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Investigative Report



2022-0498

Officer-Involved Critical Incident- 34 E. Fulton Ave., Columbus, 43215

Investigative Activity: Video Review

Involves: Kecia Meeks

Activity Date: 3/8/2022

Activity Location: Grant Hospital, Columbus, OH

Authoring Agent: SA John Butterworth

**Narrative:**

On Tuesday, March 08, 2022, at 1500 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) John Butterworth (SA Butterworth) and SA Matt Collins (SA Collins) met with Kecia Meeks (Meeks), relative to the officer-involved shooting which took place on Monday, March 7, 2022. The video review took place at Grant Hospital, Columbus, OH. Also present during the interview was Robert Meeks. The purpose of the video review was to allow Meeks the opportunity to a courtesy view of the video of the Officer-Involved Critical Incident involving her son, Rayshawn, before having to view it via media outlets or social media.

On Tuesday March 8, 2022, at approximately 1500 hours, BCI SA Butterworth along with SA Collins met with Meeks and her son, Robert, at Grant Hospital in Columbus, Ohio, to allow Meeks to view a video that was secured from the parking garage where the Officer-Involved Critical Incident took place between her son Rayshawn and law enforcement officers. SA Butterworth set up a laptop that was able to be utilized to view the video. The meeting took place in the family counseling room that is located within the Emergency Department at Grant Hospital.

Prior to starting the video, SA Butterworth provided information about what the video contains to Meeks and prefaced that the video shows Rayshawn and others involved in an altercation that then leads to an altercation with law enforcement. SA Butterworth then played the video for Meeks and Robert. Meeks was provided the names of the civilians that were viewed in the video. Meeks was shown an OHLEG photo of the individual civilians that were in the silver/gray Mazda that Rayshawn was a passenger in. Meeks recognized Sheena Doumbouya and Ives Toure as being individuals that were with Rayshawn at her residence approximately two Fridays ago. This would have been approximately Friday February 25<sup>th</sup>.

SA Butterworth then played the video for Meeks while Robert watched as well. While viewing the video SA Butterworth provided narration to Meeks as there is no sound. Upon viewing the interactions and altercation between Rayshawn and law enforcement, Meeks became very upset and began yelling that the police shot and killed her son. SA Butterworth and SA Collins attempted to talk with Meeks and calm her, however, she continued to be very loud and said she

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saw the police shoot her son. SA Butterworth rewound the video for the incident with law enforcement to be viewed again and attempted to explain the difficulty in seeing where the gun was and exactly what happened and Meeks continued to be upset. Meeks again stated the police killed her son and she needed to talk to a lawyer just before leaving the room. SA Butterworth and SA Collins spoke with Robert who had stayed in the room and again explained BCI's involvement in the investigation as well as the need for the investigation to take time to be completed. Robert viewed the incident up to the point of the altercation with law enforcement officers and the video was stopped as Robert asked it to be paused.

SA Butterworth and SA Collins completed speaking with Meeks and Robert as they needed to return to family members in another part of the hospital. SA Butterworth thanked them for meeting and again stated that if there was something that SA Butterworth could need from them, that he would be in contact with them.

The interview concluded at approximately 1515 hours.

The meeting and video review with Meeks and Robert were not recorded.