

# New Yankees closer Aroldis Chapman won't face charges from October domestic case

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**Aroldis Chapman, who was traded to the Yankees last month, will not be charged in domestic case.**



Aroldis Chapman will not face charges for an [alleged domestic incident in October](#) involving his girlfriend, Florida prosecutors have decided.

But the new Yankees closer could still be subject to discipline from Major League Baseball as it continues its investigation into the matter under its [new domestic violence policy](#).

Broward Assistant State Attorney Stefanie Newman wrote in a closeout memo on the case Wednesday that conflicting accounts and insufficient evidence meant there was "no reasonable likelihood of conviction." The Davie (Fla.) Police Department earlier had declined to charge Chapman, who was not arrested the night of the incident.

"We are all pleased that the Davie Police Department and the Office of the State Attorney took the time to fully investigate the matter and have concluded that charges were not warranted," [Chapman's lawyer Paul Molle](#) said in an email.

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"Mr. Chapman would like to thank the Davie police officers and the prosecutors at the Office of the State Attorney for their professionalism.

"Aroldis is looking forward to spring training and his 2016 season with the New York Yankees."