent, thereby making a false report whether written or oral.

Based on the foregoing charges and specifications, the Superintendent recommends that OPS Investigator II William T. Rotroff, be discharged from the Chicago Police Department.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM

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