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The time periods that people need to be aware of in filing a claim against the Police Department in New York or the City of New York for any kind of injury or incident. First is the notice of claim. You have to file a document known as a notice of claim within 90 days of the occurrence. It's essential. If you don't file that notice of claim timely, you may be barred from bringing an action in the future. When someone is injured by the police or suffers any kind of injury or damages involving the City of New York, within 90 days after the incident, you have to file what's known as a notice of claim. It's a strict requirement and there's a 90 day deadline. If you don't meet that deadline, you may be barred later from bringing a suit for your losses.