



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

**Letitia James
Attorney General**

October 31, 2025

Chief Joseph L. Cecile
Syracuse City Police Department
511 S. State Street
Syracuse, NY 13202

Via Email

Re: Letter regarding Executive Law § 75(5)(b) Referral of Police Officer John Tassini.
OAG Matter No. 1-818139718

Dear Chief Cecile,

The Office of the New York State Attorney General has reviewed your agency's Executive Law § 75(5)(b) referral of complaints involving Officer John Tassini from July 2021 to August 2024.

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

We appreciate the cooperation of you and your agency.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tyler Nims". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Tyler Nims
Chief, Law Enforcement Misconduct Investigative Office
