



Obstructing Police/Obstructing Justice

File Class 48000, Obstructing Police

- Covers offenses which interfere with investigation, enforcement, or administration of justice at the police level or at the correctional level in the criminal justice system.
- If a charge of “Resisting Officer” (4801) is submitted under Offense File Class 48000 and an assault on an officer occurs, an assault offense (13001, 13002, or 13003) must be coded on the incident report and the proper data element fields filled out for the LEOKA information (see below).

File Class 50000, Obstructing Justice

- Covers impedance, obstruction, interference, or contempt for the proper administration of justice by the courts, a legislative body, or specifically designated commission, etc.
- If this file class is used, this is a “Crime Against Society.” Law Enforcement Officer Killed or Assaulted (LEOKA) information does not pertain to this incident and should be left blank.

LEOKA - Officer Assaults

If a police officer is the victim of an Aggravated Assault, Non-Aggravated Assault, or Stalking offense, victim type (element 28) must be coded as a “P”. In addition, you must complete data fields Type of Activity, Type of Assignment, and ORI - Other Jurisdiction (if applicable).