



**Ohio Attorney General's Office
Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Investigative Report**



2024-2465

Officer Involved Critical Incident – 2215 East Avenue, Akron, Ohio
44314

Investigative Activity: Interview with Witness
Involves: Muhamad Altawil (W)
Date of Activity: 11/15/2024
Activity Location: BCI Richfield Office – 4055 Highlander Parkway, Richfield, OH
44286
Author: SA John P. Tingley, #154

Narrative:

On Friday, November 15, 2024, at approximately 0927 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent John Tingley (SA Tingley) contacted a witness, Muhamad Altawil (Altawil), by phone and conducted a recorded interview with him.

Altawil had been identified as a subject who made a 911 call to the Akron Police Department (APD) on the date of the officer involved critical incident to report the actual incident.

The following is a synopsis of the interview and questions answered by Altawil and is not a word for word translation of the interview or statements given.

SA Tingley began the interview and asked Altawil to describe what he had seen on the day of the officer involved critical incident.

Altawil stated that he was going home and as he passed the Arco gas station on East Avenue in Akron, he saw a U-Haul pull out of the lot quickly with a Police Officer hanging on to the vehicle. Altawil then heard some shots, after which the U-Haul came to a stop.

SA Tingley asked Altawil how many Officers he saw hanging on to the U-Haul when it left the parking lot. Altawil replied that he only saw one officer hanging on to the vehicle.

The interview was then concluded.

This interview was recorded and is attached to this report.

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: 2024-2465 WITNESS INTERVIEW 911 CALL

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References:

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