



**Office of the New York State  
Attorney General**

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Attorney General**

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Police Commissioner Jessica Tisch  
New York City Police Department  
1 Police Plaza  
New York, NY 10038

***Via Email***

Re: Executive Law § 75(5)(b) Referral of Detective John Espinal  
OAG Matter No. 1-794588127  
Tax No. 962383

Dear Commissioner Tisch,

The Office of the New York State Attorney General has reviewed your agency's Executive Law § 75(5)(b) referral of complaints involving Detective John Espinal from September 2019 to January 2024.

Based on our review, we have not made a finding of a pattern or practice of misconduct, excessive use of force, or acts of dishonesty by Detective Espinal with respect to the referred complaints.

We appreciate the cooperation of you and your agency.

Thank you,

Tyler Nims  
Chief, Law Enforcement Misconduct Investigative Office  
Office of the New York State Attorney General