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February 25, 2026  
 Honorable Police Commission  
 City and County of San Francisco  
 1245 3rd Street  
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RE: Third Quarter 2025 (Part 3) Serious Incident Review Board Summary Report: OIS 23-002 and OIS 25-002.

Dear Commissioners:

On Tuesday, September 16, 2025, pursuant to Department General Order 3.10.I(D), the Serious Incident Review Board (SIRB) convened to review the completed OIS investigations for the third Quarter of 2025. The meeting was held at the Public Safety Building. The SIRB reviewed completed **OIS 23-002 and OIS 25-002**.

The SIRB was comprised of the following members:

**Voting Board Members**

**Assignment**

Deputy Chief Nicole Jones	Admin (Chair)
Deputy Chief Derrick Jackson	Airport
Deputy Chief Derrick Lew	Field Operations
Deputy Chief Jason Sawyer	Special Operations Bureau
Deputy Chief Mark Im	Investigations

**Advisory Board Members**

**Assignment**

Commander Jack Hart	Risk Management Office
Sharon Woo	Department of Police Accountability
Captain Thomas Harvey	Risk Management Office
Lieutenant Donald Anderson	Crisis Intervention Team

**Others In Attendance**

Lieutenant Lisa Springer	Internal Affairs Division
Sergeant Michael Shugars	Internal Affairs Division



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Officer Patrick Woods	Field Tactics Force Options
Officer Antone Haley	Field Tactics Force Options

Sergeant Michael Shugars presented **OIS 23-002**. After considering the facts, conclusions, and analysis in the case, the SIRB voted unanimously to concur with the recommendation of “IN POLICY” regarding the officers involved in this shooting. FTFO members discussed future training planned to address tactical decision-making considerations that arose from this incident.

Lieutenant Springer presented **OID 25-002**. After considering the facts, conclusions, and analysis in the case, the SIRB voted unanimously to concur with the recommendation of “NOT IN POLICY” regarding the officers involved in this shooting.

Sincerely,

**Derrick Lew**  
 Chief of Police

## OIS 2023-002

On June 22, 2023, at approximately 0241 hours, Officer Eduardo Villanueva #628 was assigned to patrol in the Richmond District of San Francisco. Officer Villanueva was working as a solo officer. The San Francisco Department of Emergency Management received a 911 call regarding a call of a possible assault. The 911 caller stated, "My wife is bleeding, I think he killed her. There's blood all over the floor. Let go of me Marc! He hit her with a stick, and he's on drugs!".

A voice could be heard in the background during the 911 call. The 911 caller can be heard talking to the 911 operator and yelling at another individual at the same time. The 911 caller sounded like he was breathing heavily and had been in a recent struggle. The call then abruptly disconnected after the 911 caller said, "Let go Marc!".

Dispatch broadcasted the call for service stating, "A priority 240, 717 31<sup>st</sup> Avenue, RP is advising his wife is bleeding and says he thinks his son killed her by hitting her with a stick. RP is advising that his son his high on drugs."

At 0241 hours, Officer Villanueva acknowledged the call for service and initiated a response to 717 31<sup>st</sup> Avenue. Officers Aiello and Sherman (3G13E) advised dispatch that they were responding with an ERIW and CIT, indicating that they were responding with an Extended Range Impact Weapon and were Crisis Intervention Trained. Sergeant O'Meara #4024 (3G108) acknowledged and initiated a response to the scene.

The dispatcher provided an update regarding the call for service stating, "RP is advising there might be a struggle on landline, his son is on top of him, son is high on drugs and possibly named Marc." Officer Villanueva initiated a Code 3 response to the scene and Sgt. O'Meara acknowledged the Code 3 response.

At 0242 hours, Officer Villanueva arrived on scene, exited his patrol vehicle, and observed an elderly male near the front porch area of 717 31<sup>st</sup> Avenue. Officer Villanueva called for the elderly male (Edward Child) to come to him and asked if the son had any weapons. Edward stated that the son (Marc Child) had walking sticks as weapons. Edward had visible injuries to his face.

Officer Villanueva entered the residence and stated, "Police, who's up there?" as he ascended a staircase to the second floor. A voice was heard saying "Come on up bitches!" as Officer Villanueva arrived at the top of the stairs. Officer Villanueva said, "Hey Police, let me see your hands," as he illuminated the male subject, later identified as Marc Child, (SF# S695954) with a flashlight.

Officer Villanueva had Marc Child at gunpoint while he called a Code 33 with dispatch, stated that there was blood in the hallway, and that he was contacting Marc Child. Marc Child stepped into full view and Officer Villanueva saw a knife in Child's left hand. Officer

Villanueva ordered Child to drop the knife, but Child put the knife into his right hand and concealed the knife behind his right thigh area. Child then stated, "I'm not scared of you," and then started to advance towards Officer Villanueva who was still ordering Child to put the knife down.

Officer Villanueva requested an ERIW and started to retreat down the staircase. Officer Villanueva realized that Edward Child was behind him and ordered Edward to get down the stairs. As Officer Villanueva was going down the stairs, he told Marc Child, "Get back or I'll shoot you!" Marc Child continued to advance on Officer Villanueva by following him down the stairs while saying "You're running away, you little bitch!"

Marc Child ignored the commands and continued to advance toward Officer Villanueva. As Marc Child closed the distance, Officer Villanueva pulled Edward Child away from Marc Child's reach. Officer Villanueva then discharged his department issued firearm, striking Child. Multiple backup officers arrived on scene shortly after the OIS.

Child immediately halted his advance toward Edward Child and Officer Villanueva. Child fell to the floor while the knife remained near him. Child laid on the floor and rolled on his side facing away from the officers. Child was on the floor moaning as Officer Villanueva gave him commands. Officer Villanueva stated, "Hey, I need you to roll back over, and I need to see your hands," and "I'm trying to help you man, we need to help you ok, I want to get you medical attention."

Officer Villanueva and Officers Aiello and Watson developed a tactical plan to approach Child, utilizing a tactical shield. Officer Watson approached Child with the tactical shield in hand, stepped over Child, and kicked the knife out of Child's reach. Officers Villanueva and Aiello contacted Child and rendered emergency medical aid until San Francisco Fire Department Medics arrived and took over.

Edward Child's wife, Barbara Child, was located inside the residence and pronounced deceased on scene. Marc Child was transported to Saint Mary's Hospital where he was pronounced deceased with a time of death at 0548 hours.

SFDA IIB, SFPD ISD, and SFPD IAD all responded to the incident. IIB issued a declination letter on October 21, 2024. The following investigative findings rely substantially upon the following:

- Interviews of the witnesses conducted by IIB and ISD.
- Criminal Investigation Report.
- Interviews of involved officer by IAD.
- Criminal Investigation and finding by the Office of the District Attorney.
- Review of the Incident Report, CSI reports, DEM CAD audio records, and BWC footage.

## OID 2025-002

On February 19, 2025, at approximately 0542 hours, Officer Joseph Valdez #4228 was preparing for work inside the Men's Locker Room at the Airport Field Operations Bureau. When he reached for his department issued firearm, located inside of his bag in his locker, the firearm discharged as Officer Valdez was bringing it down towards his hip to place it into his holster. The bullet was lodged in the linoleum floor and later recovered.

Officer Valdez immediately notified Sergeant Lam and advised him that there were no witnesses in the locker room at the time and nobody was injured. Lieutenant Mark Moreno #4145 was working as the Day Watch Platoon Commander and was in an office approximately 30 feet from the location of occurrence. Although he did not witness the discharge, he heard a sound consistent with a firearm discharge. Officer Valdez prepared a memorandum documenting what took place. Sergeant Lam prepared an incident report and took photographs.

Officer Valdez stated that he inadvertently discharged one round between himself and the floor while grabbing his department issued firearm from his bag as he was attempting to place it into his holster.