Elmendorf Police Department

8304 FM 327 / PO BOX 247 Elmendorf, Texas 78112 (210)635-8710 / Fax (210)635-7740 Chief of Police : Marco A. Pena

Racial Profiling Complaint Form

Definition of racial or biased based profiling

A law enforcement-initiated action based on an individual's race, ethnicity, sex, gender, age, religion, or national origin rather than on the individual's behavior on information identifying the individual as having engaged in criminal activity. Racial or biased profiling pertains to persons who are viewed as suspects or potential suspects of criminal behavior. The term is not relevant as it pertains to witnesses, complaints, persons needing assistance, or other citizen contacts.

Acts constituting racial or biased based profiling

Acts initiating law enforcement action, such as a traffic stop, a detention, a search, issuance of a citation, or an arrest based solely upon an individual's race, ethnicity, sex, gender, age, religion, or individual's behavior, information identifying the individual as having possibly engaged in criminal activity, or other lawful reasons for the law enforcement action.

Instructions

Please fill in as much information as possible on the next page then write a brief narrative of your complaint as neatly and as detailed as possible in the space provided. Include all the details of the incident involving the alleged racial profiling. You may also use additional sheets of paper if necessary. Please print.

Make sure you sign and date your statement in front of a Notary Public.

This statement can be turned in at Elmendorf City Hall or mailed to the address provided.

Note: A person commits an offense if with intent to deceive, he knowingly makes a false statement that is material in a criminal investigation and makes the statement to a peace officer conducting the investigation. An offense under this section is a Class B Misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$2000 or 180 days in jail, or both such fine and jail in accordance with Texas Penal Code 27.08.

PERSON MAKING COMPLAINT Full Name: _ Date of Birth: \ (MM\DD\YYYY) (Last, First, Middle) Address: (Please include your complete address) Telephone: ____ (Work) (Cell-preferred method) INCIDENT IN QUESTION Date of Incident: ___\ ___ Day of Week: ____ Time: ____ AM or PM $(MM\DD\YYYYY)$ Location of Incident: _____ (Please include a complete address or describe the location as much as possible) Type of Contact: ___ (i.e., traffic stop, pedestrian stop, ect.) Witness Name (if applicable):

Address:

Telephone: _____

(Please include their complete address)

Note: A person commits an offense if with intent to deceive, he knowingly makes a false statement that is material in a criminal investigation and makes the statement to a peace officer conducting the investigation. An offense under this section is a Class B Misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$2000 or 180 days in jail, or both such fine and jail in accordance with Texas Penal Code 27.08.

(Work)

(Cell-preferred method)

 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

Note: A person commits an offense if with intent to deceive, he knowingly makes a false statement that is material in a criminal investigation and makes the statement to a peace officer conducting the investigation. An offense under this section is a Class B Misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$2000 or 180 days in jail, or both such fine and jail in accordance with Texas Penal Code 27.08.

Signature of Complainant:
Notary Public
On this day of, 20, personally appeared
, whom on their oath, stated the above facts were
true and correct.
tide and correct.
Notary Public in and for Bexar County, Texas

Notary Stamp

Note: A person commits an offense if with intent to deceive, he knowingly makes a false statement that is material in a criminal investigation and makes the statement to a peace officer conducting the investigation. An offense under this section is a Class B Misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$2000 or 180 days in jail, or both such fine and jail in accordance with Texas Penal Code 27.08.