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Sergio Acosta Speaks With Chicago's WBEZ About Controversial Chicago Police District Commander Promotion

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Sergio E. Acosta, chair of the Government Practice Group at Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP, spoke with Chicago radio station WBEZ for a story titled "Experts: Promotion of Cop With 90 Misconduct Complaints Raises 'Red Flags.'" The piece focuses on Chicago Police Superintendent Eddie Johnson's promotion of James Sanchez, against whom 90 misconduct complaints had been filed, to a district commander position. Said Acosta — who co-chaired Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel's Task Force on Police Accountability — "[t]he number of complaints here certainly raises some red flags."

Listen to the story, "[Experts: Promotion of Cop With 90 Misconduct Complaints Raises 'Red Flags,'](#)" on the WBEZ website.

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