

Delaware Criminal Justice Council

11/9211 Annual Reporting Submission and Record Retention

Lewes Police Department

1/1/24 to 12/31/24

Chief Thomas Spell

2/4/2025

The number of public complaints and internal complaints relating to police misconduct that the department receives each year, broken down by subject matter of the complaint.

Record	Total
Citizen Complaints Sworn Officers	0
Initiated Discipline	3
Sustained	3
Not Sustained	
Unfounded	
Exonerated	
Pending	
Remedial Training	
Oral Reprimand	
Written Reprimand	3
Suspension	
Demotion	
Resignation in Lieu of Termination	
Termination	
Formal Investigations for the Year	3
Complaints Resolved without a Formal Investigation	0
Formal Investigations that Resulted in a Sustained Finding of Misconduct	3
Resulted in Unsubstantiated Finding, or any other Disposition.	

Record	Total
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*Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, records relating to any incident for which a detailed narrative is required to be publicly posted pursuant to this chapter, shall be preserved for at least 25 years