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April 18, 2018

Chief Erika Shields
City of Atlanta Police Department
226 Peachtree Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

RE: Complaint of Mark Cline, ACRB File #17-127

Dear Chief Shields:

Please be advised that the Atlanta Citizen Review Board (ACRB) has concluded its investigation and adjudication of the complaint filed by Mark Cline alleging that on October 5, 2017, Atlanta Police Investigator Bradley Etterle (Unique ID #5968) failed to take appropriate action when he *“decided to bust into my house and pull me out of bed...”* during the execution of an arrest warrant. Mr. Cline further alleged that Investigator Etterle *“acted belligerent and overpowering.”*

The Board determined that the **Appropriate Action Required** allegation against Investigator Etterle be assigned a finding of **Exonerated**.

The Board further determined that the **Conduct allegation** against the officer be assigned a finding of **Unfounded**.

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 'M. Gino Brogdon', written over a white background.

M. Gino Brogdon
Board Chair

cc: Mayor Keisha Lance Bottoms
Council President Felicia Moore
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