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April 19, 2016

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

RE: Complaint of Brian Bickham, ACRB File #14-109

Dear Chief Turner:

Please be advised that the Atlanta Citizen Review Board (ACRB) has concluded its investigation and adjudication of the complaint filed by Mr. Brian Bickham alleging that on December 3, 2014, Atlanta Police Officer Trenton Nelson (Unique ID #5874) was verbally abusive towards him when he told him to “*Shut the fuck up*” and referred to him as a “*Monkey*.”

The Board determined that the abusive language allegation against Officer Nelson be assigned a finding of **Not Sustained**.

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 'Sherry Williams'.

Sherry Williams
Board Chair

cc: Mayor Kasim Reed
Council President Cesar Mitchell
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Executive Director Lee Reid