



United States Department of Justice
Civil Rights Division
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Thank you for submitting a report to the Civil Rights Division.

Report successfully submitted

Please save your record number for tracking.



Your record number is: **750675-QLS**

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What to expect

① We review your report

Our specialists in the Civil Rights Division carefully read every report to identify civil rights violations, spot trends, and determine if we have authority to help with your report.

② Our specialists determine the next step

We may decide to:

Open an investigation or take some other action within the legal authority of the Justice Department.

Collect more information before we can look into your report.

Recommend another government agency that can properly look into your report. If so, we'll let you know.

In some cases, we may determine that we don't have legal authority to handle your report and will recommend that you seek help from a private lawyer or local legal aid organization.

③ When possible, we will follow up with you

We do our best to let you know about the outcome of our review. However, we may not always be able to provide you with updates because:

We're actively working on an investigation or case related to your report.

We're receiving and actively reviewing many requests at the same time.

If we are able to respond, we will contact you using the contact information you provided in this report. Depending on the type of report, response times can vary. If you need to reach us about your report, please refer to your report number when contacting us. This is how we keep track of your submission.

What you can do next

① Contact local legal aid organizations or a lawyer if you haven't already

Legal aid offices or members of lawyer associations in your state may be able to help you with your issue.

Legal Services Corporation (or Legal Aid Offices), to help you find a legal aid lawyer in your area visit www.lsc.gov/find-legal-aid

② Get help immediately if you are in danger

If you reported an incident where you or someone else has experienced or is still experiencing physical harm or violence, or are in immediate danger, please call 911 and contact the police.

Your submission

Contact

Contact information

Your name

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Are you now or have ever been an active duty service member?

No

Primary concern

What is your primary reason for contacting the Civil Rights Division?

Location

Was this a public or private employer?

Public employer

How large is this employer?

15 or more employees

Where did this happen?

Organization name

Alaska State Troopers

Address

Soldotna Post

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Soldotna, Alaska

Personal characteristics

Do you believe any of these personal characteristics influenced why you were treated this way?

Other reason

Date

When did this happen?

10/1/2024

Personal description

In your own words, describe what happened

Without being told why, I was told to remain in my office beginning on or about October 15th where I always had one or more officers or clerks watching me, until my false arrest on Oct 31st. I had been accused of crimes but not advised, I refused to return without legal representation, so I was terminated. The Alaska State Troopers maintained surveillance on myself until they initiated a search warrant on my home 3KN 24 229SW using a parallel investigation, which also resulted additional wasted state resources and time. They were ordered x2 to return the property.

I have spent more than 40 years defending, protecting and helping my Country, State and communities.