

CUYAHOGA CNTY SHERIFF



Incident Number

21-20175418

Investigative Report

Title / Subject: FIELD INTERVIEW JONNATAN

12/12/21

WITNESS: JONNATAN SANCHEZ #966

D.O.O. 12/12/21

On the above date and time Detectives Roberts and Harvey spoke with Jonnatan Sanchez #966 who is a member of the City of Cleveland Division of Police.

Sanchez reports he was working off duty this day for the Downtown Cleveland Alliance and received a call from another employee (unknown name) in regards to the suspect originally beginning to fire his weapon just east of 18th Street and Superior Ave. The female caller stated that the male had fired approximately three times. Sanchez stated due to his job for the day he had instructed the female caller out of the area to safety and she advised him the males direction of travel. Sanchez reports he parked his vehicle and observed the male walking westbound in his direction. Sanchez reports the male got to the corner of East 12th and Superior Ave. and fired off two shots, and was not sure if he was just shooting in the air or at something. Sanchez called out to radio to have the zone cars to step it up to his location. Sanchez advised radio the suspect was on the north side of the street and gave them a clothing description. Sanchez reports the zone car pulled up and the suspect attempted to hide from them next to a bus stop. Sanchez reports the suspect male ran across the street to the southwest corner of East 12th and Superior Ave. Sanchez reports the zone car officers were giving the male suspect voice commands and he acted like he was giving up and put the firearm on the ground. Sanchez reports the male proceeded to lie down on the ground. Sanchez reports all officers started to approach the male suspect and he got up and grabbed the firearm and started to fire at officers. Sanchez stated he was not at a good vantage point and decided not to discharge his firearm. Sanchez stated the zone car officers did return fire and the male fell to the ground and still continued to fire at officers. Sanchez reports when the male finally stopped firing they approached and placed him in handcuffs. Sanchez radioed to dispatch that shots had been fired and to have EMS step it up to the scene.

Detectives asked Sanchez if he had the employees name from the Greater Alliance who called in the shooting and he responded by saying no. Sanchez reports that the supervisor has that information and that employee went home for the evening due to her being pretty shook up over the incident.

By: DEP KEVIN A HARVEY

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