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INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

Finding of Misconduct by an FBI Supervisory Special Agent for Violations of FBI Policies Regarding the Use, Security, and Maintenance of Firearms

The Department of Justice (DOJ) Office of the Inspector General (OIG) initiated an investigation of a supervisory special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) based on information it received from the FBI's Inspection Division that the supervisor was accidentally shot at his home by a family member.

The OIG determined that local law enforcement and emergency medical personnel responded to the scene, rendered first aid, and opined that the firearm discharge had been accidental. Further investigation by the OIG determined that the supervisor had asked a family member to bring his firearm to him. The family member retrieved the supervisor's weapon and in the process of giving it to him, it discharged.

The OIG found that the agent violated FBI policies regarding use, security, and maintenance of firearms.

The OIG has completed its investigation and provided its report to the FBI for appropriate action.

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