

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



2024-2614

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 1309 Yellowstone Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44121

Investigative Activity: Amazon/Ring Records Received and Reviewed

Involves: Amazon/Ring (O)

Activity Date: 11/29/2024

Activity Location: BCI, 4055 Highlander Parkway Richfield, OH 44286

Authoring Agent: SA Nicholas Valente #139

Narrative:

On September 16, 2024, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Nick Valente drafted, obtained, and executed a warrant to obtain records from Amazon/Ring for information and video files captured from two Ring doorbell security cameras present on the subject's home at the time of the officer-involved shooting. One of these cameras was placed on the front of the home near the front door. The second camera was placed on a wall in the home's three seasons room near the door to the room.

On November 29, 2024, SA Valente received responsive records from Amazon/Ring. SA Valente downloaded and saved the records. The responsive records consisted of a single spreadsheet and an accompanying email that served as a certificate of authenticity. The spreadsheet and accompanying email were attached to this report for further review.

On December 2, 2024, and December 19, 2024, SA Valente contacted Ring through their proprietary law enforcement portal asking for confirmation that no relevant/responsive videos exist. On December 19, 2024, Ring responded to the second request:

Greetings,

Thank you for your inquiry. Ring can confirm that all responsive data for the date and time frame was produced. There were no videos located. Regards,

Ring LER Team

LER Team, Thu Dec 19 2024

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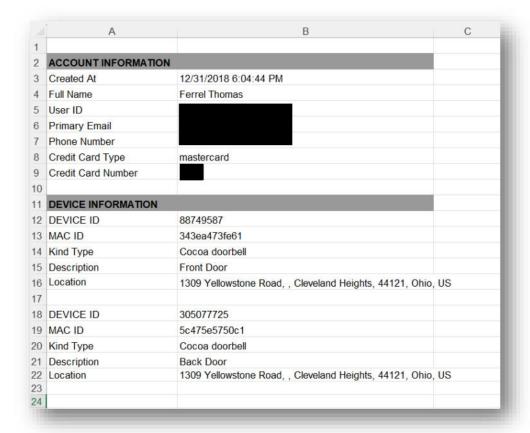
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The following snippet was taken from the spreadsheet received from Amazon/Ring.



References:

None

Attachments:

- 1. Amazon Ring Certificate of Authenticity Email
- 2. Amazon Ring Records Response

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Nicholas Valente

From: amazon-case-tracker-communications@amazon.com

Sent: Friday, November 29, 2024 5:39 PM

To: Nicholas Valente

Subject: Amazon Ref. No. CRIM1354269 2024 DS: BCI Case 2024-2614 // 1309 Yellowstone

Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio 33121 (External Case No. 2024-2614)

Follow Up Flag: Follow up Flag Status: Flagged

You don't often get email from amazon-case-tracker-communications@amazon.com. Learn why this is important

—This message was sent on behalf of subpoenas@ring.com.—



This is an official communication from Ring.

Certificate of Authenticity

CRIM1354269 2024 DS (External Case No. 2024-2614)

I, Jonathan Vasquez, declare as follows:

- 1. I am an employee of Ring LLC, ("Ring"). I make this declaration based on personal, firsthand knowledge and, if called and sworn as a witness, I could and would testify as set forth below.
- 2. Ring produced documents responsive to the above-referenced law enforcement request.
- 3. All documents produced by Ring are authentic, are what they purport to be, and accurately describe the transactions, communications, and events as set forth therein.
- 4. All documents produced by Ring are business records in that they are (i) records kept in the ordinary course of business; (ii) created at or near the time of the transactions or events reflected therein, or based on information from a person with knowledge of the transactions or events; and (iii) kept as a part of a regular business activity.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Jonathan Vasquez

Law Enforcement Response Specialist

Ring.com, LLC.

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