

# Ohio Bureau of Criminal Identification & Investigation INVESTIGATIVE REPORT



## 12/19/2012 INTERVIEW – DANIEL P. MOORE

### **Summary:**

At 1055 hours, Special Agent Thomas Brokamp met with Daniel P. Moore in the interview room at Ohio BCI in Richfield, Ohio. Also present in the meeting were East Cleveland Police Detective Sergeant Scott Gardner, Cleveland Police Dispatcher's Union Representative Charles McGeever and Union Attorney Patrick D'Angelo.

The purpose of the meeting was to interview Daniel Moore about the police pursuit that took place on November 29, 2012 in Cleveland, Ohio. Moore is a Police Dispatcher and was on duty at the time of the pursuit.

### **Details:**

Moore said that he was a Dispatcher with the Cleveland Police Department. He has been a Dispatcher with Cleveland Police for the past year and two months. On November 29, 2012 he was working the 10:30PM to 6:30AM shift. Moore said that he had been on days off the prior two days before this incident. Sergeants John Petranek and Jerry Tucker were supervising the shift for Dispatch.

Moore said that he was working the 1<sup>st</sup> District and was operating on channel 2 as the primary dispatcher. He could not remember who the road boss was but that they were Sam 33 and Sam 34 on the channel.

Moore said that he was a little bit early and he was standing behind Lisa Zak. He had just sat down in his chair when a car called out a license number and said that he was crossing the Detroit Superior Bridge. Moore said that activity was going so fast that he just started typing into the console to keep up with the traffic on the channel. He said that the first chance he had to create an assignment was about six (6) or seven (7) minutes into the chase. He said that address

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was West 74<sup>th</sup> and Dennison or Lorain. He said that they later went back and corrected that - address. He said that as they crossed the bridge a 2<sup>nd</sup> District car came in on the chase. Moore said that at that point he was just trying to maintain contact with the location of the suspect vehicle. He said that he was not in contact with other dispatchers in the room.

Moore said that he did not believe that a road boss ever came on the channel to terminate the chase for district officers.

Gardner asked Moore if he ever heard anyone talk about the suspects having a gun. Moore said that there were several radio transmissions about the suspects reaching under the seat, having a gun, having a pop can, and something about a glove. These transmissions came from several cars in the chase. He said that he could not identify any of the cars in the transmissions.

Moore said that as the suspect vehicle was eastbound on I-90 near the roundabout, the lead officer was calling off locations very well. There was definite concern from the lead officer about the movement in the car and a weapon in the car.

As the chase was approaching Euclid Avenue and East 77<sup>th</sup> Street, Dispatchers were concerned about the chase leaving the jurisdiction and maintaining locations. At that point Diane Eck sat down with Moore and began to assist with the transcriptions. He said that it took some time for them to pinpoint the location of the termination of the chase at the water plant. They later found out that it was actually a middle school.

Moore said that he recalled that there was some radio talk about a squad car being hit by the suspect vehicle. He said that there was a mention of "shots fired" and there was concern in dispatch about officer safety. He said that after that point, there was not a lot of radio traffic.

Moore said that he had not spoken to anyone about the incident other than his wife, and that was not other than to just mention what had gone on. He said that he has not spoken to any officers about this incident. He has not received or sent any texts to any officers about this incident. He said that no one has tried to influence his statement nor asked him to lie about anything in the interview. The interview was concluded at 1110 hours. This interview was audio/video recorded and a copy of the disk added to the case file as Exhibit #43.

#### **Subject Information**

Name:	Daniel P. Moore	
Address:		Cleveland, Ohio
Telephone:		

Employment: Cleveland Police Department Dispatcher

DOB: 8/17/1962

SSN:

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Sex:

Male

Race:

White

Height:

5'9"

Weight:

175

Hair:

Brown

Eyes:

S/V/W:

Witness