

Case Number: 97020161

How Received: Not Specified

Date of Violation:

Type of Complaint: Station

Date Received: 2/21/97

Date Back from D/C: 2/21/97

Date to D/C:

Complainant(s):

	<u>BADGE</u>	<u>VIOLATION</u>	<u>RR</u>	<u>OMS</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>	<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>
1	95105	Improper Procedure - Failure To Attend Court Written Reprimand	502		Sustained	District 6

**DENVER POLICE DEPARTMENT
INTER-DEPARTMENT
CORRESPONDENCE**

TO: Officer Todd Roumph, 95105, District 6

FROM: Tom Sanchez, Deputy Chief of Operations

DATE: May 12, 1997

SUBJECT: WRITTEN REPRIMAND RR-502

**CASE NUMBER: 97020161
Officer Todd Roumph, 95105**

By authority of the Chief of Police, I am issuing the following Written Reprimand:


This letter is to serve as a WRITTEN REPRIMAND to you for violation of Rules and Regulations Section RR-502, which reads as follows:

RR-502 ATTENDANCE IN COURT

"Whenever any member is ordered to appear in court on any matter in which his presence is required, he shall attend punctually. If unable to attend, he must notify the court in advance."

This written reprimand is the result of your failure to appear in scheduled court in Courtroom 124D, on February 14, 1997.

Let this reprimand serve as encouragement to insure your future adherence to the Rules and Regulations of the Denver Police Department.



Tom Sanchez, Deputy Chief of Operations

cc: Captain Gerald Whitman, Commander, District Six
Division Chief Timothy Cuthriell
Personnel Bureau
Internal Affairs Bureau

**DENVER POLICE DEPARTMENT
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TO: Captain Gerald Whitman, Commander District 6
FROM: Captain Robert Swanson, Commander, Internal Affairs Bureau
DATE: Friday, February 21, 1997

SUBJECT: RR-502, ATTENDANCE IN COURT - CASE NUMBER: 97020161

The Internal Affairs Bureau received notice from the Court Liaison that Officer Todd Rounph, 95105, failed to appear for scheduled court in Courtroom No. 124D on Friday, February 14, 1997, at 19:30 hours; Defendant [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Docket# V0011191.

A copy of the Subpoena is on file in the Internal Affairs Bureau. This notice was signed by the officer on Tuesday, January 07, 1997.

This officer has 1 sustained and 1 pending offense(s) in the twelve months preceeding this court date.

Please make appropriate investigation into this failure and report your findings to your Division Chief.

CAPTAIN'S RECOMMENDATIONS

SUSTAINED: **NOT SUSTAINED:**
EXONERATED: **UNFOUNDED:**

PENALTY RECOMMENDATION: WRITTEN REPRIMAND

CAPT. G. WHITMAN 0208 TODD ROUNPH 050397
CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE / DATE **OFFICER'S SIGNATURE/DATE**

DIVISION CHIEF'S RECOMMENDATIONS

SUSTAINED: **NOT SUSTAINED:**
EXONERATED: **UNFOUNDED:**

PENALTY RECOMMENDATION: WRITTEN REPRIMAND

Capt. R. Swanson Acting D/C Patrol
DIVISION CHIEF'S SIGNATURE / DATE 5-8-97

When you have reviewed this matter, please forward the completed case to the office for final review by the Chief of Police no later than *** Sunday, March 23, 1997 ***.

**DENVER POLICE DEPARTMENT
INTER-DEPARTMENT
CORRESPONDENCE**

TO: Capt. G.R. Whitman, Commander District Six
FROM: Lt. Steve Cooper, District Six, Sector One Commander
DATE: April 15, 1997
SUBJECT: Failure to Appear in Court IAB Complaint #97020161
Officer Todd Rounph 95105

Complaint

In this case it is alleged that Officer Rounph failed to appear in courtroom # 124D on February 14, 1997.

Investigation

A case was received from IAB in which the Officer failed to appear in court. The complaint letter indicates that the IAB file contains a copy of a subpoena, it was signed by the officer. The subpoena record shows that the officer signed for the subpoena on January 7, 1997.

On March 22, 1997 Officer Rounph completed a written statement in which the officer states that he lost his subpoena, checked the subpoena log, but misread the entry.

Findings

The officer failed to attend court and did not have sufficient justification for doing so. This is the officer's second offense in the past twelve months.

As to the charge of the officer's alleged violation of **Rule and Regulation #RR-502, Attendance in Court**, I find the charge to be **SUSTAINED**.

Per the provision of OMS 103.01 (2) I recommend the prescribed minimum penalty of a Written reprimand.

Respectfully submitted,



Lt. Steve Cooper 74033