

Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Investigative Report

2025-0513 Officer Involved Critical Incident -14000 OH-104 Chillicothe, OH 45601 (L)



Investigative Activity: Case Opening

Involves: Ross County Sheriff's Office

Activity Date: 02/19/2025

Activity Location: 14000 State Route 104, Chillicothe, OH 45601

Authoring Agent: SA Aja Chung, #86

Narrative:

On Monday, February 17, 2025, at approximately 1700 hours, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested by Captain Max Adair of the Ross County Sheriff's Office (RCSO) to conduct an independent investigation of the facts and circumstances surrounding an officer-involved critical incident which occurred in the area of State Route 104 and U.S. 35. BCI Special Agent Aja Chung (SA Chung) responded to assist, arriving at approximately 1930 hours. Also responding from the BCI Special Investigations Unit were Special Agents James Gore, James Poole and Carrie Ryan. Additionally, the BCI Crime Scene Unit was requested to process the scene by documenting and collecting pertinent evidence.

The shooting incident involved a subject, Daniel Wayne Long, and a deputy of the RCSO. The incident resulted in the death of Daniel Long.

A copy of the request for assistance letter is attached to this investigative report.

References:

None

Attachments:

1. Request for assistance letter

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Office of Ross County Sheriff

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February 18, 2025

To Whom It May Concern,

The Ross County Sheriff's Office is requesting the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) handle the investigation into the deputy involved shooting that occurred on February 17, 2025.

Sincerely,

Max Adair Captain