**Listening Exercise 137**

Security

¡Suerte! ☺

Guidelines:

A. Review the vocabulary and questions

C. Listen to the audio twice (control + click the link).

D. Answer the questions

F. Refer to the answers to confirm your responses and gauge understanding



1. What is this article about?
   1. Chicago political corruption
   2. Rise in violent crime
   3. Targeting police officers
   4. Use of lethal force
2. What did the City of Chicago do?
   1. Made an official announcement
   2. Blamed criminals for violence
   3. Refused an investigative review
   4. Needlessly threatened suspects
3. How many police officers were affected?
   1. None
   2. 3
   3. 5
   4. 6
4. Which happened to the police officers?
   1. Awarded
   2. Fired
   3. Killed
   4. Promoted
5. How many Chicago police shootings resulted in the deaths of suspects between 2010 and 2014?
   1. 7
   2. 17
   3. 70
   4. 77
6. Compared to other cities nationally this rate of shootings is characterized as:
   1. Average
   2. Above average
   3. Below average
   4. Identical

**Transcript**

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| La autoridad investigativa independiente de la ciudad de Chicago hizo el anuncio sobre la recomendación de despido de tres policías luego de que violaron las regulaciones policiales y dispararan sus armas cuando no eran necesariamente amenazados, causando lesiones graves a los sospechosos. | The independent investigative authority of the City of Chicago made the announcement on the recommendation of dismissal of three police officers after violating police regulations and firing their weapons when they were not necessarily threatened, causing serious injury to the suspects. |
| La policía de Chicago no ha respondido a esta petición y los nombres de los oficiales tampoco se han dado conocer. La autoridad de revisión independiente de la policía de Chicago es el responsable por supervisar a los oficiales y ha dado conocer más de trescientos videos desde el año 2011 hasta 2016 en los que se ve a los agentes comportar los se de una manera inapropiada mientras hacían cumplir la ley. | Chicago police has not responded to this request and the names of the officers have not been disclosed. The independent review authority of the Chicago police is responsible for supervising officers and has found more than three hundred videos since 2011 until 2016 in which the officers are all seen to conduct themselves inappropriately enforcing the law. |
| Información reciente señala que desde el 2010 hasta 2014 más de 240 personas recibieron disparos de la policía de Chicago, setenta de ellas resultaron en fatalidades. Este número superó los incidentes similares en otras ciudades de Estados Unidos. | Recent information indicates that from 2010 to 2014 more than 240 people were shot by police in Chicago, seventy of them resulted in fatalities. This number exceeded similar incidents in other US cities. |

**Vocabulary**

anuncio announcement

despido firing

amenazados threatened

sospechosos suspects

revisión review

comportar to behave, to act

señala indicates, signals

superó exceeded, surpassed