Complainant gives info. to IV.6.2,3

Intake Officer (may conduct preliminary investigation)

Determines info., if true, ≠ offense: dismiss.

Determines info, if true, = offense. Sends to Reference Panel

Complainant may appeal to President of Disciplinary Board

Bp. may object

President of DB impanels Conference Panel (1 or more) & Hearing Panel (3 or more) at random. Presidents of each.

Advisors made available if not already done. IV.19.10.a

Reference Panel: consists of Pres. of DB, Intake Officer, Bishop

No action other than pastoral response

Conciliation [IV.10.10]

Investigation [IV.10.11]

Referral for possible agmt. w/ Bp. [IV.9]

If successful, matter resolved (order and/or Directive and/or Accord)

If unsuccessful, matter goes back to the Reference Panel.

Return to Reference Panel

Investigation, unless already done

Report to Reference Panel

No action other than pastoral response

Conciliation

More Investigation

Referral for possible agmt. w/ Bp.

Refer to Conference Panel [IV.12]

Conference Panel

Accord, Dismissal, refer for Conciliation, Issue Order (Respondent or Ch. Atty. May refuse & send to Hearing), refer to Hearing

If Order refused or matter referred to Hearing

Hearing Panel

Dismiss

Order

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