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RE: CRCL Complaint Number 11-06-CBP-0156
Friday, April 01, 2011 12:30:51 PM

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The below information has been reviewed and is returned for whatever administrative action or inquiry you consider appropriate. Should any administrative or personnel action result from your response to this information, you are requested to report the final result of that action within 30 business days of its conclusion.

If your review of this matter discloses evidence of previously unreported criminal misconduct that is reportable under Management Directive 0810.1, you are required to notify this office of that information before any additional investigative steps are taken.

From: (b) (6) [mailto (b) (6)
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Summary of new complaint for your review:

On March 24, 2011, the Michigan Chapter of the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR) wrote to CRCL that American Muslims crossing the border are subject to extensive questions about their religion and religious practices.

CAIR states on behalf of Mr.(b) (6.

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Program Analyst
Compliance Branch
Office for Civil Rights & Civil Liberties Department of Homeland Security

(b) (6) (phone)
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Received by DHS: March 24, 2011 Received by CRC March 24, 2011 Allegation Type: Civil Right/Civil Liberty

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY OFFICE FOR CIVIL RIGHTS AND CIVIL LIBERTIES COMPLAINT SUMMARY FORM
To be placed under the first left tab of the complaint folder
Complaint Number: 11-06-CBP-0156

Summary Prepared By: (b) (6) Date Prepared: April 1, 2011

Identifying Information

Complainant/
Individual's FN:

(b) (6) MN: LN: (b

Incident Date:
(If this is a recurring
incident or condition, list
date range[s]): C

July 17, 2010 Time of Incident:

Summary of On March 24, 2011, the Michigan Chapter of the Council on American-Islamic
Allegation(s): Relations (CAIR) wrote to CRCL that American Muslims crossing the border are
subject to extensive questions about their religion and religious practices.

CAIR states on behalf of Mr. (b) (6) a U.S. Citizen, that allegedly
on July 17th, 2010, while re-entering t e Unite. States through Metro-Detroit
airport, he was detained and asked discriminatory questions for 5 hours. He was
allegedly asked, what mosques he attended; if he was involved in any Islamic
organizations; if he knew any terrorists or people involved in terrorism; for the details of his trip, including who and where he visited, for how long, and why; the
names and birthdates for a number of his family members, both those who live in
the United States and overseas. He believes officers "googled" his name and asked
him if he was involved in organizing a Mosque-cleaning project several years ago.

(b) (6) states his questioning was four or five hours in duration, only ending
w en e e 1 asleep in his chair.
Compliance COMMENTS: On [DATE], Jeffrey Blumberg, Director, Compliance Branch,
Director's directed that this matter be opened as a complaint, and recommended that it be
Recommendation: handled as a [referred, retained, short form] Complaint assigned to [NAME].

Allegation Details

Primary Issue: Discrimination/Profiling Primary Basis: Religion

Secondary Issue: Treatment Secondary Basis:

Select additional Secondary Issues and Secondary Bases if necessary. Add additional rows to the table above,

Categories from which to Select Allegation Issues and Bases

Allegation Issue Categories: Allegation Basis Categories:
Abuse of Authority/Color of Law Age
Conditions of Detention Citizenship (specify)
Discrimination Color (specify whether dark, medium or light complexion)

Retaliation

Rude, unprofessional conduct
Sex (specify whether whether male or female)
Sexual Harassment

Ethnicity (specify ethnicity. ethnicity. "Hispanic/Latino" is a selection in this
category,)
Other (please specify)

[If the complaint involves an Unaccompanied Minor as a complainant/victim, the Primary Issues is Unaccompanied Minors]

Involved Parties

Component Selection List: DHS HQ, DHS, CBP, FEMA, FLETC, ICE, TSA, USCG, USCIS, USSS

Component(s)
Referenced (If
complaint involves
multiple components, list
DHS):

CBP

Component(s)
Involved (list all that
apply, based on the above
checklist):

CBP

Individual(s)
(list name, title/position,
and employment location.
State if the individual is a
subject of the complaint.):

1.

Location(s) of Incident(s)
Incident Location Type (check all that apply): Z Airport
O Airplane
• BCIS Facility
Border and Fixed Checkpoint

0 Government Building

n

Seaport
Ship

❑ Street Stop
CI Place of Business

O Residence
O Detention IGSA
O Detention SPC
❑ Detention CDF

❑ Other (please specify)

Incident Location
(list name of airport or port of
entry or other location):

Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport

City: Detroit State: Michigan

If this complaint involves more than one incident location, list each location separately.
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If the alleged incident occurred outside the U.S., identi6) the city and county where it occurred.

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