PINELLAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS BUREAU INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: DECEMBER 4, 2023

TO: DISTRIBUTION

FROM: CAPTAIN ROBERT OSTERLAND **FO**

Professional Standards Bureau

SUBJECT: SHERIFF'S FINDING

Per Sheriff Gualtieri, Research Specialist David Dreslin, #59006, will receive the following as a result of AI-23-018:

1. Eight (8) hour Suspension to be served on:

December 11, 2023.

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PINELLAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE:

DECEMBER 1, 2023

TO:

RESEARCH SPECIALIST DAVID DRESLIN, #59006

FROM:

SHERIFF BOB GUALTIERI

SUBJECT: CHARGES RE: AI-23-018

An investigation has been conducted by the Administrative Investigation Division, Professional Standards Bureau, of the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office. As a result of this investigation, the Administrative Review Board has determined you committed the following violation:

On, but not limited to, August 17, 2023, while off duty in Pinellas County, Florida, you violated the Pinellas County Sheriff's Civil Service Act Laws of Florida, 89-404 as amended by Laws of Florida 08-285, Section 6, Subsection 4, by violating the provisions of law or the rules, regulations, and operating procedures of the Office of the Sheriff.

- 1. You violated Pinellas County Sheriff's Office General Order 3-1.3, Rules and Regulations 3.3, Knowledge of, and Obedience to, Laws, Rules and Regulations.
- 2. You violated Pinellas County Sheriff's Office General Order 3-1.3, Rules and Regulations 3.1, Standard of Conduct.

Synopsis: On August 6, 2023, while you were off duty at your private residence, you and your wife, with whom you reside, were engaged in a verbal argument. During the argument, you grabbed and threw a metal cup into nearby kitchen cabinets. Shortly afterward, as your wife attempted to call a relative, you took her cell phone from her and threw it. As your wife was packing items so she and the children could stay elsewhere that evening, you walked past her in the hallway, placing your hands on her shoulders, which caused her to state aloud, "Don't push me."

On August 16, 2023, the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office received two anonymous tips about your August 6, 2023, argument. On August 17, 2023, Pinellas County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to your residence and investigated the incident. The investigation determined that probable cause existed and you were arrested for misdemeanor domestic battery.

During your Administrative Investigation Interview, you admitted to placing your hands on your wife's shoulders in the hallway of your home.

During your Administrative Review Board, you admitted that because of your level of intoxication during the argument with your wife, you were unable to accurately recall specific details of the incident.

Disciplinary Points and Recommended Discipline Range:

You were found to be in violation of two (2) Level Three Rules and Regulations violations totaling twenty-five (25) points. These points, which were affected by no modified points from previous discipline, resulted in twenty-five (25) progressive discipline points. At this point level, the recommended discipline range is from eight (8) hours Suspension to forty (40) hours Suspension.

Disciplinary action shall be consistent with progressive discipline, for cause in accordance with the provisions of the Pinellas County Civil Service Act.

CAPTAIN ROBERT OSTERLAND

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS BUREAU

FOR BOB GUALTIERI, SHERIFF

I have received a copy:

Date

Time

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