



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: Preservation Letter Submitted
Involves: Yeskamo (O)
Activity Date: 09/03/2024
Activity Location: BCI, 4055 Highlander Parkway, Richfield, OH 44286
Authoring Agent: SA Nick Valente #139

Narrative:

On September 3, 2024, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Nick Valente sent Yeskamo a preservation letter for video recording(s) relevant to this investigation that may have been captured by the Yeskamo home security camera affixed to the front of the subject's home, 1309 Yellowstone Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

The preservation letter was submitted to Yeskamo through the contact email address provided on the company's website. A copy of the preservation letter and email sent to Yeskamo were attached to this report.

References:

None

Attachments:

1. Yeskamo Preservation Letter
2. Email to Yeskamo with Preservation Letter

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September 3, 2024

Yeskamo

Attn: Legal Department, Custodian of Records

RE: BCI Case #2024-2614, Homicide Investigation

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing to make a formal request for the preservation of records and other evidence pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2703(f) pending further legal process.

You are hereby requested to preserve, for a period of 90 days, the records described below currently in your possession, including records stored on backup media, in a form that includes the complete record. You also are requested not to disclose the existence of this request to the subscriber or any other person, other than as necessary to comply with this request. If compliance with this request may result in a permanent or temporary termination of service to the accounts described below, or otherwise alert the subscriber or user of these accounts as to your actions to preserve the referenced files and records, please contact me before taking such actions.

This request applies only retrospectively beginning Thursday, August 29, 2024, at 2100 hours Eastern Standard Time through Thursday, August 29, 2024, at 2330 hours Eastern Standard Time. It does not in anyway obligate you to capture and preserve new information that arises after the date of this request.

This preservation applies to any and all information associated with the following customer, address and account, including, but not limited to:

- Any and all “non-content” for the subscribers’ information or account holder names, addresses, email addresses, phone numbers, billing information, date of accounts creation, purchase histories, device information (MAC IDs and serial numbers), service usage information, and IP address information.
- Any and all “content” information for the accounts consisting of any data files, video recordings or files, audio recordings or files, and recordings of customer service calls for the time period listed above.

Yeskamo Security Camera associated with the following address and/or person:

- Address: 1309 Yellowstone Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44121
- Customer: Ferrel Thomas

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this preservation, please feel free to contact me at the numbers listed below.

Sincerely,

Nick Valente 9/3/2024

Special Agent Nick Valente #139
Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation
4055 Highlander Parkway
Richfield, OH 44281
Email: nicholas.valente@ohioago.gov
Cell: (614) 208-8405

From: Nicholas Valente

To: info@yeskamo.com [info@yeskamo.com]

Subject: Preservation Request - Homicide Investigation - BCI Case 2024-2614

Sent: Tue 9/3/2024 6:41 PM GMT-04:00

Importance: Normal

Please find attached a Preservation Letter for video related to a homicide investigation.

Respectfully,



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