



CITY OF ATLANTA

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Richard J. Pennington
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September 18, 2009

Mr. Roderick Edmond
Chairperson
Atlanta Citizen Review Board
55 Trinity Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Chairman Edmond,

In response to your letter dated September 14, 2009. The Atlanta Police Department is currently reviewing best practice policies around the county as it relates to officers appearing before the Citizen Complaint Review Board.

We will develop a SOP policy for officers to cooperate fully with the board. The department will also develop a discipline component for officers who do not cooperate with the review board. This department will cooperate fully with the Atlanta Citizen Complaint Review Board.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard J. Pennington".

Richard J. Pennington
Chief of Police

cc: Mayor Shirley Franklin
Greg Giornelli
Cristina Beamud
Major Lane Hagin