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Investigative Report



2022-1251

Officer-Involved Critical Incident- 2280 Stelzer Rd.

Investigative Activity: Interview with Witness

Involves: Dahabo Mohamed

Activity Date: 6/9/2022

Activity Location: 2280 Stelzer

Authoring Agent: SA Matt Collins, #151

Narrative:

On Thursday, June 09, 2022, at 1450 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Matt Collins (SA Collins) interviewed Dahabo Mohamed (Mohamed), relative to the officer-involved shooting which took place on Tuesday, June 7, 2022. The interview took place at 2280 Stelzer Rd, Columbus, OH. The purpose of the interview was to obtain all relevant information of the incident known or observed by this individual.

SA Collins, as well as SA John Butterworth (SA Butterworth) were conducting a secondary canvass of the area relating to the shooting incident on June 7th. Agents were attempting to identify any additional surveillance cameras in the area, during normal business hours.

When speaking with one of the businesses, SA Collins learned there was an individual, Mohamed, who had witnessed some portion of the shooting incident while she was standing outside of the business. Mohamed described having gone to the dumpsters located on the East side of the property at around 1850 hours. Mohamed stated she witnessed a white SUV parked in that area, which drew her attention. Mohamed said the vehicle was occupied by two males. Mohamed went back to her business located on the east side of the complex. Mohamed described coming back outside and witness the white SUV come from the dumpster area, "I saw it pull up. I saw the lights turn on, I didn't hear siren, but I saw the lights. Um, I heard some men, um, screaming, you know, 'put your hands up'. I glanced over, I saw one, probably one on the other side I didn't see. Um, I saw them like in position, standing up like that." **Agent Note: Mohamed was standing with both her left and right arms extended in front of her with her hands together and her index fingers were pointing out.** Mohamed stated they were pointing or aiming into the direction of the gas station. SA Collins asked Mohamed to clarify if she could see them holding guns. Mohamed stated she could not see any guns but could only assume based on the way they were standing. Mohamed continued describing what she saw. Mohamed said she heard them yell, "put your hands up. Put your hands up." She stated she did not hear anyone else saying anything. Mohamed said after that, she'd heard some shots and ducked down. Mohamed said she laid down and did not move for some time until she heard other officers begin to arrive.



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SA Collins asked Mohamed about the lights and she clarified they were red and blue lights, which from her position, she saw from the back of the SUV. SA Collins asked Mohamed if she could see any law enforcement markings on their chest or backs. Mohamed stated no, but also advised she was standing further away. She further described them to be wearing a white dress shirt and the other was wearing a blue dress shirt.

The interview concluded at approximately 1458 hours.

The interview was audio recorded. The recording is attached to this report. Please see the attachment for further details.