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Investigative Report

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Officer Involved Critical Incident - 3295 Sullivant Avenue, Apt. H, Columbus, OH 43204 (L)

Investigative Activity:	Scene 2: Processing of officers
Activity Date:	August 30, 2022
Activity Location:	Columbus Police Academy: 1000 N. Hague Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43204
Authoring Agent:	Special Agent Sarah Taylor, #136

On August 30, 2022, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Sarah Taylor, was assigned to assist the Columbus Police Department (CPD) with an officer involved critical incident. It was reported that CPD officers were attempting to arrest Donovan Lewis (Lewis) for outstanding felony warrants. Lewis was reported to be in the back bedroom with the door shut. When the door was opened, CPD Officer Ricky Anderson discharged his firearm striking Lewis. Lewis was transported to Grant Hospital where he was later pronounced deceased (see SA Holcomb's report).

SA Taylor responded to the Columbus Police Academy located at 1000 N. Hague Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, where involved officers were located. SA Taylor was informed that four officers witnessed this incident: Ofc. Jack Randall #3187, Ofc. Chance Knox #5315, Ofc. Harry Dorsey #2686, and Ofc. Justin Dodrill #3007. Furthermore, it was reported that Ofc. Ricky Anderson (Ofc. Anderson) #1144 had discharged his firearm during the event. All five officers were wearing their agency issued uniform that had markings of a law enforcement officer. SA Taylor began processing the officers at 0523 hours.

SA Taylor documented the four witnessing officers, their firearms, and their extra magazines through photography. All four officers' duty pistols had a full magazine with a cartridge in the chamber. Additionally, each spare magazine was fully loaded. Each officer reported that they did not carry a backup weapon and they were not injured during the incident.

SA Taylor proceeded to photograph Ofc. Anderson and was provided the pistol that he had reportedly discharged. The pistol, a Smith & Wesson, M&P 9mm semi-automatic handgun had a serial number of [redacted] The handgun had sixteen cartridges in the magazine and one cartridge in the chamber. The magazine had a total capacity of 17 cartridges. Ofc. Anderson had two spare magazines that were fully loaded with 17 cartridges each. The firearm and magazines were all collected as item 1. Ofc. Anderson reported that he did not carry a backup weapon and was not injured during the incident.

No additional items of evidentiary value were collected. Examination of the officers was completed at 0540 hours.

At 0653 hours, SA Taylor released item #1 to SA Chad Holcomb.

At 1000 hours, SA Holcomb submitted item #1 to the BCI laboratory in London, Ohio for examination.

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