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N. J. GIARDINA CHIEF OF POLICE

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CITY OF BELLEVUE PUBLIC OFFICIALS

COUNCIL:

Kenneth A. Cole - Mayor

Clarence F. Wilde

Kenneth E. Gates

Robert J. Meagher

William H. Biggs

Charles H. Simonson

Robert J. Mulloy

CITY MANAGER:

L. Joe Miller

JUDGE:

Melvin V. Love - Bellevue District Justice

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION:

John D. Shaw RAdm (ret) - Chairman

Arthur C. Evered

John F. Doorish

Walter Shigley - Secretary and Chief Examiner

CITY OF BELLEVUE

GENERAL INFORMATION

INCORPORATED:

March 31, 1953

GOVERNMENT:

Council - Manager

LOCATION:

On the east side of Lake Washington directly across from the City of Seattle to which it is connected by two floating bridges.

AREA:

1968 - 17.0 square miles with 146 miles of public streets

1969 - 26.4 square miles with 219 miles of public streets

POPULATION:

1968 - 30,000

1969 - 44,000

CHARACTER:

The City of Bellevue is the rapidly expanding center of business and residential development on the suburban "East Side" of metropolitan Seattle.

CHIEF'S MESSAGE

Mr. L. Joe Miller, City Manager City of Bellevue, Washington

Dear Mr. Miller:

Submitted herewith is the 1969 Annual Report of the Bellevue Police Department.

Once again, this past year has been characterized by rapid growth of the City.

Our scope of responsibility, both in population and geographically, has grown with the City, necessitating increases in personnel. Placing a Patrolman "on the street" involves much more than just hiring a man. Men who meet the high standards demanded by modern Police service are recruited but not in abundance. Training involves eight weeks of intensive Academy instruction for the minimum basic knowledge necessary for the complex duties they are expected to perform. Finally, they must accumulate a level of experience which will enable them to confidently handle any given situation. This takes time. These considerations, along with many others, necessitate a considerable delay between time of authorization of personnel increase and the time the personnel are actually engaged in effective police work.

We are, and for the foreseeable future, will be, engaged in a constant expansion program. It is now our primary task to accomplish such expansion without diminishing the effectiveness or the quality of our present level of service. The key to professional Police operations is good personnel and we intend to recruit, train and retain Officers of whom the City will be proud.

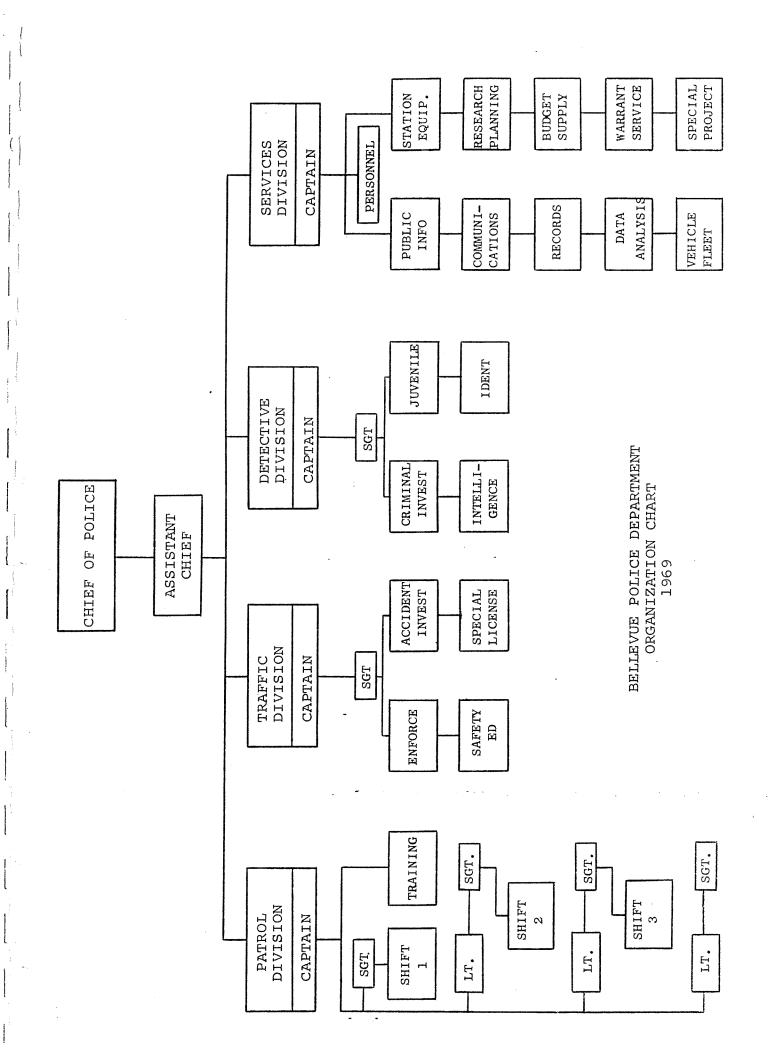
The City Council and City Manager have demonstrated their awareness and understanding of the problems we face together in serving the citizens of the community by consistently providing the resources needed to accomplish our assigned mission.

As always, the Bellevue Police Department is dedicated to the protection of the lives, rights and property of the citizens of Bellevue. I wish to commend the members of my staff for their unselfish pursuit of this goal.

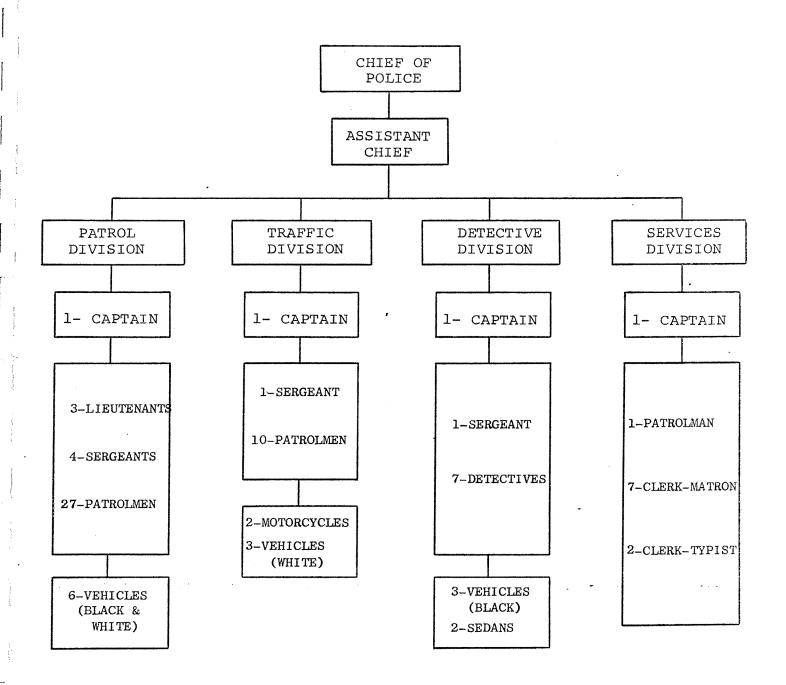
Respectfully submitted,

M. J. Siardina

N. J. Giardina, Chief of Police



BELLEVUE POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION 1969



SALARY STRUCTURE - PERSONNEL STRENGTH

1969 SCHEDULE:

Position	Step A	Step B	Step C	Step D	Step E	Number	
Chief of Police	_		1103	1129	_	1	
Assistant Chief		**************************************	-	1054	-	1	
Captain	-	-	987	1013	-	4	
Lieutenant	-		883	935	***	3	
Sergeant .	-	-	814	840	-	6	
Patrolman	683	709	735	761		40	
Clerk I	443	465	488	512	538	3	
Clerk II	422	443	465	488	512	4	
Typist (Civilian)	383	402	422	443	465	2	
Total Personnel							

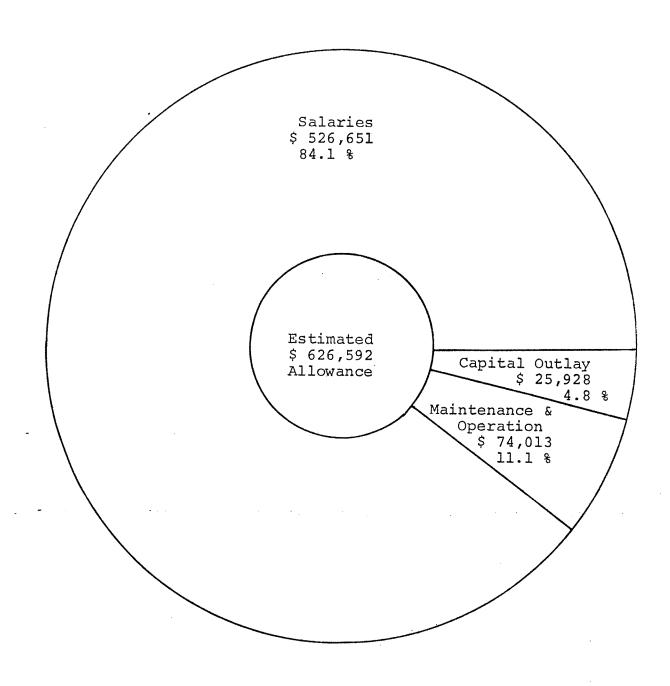
1970 SCHEDULE:

Position	Step A	Step B	Step C	Step D	Step E	Number	
Chief of Police	_	<u>-</u>	1365	1400	-	1	
Assistant Chief	-	-	•••	1200		1	
Captain	-	-	1081	1132	_	4	
Lieutenant		· -	974	1056	-	4	
Sergeant			887	938	-	6	
Patrolman	750	775	806	852		61	
Clerk I	485	510	535	560	590	. 7	
Typist & Cadet	405	425	445	465	490	7	
I.D. Specialist	655	690	725	760	. 800	1	
Total Personnel							

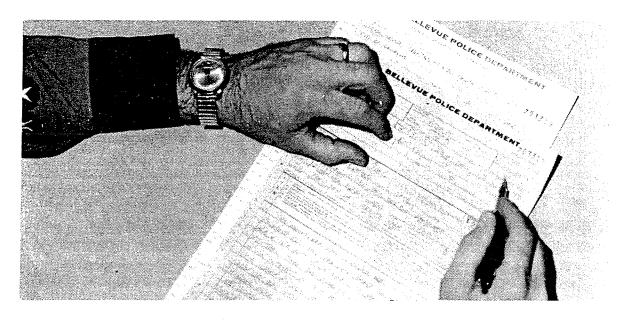
BUDGET ALLOWANCE

The budget allowance of the Bellevue Police Department was \$626,592 and this was 13.2% of the total City of Bellevue budget allowance.

This represents a per capita cost of \$14.10 for Police Services.



COMPLAINTS - ARRESTS



	COMPI	AINTS	ARRESTS				
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	1968	1969	Adult 1968	Adult 1969	Juv 1968	Juv 1969	
l-ANIMALS A-Vicious	55	42			•		
B-Other	47	58		15			
2-ARSON	16	28			8	2	
3-ASSAULT							
A-1st & 2nd degree	24	19 (5	8 .	9	4	
B-3rd degree	66	106	4	14	3	1	
C-Threatened -	25	42					
D-Other	4	3	2				
4-ASSISTANCE							
A-Official agency	75	101	23	20	6	5	
B-Other	20	16					
5-BURGLARY							
A-Commercial	231	273	18	8	22	12	

	COMP	LAINTS		ARRE	STS	
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	1968	1969	Adult 1968	Adult 1969	Juv 1968	Juv 1969
B-Residence	251	434	13	23	22	58
C-Public agency	48	32			6	5
D-Poss. burglar tools		1		2		
E-Other	37	29			3	
6-DISTURBANCE						
A-Civil dispute	9	23				
B-Disorderly conduct						
1-Fighting	16	23	13	9		4
2-Other	18	55	7	26	3	18
C-Domestic	58	85		1		1
D-Other	25	57	3	3	1	
7-ESCAPEE						
A-From custody						
B-Apprehension		2				5
8-EXTORTION						·
9-FORGERY	13	21	10	20	3	3
10-HOMICIDE				-		-
A-Murder						
B-Other (except 25)						
ll-INJURY TO PROPERTY						
A-Malicious	408	539	1	6	6	12
B-Other (except 25)	11	9				
12-KIDNAPPING		6		1		

·	COMP	LAINTS		ARRE	STS	
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	1968	1969	Adult 1968	Adult 1969	Juv 1968	Juv 1969
13-LARCENY			·			
A-Petit						
l-Bank check	172	293	16	9	2	
2-Bicycle	183	224				2
3-Boat	4	2				
4-Motor Vehicle a-TMVWOOP	16	5	2	3	27	24
b-Auto Strip	95	179	1	4	2	2
c-Gas Siphon	29	48		4		4
5-All Other						
a-By auto prowl	113	123	1		2	4
b-From boat		10				
c-From coin box	5	9				2
d-By fraud	39	43	4	3	2	
e-By shoplift	222	264	102	88	85	69
f-By other method	258	338	16	9	23	22
B-Grand						
1-Bank check	183	261	7	19		
2-Boat	16	. 8			1	
3-Motor vehicle						
a-Auto	98	88	14	13	28	6
b-Motorcycle	4	11			4	7
c-Other lic veh	3	. 6		5		6

	СОМ	PLAIN	TS		ARR	ES	TS		
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	1968	1969		Adult 1968	Adult 1969	\ \ \	Juv	0007	Juv 1969
19-PROWLER	99	146]					···········
20-QUESTIONABLE ACTION	151	308						1	W.F
21-ROBBERY								1	
A-Armed	10	7		3		4	:	1	
B-Other	5	6		2		2			
22-SEX						T		T	
A-Homosexual act	2	2					I	-	
B-Indecent exposure	24	51				5		\dagger	2
C-Indecent liberties	13	13		1			4	T	
D-Obscenity								Ť	
l-By telephone	15	34							
2-Other	2	9				T	***************************************	T	
E-Rape						1			
l-Forcible	4	3		4					
2-Statutory		-				T			
F-Other	2	3			2				\dashv
23-STOLEN PROPERTY						T			
A-Possession		4		3	5				4
B-Recovery									\dashv
l-Auto	13	17					1		
2-Motorcycle									- .
3-Other lic veh				\top				***************************************	\dashv
4-Other	12	16				**	5		\dashv
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	СОМЕ	PLAINTS		ARRI	ESTS	
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	1968	1969	Adult 1968	Adult 1969	Juv 1968	Juv 1969
24-SUICIDE						
A-Threatened	5	8				
B-Attempted	20	43		5		1
C-Completed	2	. 4				
25-TRAFFIC						
A-Motor vehicle	1718	2155	348	557	8	17
B-Marine		3				
C-Aircraft	2					
26-TRESPASS			·			
A-Solicitor	5	18	2	1		*
B-Other	8	18			3	
27-VAGRANCY	5	7	8	15	2	13
28-VICE						
A-Gambling		2				
B-Narcotics	83	152	52	102	23	75
C-Prostitution		3				
29-WEAPONS -	-					
A-Unlawful carry	2	10		10		1
B-Other	2	20		1		
30-NON CRIMINAL						
A-Death	8	13				
B-Injury or illness	13	27				
C-Mental disorder	14	18			1	

			COMPI	LAINTS		AR	RES	TS		
TYPE OF ACT	TYPE OF ACTIVITY				Adult 1968	Adult	1969	Juv	1968	Juv 1969
D-Missing (e	xcept	16E)	16	21						
E-Property 1	.ost		58	66						
F-Property f	ound		197	197						
G-Other			22	1	2					
•							•			
TOTALS			6118	8270	911	12	66	52	7	638
COMPLAINTS BY ZONE	1968	1969					19	68	1	969
Zone 6	17	9	Zone	28 &	29			55		317
Zone 8	0	0	Zone	30			18	23		132
Zone ll	36	41	Zone	31			1	.63		176
Zone 12	. 0	1	Zone	33	-		1	.08		131
Zone 13	142	178	Zone	34			2	72		243
Zone 16	252	264	Zone	35			2	69		328
Zone 17	124	178	Zone	36 &	37	_	9	55	13	L71
Zone 18	109	203		38 & .	39			0		30
Zone 19	203	310	Zone	41 &	42		2	01	2	217
Zone 20 & 21	177	191	Zone	43 & 4	44		1	63	2	25
Zone 22 & 23	83	443	Zone	45				49		55
Zone 24 & 25	303	306	Zone	46				0		5
1		ř	1			1		1		

Zone 50

Station

72

307

238

376

0

506

231

Zone 26

Zone 27

COMPLAINTS BY MONTH:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
January	448	500	July	500	797
February	475	494	August	588	795
March	490	677	September	473	669
April	460	622	October	560	737
May	502	605	November	594	763
June	502	713	December	526	898

COMPLAINTS BY DAY OF WEEK:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
Sunday	719	951	Thursday	889	1227
Monday	810	1161	Friday	1116	1448
Tuesday	828	1007	Saturday	941	1231
Wednesday	815	1245			

COMPLAINTS BY HOUR OF DAY:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
0400 - 0500	46	51	0800 - 0900	106	138
0500 - 0600	39	42	0900 - 1000	131	149
0600 - 0700	42	54	1000 - 1100	160	198
0700 - 0800	105	137	1100 - 1200	156	243

COMPLAINTS BY HOUR OF DAY (CONT):

	1968	1969		1968	1969
1200 - 1300	192	256	1600 - 1700	328	411
1300 - 1400	220	311	1700 - 1800	275	383
1400 - 1500	276	329	1800 - 1900	160	264
1500 - 1600	318	394	1900 - 2000	186.	266

·	1968	1969			
	1500	1909		1968	1969
2000 - 2100	197	324	2400 - 0100	129	194
2100 - 2200	190	296	0100 - 0200	140	178
2200 - 2300	181	274	0200 - 0300	96	147
2300 - 2400	154	212	0300 - 0400	82	105

	1968	1969
Day, hour unknown	224	313
Night, hour unknown	165	605
Time unknown	1820	1996

COMPLAINT VALUES:

	1968	1969
Stolen property	\$ 508,087	\$ 735,990
Damaged property	\$ 23,152	\$ 161,719
Recovered property	\$ 163,238	\$ 674,691

ARRESTS BY MONTH:

ADULTS

JUVENILES

	1968	196 9		1968	1969
January	70	105	January	58	49
February	74	88	February	32	50.
March	93	82	March	37	62
April	67	122	April	62	51
May	74	92	May	27	41
June	98	61	June	53	73
July	74	98	July	40	74
August	91	82	August	50	51
September	65	141	September	22	2 8
October	65	110	October	49	51
November	81	132	November	51	31
December	59	153	December	46	77

1969

City Population of 44,00 City Budget of \$4,670,627
26.4 sq. miles with 219 miles of public roads Police Budget of \$626,592
65 Personnel 12 Traffic Officers

Equipment

Patrol Division Traffic Division Detective Division

6 Cars 2 Motorcycles 3 Cars 3 Cars 2 Sedans

Personnel

N.J. Giardina, Chief

G.C. Whitman, Asst. Chief

Patrol Division	Traffic Division	Detective Division	Services Div.
Captain 3 Leutinents 4 sergeants 27 Patrolmen	Captain Sergeant 10 Patrolmen	Captain Sergeant 7 Detectives	Captain 1 Ptlm. 7 Clrk-Matrons 2 Clrk-Typists

Traffic Division

1164 accidents 1022 were officer investigated 142 were non-investigated citizen's reports

0 fatals 525 injured

Adult citations - 9132 Juv. Citations - 988 Warnings - 17,693

1969 Supplement

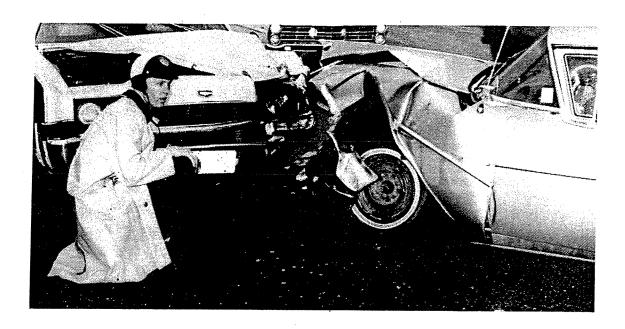
Officer Smith assigned to Patrol Division 10-20-69 for orientation prior to assignment to rank of Sergeant 11-1-69.

November 28, 1969, the department assumed responsibility for the newly annexed area of Lake Hills and Tam O'Shanter.

Officers Stover, Parker, and Brennan were transferred temporarily from the Traffic Division to Patrol Division the enable patroling of new area until the academy was out on December 15, 1969.

Officers Littlejohn, Mulder, Denton, Skeen, Sperry, and Beckdolt were assugned to Patrol Division on December 16, 1969. Officers Stover, Parker, and Brennan were transferred back to Traffic Division on 12-16-69.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS



ALL ACCIDENTS:

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	1968	1969
Total reported	971	1164
Investigated by police	743	1022
Citizen report (no invest)	228	142
Fatalities	3	0
Persons injured	397	525
Pedestrian involved	18	22
Bicycle involved	7	22
Hit and run	23	34

ACCIDENT VALUES:

	1968	1969
Vehicles and property	\$ 592,925.	\$ 691,617.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (CONT)

ACCIDENTS BY MONTH:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
January	96	78	July	41	77
February	69	64	August	73	86
March	66	91	September	81	126
April .	79	81	October	96	121
May	71	64	November	114	129
June	76	82	December	109	163

ACCIDENTS BY DAY OF WEEK:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
Sunday	79	80	Thursday	152	174
Monday	135	171	Friday	205	213
Tuesday	138	170	Saturday	122	167
Wednesday	140	189			

VIOLATIONS CAUSING GREATEST NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS:

	1968	1969
Failure to yield	33.1 %	33.2 %
Follow too close	15.9 %	15.7 %

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (CONT)

ACCIDENTS BY HOUR OF DAY:

	·				
	1968	1969		1968	1969
0400 - 0500	4	4	1600 - 1700	110	112
0500 - 0600	6	0	1700 - 1800	107	136
0600 - 0700	8	12	1800 - 1900	59	60
0700 - 0800	37	56	1900 - 2000	45	63
0800 - 0900	40	48	2000 - 2100	39	55
0900 - 1000	28	31	2100 - 2200	30	43
1000 - 1100	42	45	2200 - 2300	27	33
1100 - 1200	46	77	2300 - 2400	33	28
1200 - 1300	48	70	2400 - 0100	15	32
1300 - 1400	58	62	0100 - 0200	24	15
1400 - 1500	79	65	0200 - 0300	12	17
1500 - 1600	74	92	0300 - 0400	0	8

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT



ENFORCEMENT ACTION TAKEN:

	1968	1969
Moving citations	8238	10.120
Adults	7375	9,132
Juveniles	863	988
Parking citations	233	267
Warnings	14384	17,693

CITATIONS BY MONTH:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
January	822	672	July	622	1066
February	552	739	August	592	1065
March	649	626	September	613	947
April	892	670	October	661	914
May	922	772	November	508	807
June	791	914	December '	614	928

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT (CONT)

CITATIONS BY HOUR OF DAY:

	1968	1969		1968	1969
0400 - 0500	43	70	1600 - 1700	509	570
0500 - 0600	69	97	1700 - 1800	458	564
0600 - 0700	123	236	1800 - 1900	360	466
0700 - 0800	429	555	1900 - 2000	342	419
0800 - 0900	436	582	2000 - 2100	452	536
0900 - 1000	389	497	2100 - 2200	612	635
1000 - 1100	401	480	2200 - 2300	458	485
1100 - 1200	422	496	2300 - 2400	297	308
1200 - 1300	396	498	2400 - 0100	276	262
1300 - 1400	420	567	0100 - 0200	202	267
1400 - 1500	421	595	0200 - 0300	202	273
1500 - 1600	405	545	0300 - 0400	116	117

MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY

1968	1969
1153	2478
1524	2702
11165	15150
3805	7433
459	513
4723	5406
7313	7625
10770	15285
6204	7435
4414	10274
780	629
258	297
18	83
735	683

23314	22750
960	1050
782	525
	1153 1524 11165 3805 459 4723 7313 10770 6204 4414 780 258 18 735

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

·	1968	1969
Physical assault of officer	5	3
Use of a weapon	31	50
Use of narcotics (except traffic)	99	166
Use of intoxicants (except traffic)	. 207	263

STAFF AND INSPECTION

DIVISION