

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice



April 3, 2024

Hon. Brooke Pinto
Chairperson
Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Councilmember Pinto,

This letter is to notify you of a serious use of force (firearm discharge at an animal) by Metropolitan Police Department Officer Joun Diesel on March 28, 2024, in the 4500 block of Clermont Drive, NE.

The owner of the animal does not object to the release of the body-worn camera footage of this incident which has been posted on MPD's website.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lindsey Appiah".

Lindsey Appiah
Deputy Mayor

