



## CITY OF ATLANTA

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Ms. Sherry Williams  
Atlanta Citizens Review Board  
City Hall Tower, Suite 9100  
55 Trinity Avenue, SW  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

RE: 16-119

Dear Ms. Williams:

I am in receipt of the Atlanta Citizen Review Board's letter pertaining to Mr. Jonathan Pierce's complaint against Officer Roderick Bowens, recommending that the allegation be **Sustained** against Officer Bowens.

At this time, the Office of Professional Standards has concluded its investigation into the allegation surrounding the complaint of Mr. Pierce. The investigation substantiated Officer Bowens mishandled Mr. Pierce's license. For this reason, the internal investigation resulted in a finding of **Sustained** with regard to the allegation Work Rule **4.2.33 Conformance to Directives** against Officer Bowens. Officer Bowens failed to handle the complainant's driver's license as required in AOD.SOP.4014, Traffic, Sec. 4.3.7. Officer Bowens received an Oral Admonishment.

Major Celeste Murphy, Commander of the Office of Professional Standards, can be contacted at (404) 546-5945, if you have any further concerns regarding this complaint.

Sincerely,

Erika Shields  
Chief of Police

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