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October 21, 2013

Chief George Turner  
City of Atlanta Police Department  
226 Peachtree Street, S.W.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

RE: ACRB Complainant File No. 13-49

Dear Chief Turner:

Please be advised that the Atlanta Citizen Review Board (ACRB) has concluded its investigation and adjudication of the complaint filed by Complainants One (male) and Complainant Two (female) alleging excessive force, abusive language and false imprisonment against Atlanta Police Officer Aqueelah James (Unique ID #4722) during an incident that occurred on May 27, 2013.

The Board determined that the abusive language and excessive force allegations against Officer James be assigned a finding of **Not Sustained**. The Board determined that there was sufficient evidence to **Sustain** the false imprisonment allegation and recommended that the following discipline be imposed:

- Written Reprimand
- Training on what constitutes “reasonable suspicion” and “probable cause.”

The file is available for review upon request. The ordinance requires that the Chief respond in writing regarding which recommendations are accepted, rejected, or will be implemented with modifications within thirty (30) days of the submission of a recommendation for action by the Board to the Chief. See Sec. 2-2211(O) of the Ordinance 07-0-0141

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Bartels', is written over a light blue background.

Paul Bartels  
Board Chair

cc: Mayor Kasim Reed  
Council President Ceasar Mitchell  
Members of the Atlanta City Council  
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Executive Director Lee Reid