



Police Review Commission

POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

ACTION MINUTES

**South Berkeley Senior Center
2939 Ellis Street
Berkeley, California**

**Date: Wed., March 12, 2003
Time: 7:50 p.m.**

1. ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present: Ritchie, Sherman, DeBose, Sanchez-Resnik, Yang

Commissioners Absent: Liu, Sternberg, Weinberg, White

PRC Staff: Barbara Attard

BPD Staff: Sgt. Morizono, Lt. Harris

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

Claudia Pitas stated that she disagreed with the Board decision on the Shale Well case. Peter Ritch stated that he is a former police officer and during that period he was aware that some police officers were involved in conducting investigations of private persons.

3. MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 26, 2003 REGULAR MEETING

Continued to next meeting.

4. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT (For Discussion or Action)

a) New Filings—Four since last meeting.

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- b) Boards of Inquiry—Upcoming boards were discussed
- c) Request for a Rehearing PRC Case #1946, Complainant Francis Wong DeBose/Sanchez-Resnik (Moved/Seconded) to deny request for rehearing. Passed unanimously.
- d) Recommendation of Partial Summary Dismissal in PRC Case #1959, Complainant Theodore Bolton
Item not discussed as Mr. Bolton withdrew his complaint.

5. BPD CHIEF'S REPORT

Lt. Harris reported that the Chief met with Internal Affairs to go over procedural matters. Commissioner Sherman congratulated the Chief on his appointment.

6. COMMITTEE REPORTS (For Discussion or Action)

Caloca Sub Committee—Commissioner Ritchie reported that the Subcommittee met with City Manager Rucker. He will be checking into some of the committee's concerns.

7. OLD BUSINESS (For Discussion or Action)

- a) Caloca Update—Barbara Attard reported that there have been several hearings and many requests for appeals.

- b) Development of PRC Workplan

The workplan was reviewed. The Commissioner Orientation is scheduled for 6:30 PM April 23.

Attard recommended that a subcommittee be formed to draft an “Intelligence Policy” –DeBose, Sherman, and Ritchie volunteered to work on this. **DeBose/Sherman (Moved/Seconded) to invite members of the Peace and Justice Commission to work with the PRC subcommittee to create an intelligence policy. Passed unanimously.**

8. NEW BUSINESS (For Discussion or Action)

- a) Recommendations from Mark Schlosberg, Northern California ACLU
Continued to next meeting.

9. COMMUNICATIONS

- Statement of Economic Interest Forms Due
- Free Conference—Berkeley's Response—Alcohol and Drug, 3/19/03, 8-4:30, Clark Kerr Campus
- BPD Special Council Study Session, March 25, 2003

10. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:40 PM.