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## **Chief U. René Hall Terminated Officer**

Dallas Police Chief U. René Hall terminated Police Officer Richard Council, #10824, after a disciplinary hearing held April 30, 2019.

An Internal Affairs investigation concluded that between April 1, 2016 and April 7, 2018, Officer Council violated the off-duty employment policy when he was contracted to work multiple courtesy officer positions simultaneously and failed to complete the required paperwork.

Officer Council was terminated for his actions. He was hired in June 2014 and assigned to the Northwest Patrol Division.

Under civil service rules, Officer Council has the right to appeal his discipline.

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