



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



2024-3996  
Officer Involved Critical Incident - 780 Taylor Road,  
Gahanna, OH

**Investigative Activity:** Interview with civilian witness  
**Involves:** Alexandria England  
**Activity Date:** 12/19/2024  
**Activity Location:** 735 Taylor Road, Gahanna, OH  
**Authoring Agent:** SA Aja Chung

**Narrative:**

On Thursday, December 19, 2024, at 1335 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Aja Chung (SA Chung) and SA Chad Holcomb (SA Holcomb) interviewed Alexandria England (England), relative to the officer-involved critical incident which took place on earlier that day. The interview took place at 735 Taylor Rd., at the Doyle Human Capital Management (HCM) offices (Doyle HCM), where England is an employee. The purpose of the interview was to obtain all relevant information of the incident known or observed by England.

Gahanna Police Department (GPD) attempted to make contact with Alex Russell (Russell) at SpringHill Suite at 665 Taylor Road regarding a fraud complaint. Russell fled his room through the room window and walked in an easterly direction. GPD officers followed Russell on foot to 780 Taylor Rd., where Russell reportedly aimed a gun at GPD officers. GPD officers discharged their weapons, striking Russell, who later died from his injuries.

England told agents she was in a meeting on the second-floor corner office when she saw a younger male, Russell, walking in the parking lot near in front of her car. England stated she saw Russell holding a black handgun in his right hand as he walked eastbound. England did not recall what Russell was wearing.

England indicated she could not hear what the police officers were saying but it was clear Russell was not listening to what the officers were saying. England stated she saw Russell look over his shoulder back towards officers, but Russell kept walking eastbound and eventually across Taylor Road. England did not hear Russell say anything.

England stated after Russell crossed over the street near the driveway of 780 Taylor Rd., she saw police officers still following/walking behind Russell. England indicated she saw Russell run eastbound behind the bushes, and lost sight of Russell. England

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indicated she then heard the gunshots. England confirmed she did not see Russell aim the gun he was holding towards officers.

England confirmed the police officers were clearly identifiable as law enforcement by their uniforms and the nearby police cars with emergency lights activated.

England confirmed she did not video record or photograph the incident.

The interview concluded at approximately 1400 hours.

The interview was audio recorded. The recording is attached to this report. Please see the attachment for further details.

**References:**

None

**Attachments:**

1-Alexandria England interview

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