



Ohio Attorney General's Office
Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Investigative Report



2024-2718

Officer Involved Critical Incident – 248 E. 11th Avenue,
Columbus, OH 43201 (L)

Investigative Activity: Records Received, Review of Records
Involves: Columbus Police Department (O), [REDACTED]
Date of Activity: 11/14/2024
Activity Location: Columbus Police Department – Business – 120 Marconi Blvd.,
Columbus, OH 43215
Author: SA James H Gore, #168

Narrative:

On the morning of September 10, 2024 at approximately 0130 hours, Lamine Mahmoudi (Mahmoudi), of 235 Chittenden Ave., Columbus, was killed during an encounter with members of the Columbus Division of Police (CPD). Mahmoudi was armed with a meat cleaver and a butcher knife when he confronted officers in the rear parking lot of the CPD Precinct 4 substation. Five of the six involved officers responded to the threat with handguns, while one officer deployed a Taser. The Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested by CPD to handle the Officer-Involved Critical Incident investigation. The six involved officers were identified as:

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

On November 14, 2024, CPD Sergeant Terry McConnell provided a copy of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Taser proficiency record to BCI Special Agent (SA) James Gore. The record indicated that [REDACTED] passed his annual proficiency testing in the use of the Taser and other subject control tactics from the CPD Defensive Tactics Unit (DTU) on March 12, 2024.

The DTU proficiency record is available for further review as an attachment to this report.

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References:

No references

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: 2024_Taser_Qualifications-[REDACTED]

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Defensive Tactics Unit

2024 DTU Skills/Taser Proficiency Test

DTU

Name/Badge		Date	3-12-24	
Assignment		Shift		

Taser 7 Powerpoint and Written	P	F	Impact Weapon	P	F
100% score on test (remediate as necessary)	1		Closed-mode Strikes (Angle Strikes)	1	
			Clearance Strike	1	
			Cutting Strikes	1	
			Middle Strike	1	
Taser Draw and Transition Drills	P	F	Forward Fluid Shock wave	1	
Arm	1		Reverse Fluid Shock wave	1	
Aim	1		Front and Rear Jabs	1	
De-escalate/verbal commands	1				
Deploy	1		Tactical Police Boxing Combinations	P	F
Warning ARC	1		Boxing 1-6	1	
Re-energize	1				
Switch (tilt-select)	1		Scenario-based Training	P	F
Make safe and recover	1		Hard Corner Scenario	1	
			Close-Quarter Probe Scenario	1	
			Five-Prong Test Scenario	1	
Taser Deployments	P	F			
Two (2) Close Quarter (CQ) in Preferred Target Areas	1				
Two (2) Stand Off (SO) in Preferred Target Areas	1				
Familiarization with CPD Ballistic Shield	P	F			
	1				
			Instructor- CAPES		
			DTU SGT Initials- mJ		



TASER 7 NEW OPERATOR APPLICANT CERTIFICATION FORM

This document is not needed if the class is registered in Axon Academy (email training@taser.com for details).

Name: [REDACTED] Agency: CPD

Email: [REDACTED] Phone: 614-645-4545

Address/State/Zip: 120 MARCONI BLVD. 43215

By signing below, I hereby acknowledge receipt of Axon's Product Warnings. I understand that I must read and understand these warnings PRIOR to participating in any hands-on TASER Energy Weapon drills required for the Certification Course.

Student Signature: (Required) [REDACTED]

The instructor is required to verify that the applicant successfully completed all TASER Energy Weapon Operator Certification requirements (initial below).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Completed written Exam in class with a score of 100% (remediate as needed) | <input type="checkbox"/> Demonstrate safe handling during loading and unloading, proper finger positioning, and aiming and deploying at the preferred target area. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Completed exam online | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Review current Operator Certification Course PowerPoint presentation(s) and Training Bulletins | <input type="checkbox"/> Perform a proper de-escalation warning ARC. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Completed course online | <input type="checkbox"/> Utilize the ARC switch to reenergize deployed probes. |

BASIC CERTIFICATION (MANDATORY): Deploy a minimum of two (2) Live or HALT cartridges per angle* and place both probes in preferred target zones:

- ☐ 12-Degree, Close Quarters Cartridge ☐ 3.5-Degree, Standoff Cartridge

***Every officer should be certified on every cartridge angle used by his/her agency.**

DE-ESCALATION RBT CERTIFICATION (optional) – Only required in Year 3: Successfully complete scenarios using the HALT system, deploying a minimum of 2 HALT and 2 Live cartridges per angle. ☐ Yes ☐ No

I hereby certify that the above-named applicant has satisfactorily completed all components of the TASER 7 Operator Certification training program and is hereby certified as an operator of this system on the specified angle(s) for one year.

Attested by Certifying Instructor: _____
(Print Name) (Signature)

Date: _____ Location of Training: _____

This form is for internal use only. Please do not send to the TASER Training Department.