



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



2022-2876  
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 256 N. Swain, LaRue, Ohio (L)

**Investigative Activity:** Review of Records  
**Date of Activity:** 01/24/2023  
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**Narrative:**

On 12/28/22, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Criminal Intelligence Analyst (CIA) Lori Braunschweiger (Braunschweiger) contacted the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) and requested a Firearms Trace of the weapons that Travis Hellinger (Hellinger) was found to be in possession of during an Officer Involved Critical Incident in La Rue, Ohio on 12/20/22. During the processing of the scene, investigators recovered a KAHR Arms, CW45, 45 caliber, semi-automatic pistol bearing Serial Number SD2732 and a Taurus International, G2C, 9mm, bearing Serial Number 1C056672. CIA Braunschweiger documented this information on the ATF e-Trace forms which were later forwarded to the ATF.

On 12/28/22, CIA Braunschweiger received a copy of the ATF e-Trace concerning the KAHR Arms firearm. BCI Special Agent (SA) Jason Snyder (Snyder) reviewed the ATF e-Trace report and learned the following information. [REDACTED]

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On 02/01/23, additional information concerning the second firearm carried by Hellinger at the time of the incident was received. CIA Braunschweiger received a copy of the ATF e-Trace concerning the Taurus International firearm. SA Snyder reviewed the ATF e-Trace report and learned the following information. [REDACTED]

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For further details, refer to the copies of the ATF e-Trace reports which have been placed into this case file.

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