

## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF POLICE COMPLAINTS

## **COMPLAINT EXAMINERS**

The District of Columbia Office of Police Complaints (OPC) is seeking attorneys to adjudicate police misconduct complaints filed by the public against sworn officers of the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and the District of Columbia Housing Authority Police Department (DCHAPD). This **is not** a full-time position, but rather a civic opportunity to help improve police accountability in the District of Columbia. Complaint examiners are compensated on a per-case basis. Further, complaint examiners must adjudicate at least one case assignment per fiscal year, and attend one training per fiscal year.

## **Required Qualifications**

In order to qualify for the position, candidates must:

- 1. Have a general reputation for competence, impartiality, and integrity;
- 2. Reside in the District;
- 3. Be a member in good standing of the District of Columbia Bar;
- 4. Have been a licensed attorney (of any U.S. jurisdiction) for at least 5 years; and
- 5. Have litigation or arbitration experience.

A demonstrated commitment to public service is also preferred. Candidates may not be current or former employees of MPD or DCHAPD. Selected candidates will receive training from OPC staff.

## How to Apply

Qualified candidates should send a cover letter, résumé, and writing sample to:

Email: <a href="mailto:complaintexamination@dc.gov">complaintexamination@dc.gov</a> (preferred method)

- Fax: (202) 727-7638
- Mail: Office of Police Complaints 1400 I Street, N.W., Suite 700 Washington, DC 20005 Attn: complaint examination

Applications must be received by <u>August 4, 2017 at 5pm</u> in order to be considered to start as a complaint examiner in 2017. Applications received after that day will be kept on file for future consideration.

For questions please email: <a href="mailto:complaintexamination@dc.gov">complaintexamination@dc.gov</a>

For more information about the Office of Police Complaints, please visit: <u>www.policecomplaints.dc.gov</u>