# MARICOPA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE Supervisor Note (Civilian) Inspection



Audits and Inspections Unit Bureau of Internal Oversight Inspection Report May 9, 2017 Inspection BI2017-0051

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## Memorandum



To: Captain B. Roska S0878

Commander

Bureau of Internal Oversight

From: Sergeant M. Rodriguez A9047 Audits and Inspections Unit Bureau of Internal Oversight

Subject: Summary of Findings Report

Civilian Employees, April 2017

Supervisor Note Inspection BI2017-0051

**Date:** 05/09/17

The Audits and Inspections Unit (AIU), of the Bureau of Internal Oversight (BIO), will conduct Blue Team Supervisor Note entry inspections on an ongoing basis. The purpose for the inspection is compliance with Office Policies and to promote proper supervision. To achieve this, inspectors will select for review the Supervisor Note entries for 35 randomly selected Civilian Employees for the month being inspected. To ensure consistent inspections, the *Supervisor Note Inspection Matrix* developed by the AIU will be utilized.

#### **Matrix Procedures:**

Utilize the *Supervisor Note Inspection Matrix* to ensure that each randomly selected employee received one Supervisor Note entry during the period being inspected and that the Supervisor Note was of sufficient quality to document the employee's work performance (reflects the employee's positive traits; accomplishments; any observed shortcomings; and can be used to facilitate the preparation of an accurate and detailed performance review), and that the selected employees' EIS information was reviewed.

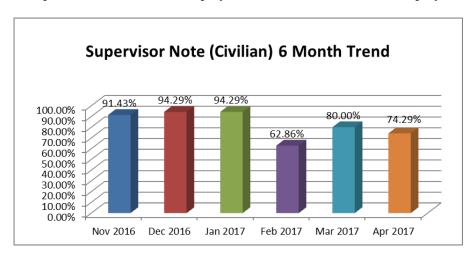
#### Criteria:

MCSO Policy GB-2, Command Responsibility

#### **Conditions:**

The inspection found that 26 of the 35 employees, or <u>74.29%</u>, had the required monthly Supervisor Note entries in compliance with MCSO Policy GB-2, *Command Responsibility*.

A historical comparison of the last six months of Blue Team data indicates that the Supervisory Note compliance rate for Civilian Employees has declined in the last three months. This downtrend can be directly attributed to the new requirement that supervisors of non-sworn employees document the review the employee's EIS Information.



The following potential deficiencies in the employees' Supervisor Note entries were identified:

Employee Notes Inspected	Employee's Supervisor	Division	Division Commander	Potential Deficiency
Civilian Employee	Whse Inv Supv	5018-WAREHOUSE & SURPLUS OPS	Ops/Pgm Mgr	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
Civilian Employee	AFIS Supv	5072-RECORDS & ID DIV- WARRANTS	Shrf Recs Mgr	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
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Civilian Employee	CRM an Supv	5081-CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE	Captain	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
Civilian Employee	Captain	5083-JUDICIAL ENFORCEMENT DIVISION	Deputy Chief	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
Civilian Employee	Fd Svc Sh Spv	5135-CENTRAL SVCS - FOOD SVCS	Fd Serv Mgr	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
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Civilian Employee	ADM Staff Spv	5136-INMATE CANTEEN	Det SP Pr Mgr	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information
Civilian Employee	Ctn Inv SP LD	5136-INMATE CANTEEN	Det SP Pr Mgr	Supervisor Note entry made in April does not document review of EIS Information

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Supervisory Note Inspections represents a monthly snapshot in time and any deficiencies noted are the responsibility of the Supervisor and the Chain of Command at the time the entry was made. Any inaccuracies in command structure due to transfers or other changes are outside the control of the AIU.

#### **Recommendations:**

It is recommended that Management continue to provide on-site mentorship to supervisors in the importance of ensuring that Supervisory Note entries are used to document a specific employee's performance and should be of sufficient quality as to give a true assessment of the employee's performance during a particular period as required by MCSO Policy GB-2, *Command Responsibility*, Paragraph 7.B and its subparagraphs. To accomplish this goal, the Supervisory Note entries need to specifically document the following requirements:

- o The Employee's work performance during the last 30 day period.
- Once per month, supervisor's review of non-sworn subordinates' EIS information for the purpose of identifying and responding to any conduct patterns or concerns.
- Maintain a written record of the performance of each employee in the EIS Blue Team Supervisor Notes application. The record shall reflect the employee's positive traits and accomplishments and any observed shortcomings.
- O Supervisor Note entries shall be of sufficient quality and frequency to facilitate the preparation of an accurate and detailed performance review, but at a minimum, one entry shall be completed every month.

### **Action Required:**

With the resulting <u>74.29%</u> compliance for *Inspection BI2017-0051*, a total of <u>9</u> BIO Action Forms are requested from the affected divisions. **The forms shall be completed utilizing Blue Team**. It is permissible to complete one BIO Action Form for a supervisor covering multiple potential deficiencies identified in this inspection.

## **Notes:**

All supporting documentation (working papers) is included in the inspection file number *BI2017-0051* and contained in IA Pro.

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**Inspection focus: Supervisor Note (Civilian) Date Inspection Started:** May 1, 2017 **Date Completed:** May 9, 2017 **Timeframe Inspected: April 2017 Assigned Inspectors:** Sgt. M. Rodriguez A9047 I have reviewed this inspection report. 05/09/17 Captain Barry Roska Date **Division Commander** Bureau of Internal Oversight

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