



# San Diego County Sheriff's Department

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*William D. Gore, Sheriff*

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Kim-Thoa Hoang, Board Chairperson  
Citizens' Law Enforcement Review Board  
555 West Beech Street, Suite 505  
San Diego, CA 92101-3819

**CLERB CASE NUMBER: 17-102**

Dear Chairperson Hoang,

The Sheriff's Department welcomes and supports the Citizens' Law Enforcement Review Board's independent review of complaints alleging improper actions by members of this organization. We continuously strive to respond with professionalism and concern to the citizens we serve and the CLERB process provides invaluable input to that end.

After reviewing the CLERB Investigator's report and the Review Board's advisory Recommendation letter for this case, the Sheriff's Department understands the concerns expressed by the CLERB members.

Prior to the publishing of your findings related to Sheriff's Department Detentions Policy & Procedure 1.43 - "Soft Count", the department had already conducted an internal administrative investigation into this incident. Changes have been implemented, to include additional training and inspections. We understand the significance of conducting proper "soft counts" and have measures in place to ensure an incident like this does not occur again.

It is our goal to provide the "Highest quality public safety services" to everyone in San Diego County. I would like to thank you for your service to the citizens of the County of San Diego.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM D. GORE, SHERIFF

Scott Amos, Lieutenant  
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