

MARICOPA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Bureau of Internal Oversight

Audits and Inspections Unit



Patrol Activity Log Inspection January 2021

Inspection Report # BI2021-0009

The Audits and Inspections Unit (AIU) of the Sheriff’s Office Bureau of Internal Oversight (BIO) will conduct monthly inspections of the supervisory review of Patrol Activity Logs to ensure compliance with Office policies, promote proper supervision, and support the requirements set forth in the Court Order.

The Patrol Activity Logs will be uniformly inspected utilizing a matrix developed by the AIU in accordance with procedures outlined in MCSO Policy GB-2, GI-1.3 and paragraph 83 of the Melendres Order.

Compliance Objectives:

- Ensure the supervisor has reviewed Patrol Activity Logs for shifts worked by assigned subordinates.
- Verify the Patrol Activity Logs were reviewed no later than seven days after the completion of the shift under review.

Criteria:

MCSO Policy GB-2, *Command Responsibility*

Policy GI-1, *Radio and Enforcement Communications Procedures*

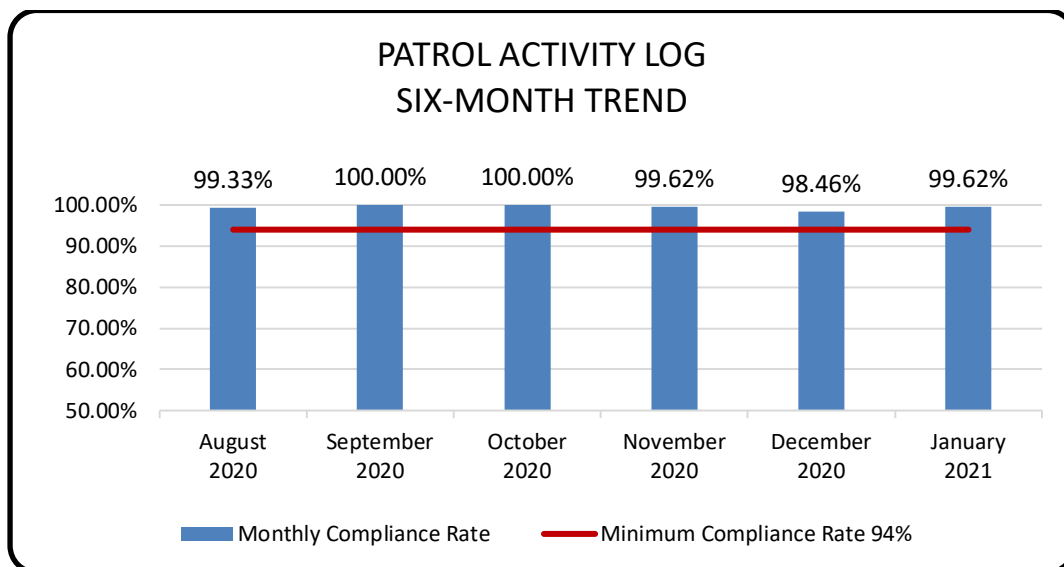
Melendres Order, Paragraph 83

Conditions:

MCSO’s assigned Court Monitor provided a sample of 35 employees from all Patrol Districts/Divisions for the January Patrol Activity Log review. The sample of 34 Deputies and one Deputy Service Aid provided a total of 524 daily Patrol Activity Logs available for inspection; 524 or 100% of the Patrol Activity Logs were inspected for this report.

Deficiencies noted in the review of the Praxis system are cross-checked with Division rosters and other records to increase accuracy.

MCSO achieved an overall compliance rate of **99.62%** for the January 2021 Patrol Activity Log inspection, as illustrated in the graph below:



The compliance rate of each division is illustrated in the table below:

District	Compliance Rate	Total Patrol Activity Logs Inspected	Deficiencies	In Compliance
1	99.17%	121	1	120
2	100.00%	44	0	44
3	100.00%	54	0	54
4	100.00%	96	0	96
Lake Patrol	100.00%	76	0	76
6	100.00%	82	0	82
7	98.04%	51	1	50
Totals	99.62%	524	2	522

The following two deficiencies were noted during the inspection period:

District I (1 BIO Action Form)

District/Div	Deputy Reviewed	Assigned Supervisor	Shift Date	Current Commander
District I	Deputy	Sergeant	1/27/2021	Captain
Deficiency				
Supervisor reviewed Patrol Activity Log eight calendar days after the completion of the shift under review rather than within the seven-day period as required by Policy GB-2.13.G.1.				
Note: A similar deficiency resulted in #BAF2020-0110 dated 3/30/2020.				

District VII (1 BIO Action Form)

District/Div	Deputy Reviewed	Assigned Supervisor	Shift Date	Current Commander
District VII	Deputy	Sergeant	1/11/2021	Captain
Deficiency				
Supervisor reviewed Patrol Activity Log eight calendar days after the completion of the shift under review rather than within the seven-day period as required by Policy GB-2.13.G.1.				

Unless noted above in the deficiency tables, there were no prior BIO Action Forms similar in nature or supervisor notes addressing the perceived deficiencies.

Action Required:

With the resulting 99.62% compliance rate for Inspection #BI2021-0009, **two BIO Action Forms** are required.

Date Inspection Started: 2/9/2021
Date Completed: 2/12/2021
Timeframe Inspected: January 1st to January 31st, 2021
Assigned Inspector(s): Connie Phillips B3345

I have reviewed this inspection report.

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3/4/2021

Date