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

DATE: JUNE 11, 2021

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FROM: CAPTAIN DEANNA CAREY Professional Standards Bureau

SUBJECT: SHERIFF'S FINDING

Per Sheriff Gualtieri, Deputy Martin Eisner, #59304, received the following as a result of AI-21-003:

1. Written Reprimand

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DATE: JUNE 11, 2021

TO: DEPUTY MARTIN EISNER, #59304

FROM: SHERIFF BOB GUALTIERI

SUBJECT: CHARGES RE: AI-21-003

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, January 29, 2021, while on 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, Rule and Regulation 3.4 (d), Performance of Duty.

Synopsis: On January 29, 2021, you were assigned to the Criminal Court Security Section within the Judicial Operations Bureau. One of your responsibilities in this assignment is to properly process defendants who have been sentenced and remanded into custody by the courts.

On this date during a court hearing, a defendant was sentenced to ten (10) days in the Pinellas County Jail with one (1) day of credit for time-served. The presiding judge verbally explained the sentence and you were provided written documentation confirming that the defendant was to be remanded into custody.

You failed to take action on direction provided by the judge and failed to review the documentation which you were provided regarding sentencing of the defendant. Subsequently, you directed the defendant to report to misdemeanor probation and allowed him to exit the courtroom. The court clerk notified you the defendant should have been remanded into custody which prompted you to alert other deputies who were able to locate the defendant and effect an arrest.

The Administrative Review Board determined you committed this violation.

Disciplinary Points and Recommended Discipline Range:

You were found to be in violation of one (1) Level Three Rules and Regulations violation totaling fifteen (15) points. These points, which were affected by no modified points from previous discipline, resulted in fifteen (15) progressive discipline points. At this point level, the recommended discipline range is a Written Reprimand to a three (3) days Suspension.

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

MAJOR ADRIAN ARNOLD JUDICIAL OPERATIONS BUREAU FOR BOB GUALTIERI, SHERIFF

I have received a copy:

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