

Law Enforcement

INTERNAL INVESTIGATION REPORT

Incorporated by Reference in Rule 11B-27.003(2)a., F.A.C.



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Please type or print in black or blue and use capital and small letters for names, titles, and address

		OFFICER		
1.	Social Security Number:			
2.	Officer's Name: Solomon	Bobbie Jo	M.	
		MI		
3.	Officer's Last Known Address: Street	City	State Zip Code	
4.	Officer's Telephone Number:			
		AGENCY		
5.	. Agency ORI: FL <u>0640100</u> 6. Agency Name: <u>Daytona Beach Police Department</u>			
7.	Agency Contact Person: Sergeant James Chirco 8. Agency Contact Person's Telephone Number: 386-671-5121			
9.	Agency Fax Number: 386-671-3308			
10.	VIOLATION - ALLEGATION Nature of Allegation(s): 1202.20 Controlled Substance Policy/Test Results and Moral Character Violation			
11. 12.	Sustained – (Violation of Agency Policy): Not Sustained: Unfounded: Exonerated:			
	Exception to limitation period for disciplinary action: Place a cl	heck mark by the exceptions to limitations	s that apply Days Tolled	
	Written waiver of limitation by officer Ongoing criminal investigation or criminal prosecution Officer incapacitated or unavailable Multi-jurisdictional investigation Emergency or natural disaster as declared by the Govern	nor		
13.	Criminal Charges Filed: N/A			
14.	Agency Disciplinary Action: Termination			
15.	If the allegation has been sustained and determined to be a violation of Section 943.13(4) or (7), F.S. or Rule 11B-27.0011, F.A.C., attach and forward the following documentation to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement.			
	Summary of the Facts Internal Investigation		of Witness	
	Witness Statement/Disposition Certified Court Docu	ıments Other Supportive l	nformation 🔀	
emp	PTICE: Pursuant to Section 943.1395(5), F.S., an employing agency ploys is not in compliance with Section 943.13(4) or (7), F.S. or Rule ward a report to the Commission as specified by Rule 11B-27.003.	e 11B-27.0011, F.A.C. If the investigation		
10	Cont I from		04-14-2016	
10.	Agency administrator a signature	•	17. Date signed	
	chael J. Chitwood, Chief of Police Agency administrator's name and title			

Form Effective Date: 6/9/2008

Daytona Beach Police Department

Office of Professional Standards

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Michael J. Chitwood, Chief of Police

FROM:

James Chirco, Sergeant, Office of Professional Standards

SUBJECT:

Project No: 102-INFO2016-006 (Officer Solomon Positive Drug

Test)

DATE:

April 14, 2016

Synopsis

On April 11, 2016 at approximately 1100 hours Captain Lance Blanchette was notified by Human Resources Director Jim Sexton that Officer Bobbie Jo Solomon tested positive for Benzoylecgonine-Cocaine Metab. This was learned through a monthly random drug screen performed by EmployMed, at 1455 Dunn Avenue in Daytona Beach, on April 6, 2016 at 1000 hours. Officer Solomon was met at EmployMed by Detective Thomas Monaco, of the Office of Professional Standards, prior to testing on April 6, 2016.

EmployMed staff notified Officer Solomon first of the results on April 11, 2016, than the city nurse's office employee, Rosalyn Smith and Janis Goff, R.N. City Hall Risk Manager Mark Jones and Human Resources Manager Jim Sexton were also notified by Nurse Goff's office.

Captain Blanchette notified me at approximately 1130 hours and Chief Chitwood immediately thereafter. We met with Chief Chitwood in his office and he advised Captain Blanchette to call Sergeant Ransom and have Officer Solomon immediately report to his office. We were advised by Sergeant Ransom that Officer Solomon was on her way back from her mother's house after obtaining a prescription. Officer Solomon arrived at Chief Chitwood's office with Sergeant Ransom at approximately 1345 hours with paperwork and a prescription pill bottle in her hands. Chief Chitwood advised Officer Solomon that she had tested positive for cocaine during her random drug screen on April 6, 2016. Officer Solomon immediately

The prescription she

had in her possession was not in her name and was for

and

Officer Solomon tested positive for Benzoylecgonine-Cocaine Metab, not Chief Chitwood again advised that the positive drug screen result was for cocaine. Chief Chitwood placed Officer Solomon on administrative duty pending the outcome of an administrative investigation and gave Officer Solomon the chance to resign. Officer Solomon consistently denied any cocaine use and stated she would fight this result. She also stated that someone may have slipped something into a drink of hers when she wasn't looking because she likes to drink but she is not a drug user and/or someone may have tampered with her drug test.

Officer Solomon's department issued gear, to include firearms and building access cards, was turned over and placed into Captain Blanchette's custody. Officer Solomon was escorted home by Captain Blanchette and me because of her upset state. Later in the day at approximately 1600 hours, Chief Chitwood advised he was going to immediately terminate Officer Solomon's employment. Captain Blanchette was contacted and authored the necessary paperwork.

On April 12, 2016 at approximately 1615 hours, Captain Blanchette and I responded to Officer Solomon's home and Captain Blanchette served her termination paperwork, effective immediately for an on-view violation of the Controlled Substance Policy/Test Results, Department Standards Directive 1202.20.

Exhibits

- Memoranda
- Drug Screen Results