



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



2025-2193
Officer Involved Critical Incident - 33635 Haning Road,
Albany, Ohio, 45710 (L)

Investigative Activity: Agency Report Review
Involves: Meigs County Sheriff's Office
Activity Date: 08/12/2025
Authoring Agent: SA Kyle Douglass

Narrative:

On Tuesday, August 12, 2025, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Kyle Douglass (SA Douglass) reviewed documents from the Meigs County Sheriff's Office (MCSO). The records which were requested included any reports pertaining to the July 8, 2025, officer-involved critical incident, except for any statements made by the deputies involved.

SA Douglass reviewed the documents and noted relevant information. MCSO's incident report narrative contained the following:

On Tuesday, July 8th, 2025, Detective Wiedmer had a search warrant signed for the residence of 33635 Haning Road Albany, Ohio.

This search warrant consisted of information that was given to Detective Wiedmer by the Southeastern Ohio Human Trafficking Taskforce. Within the contents of the information provided to Detective Wiedmer was 48 counts of child pornography that included pictures and videos of minor children. Within the contents of evidence provided by the Human Trafficking Taskforce was possible suspects. Two suspects were Patrick McDaniel and Christopher McDaniel.

Later that day on Tuesday, July 8th, 2025, at approximately 1443 hours [REDACTED] and Detectives, Campbell, Tracy, Wiedmer and [REDACTED] with the Meigs County Sheriff's Office went to the residence of Patrick and Christopher McDaniel located at 33635 Haning Road in Albany. Detectives conducted an interview with Christopher and Patrick McDaniel. While at the scene Detectives confronted Patrick McDaniel with the evidence they had uncovered during the investigation. Patrick McDaniel gave a full confession to Detectives to possessing a large volume of child pornography on his computer and cell phone.

Upon the conclusion of the search warrant and the interview, uniformed deputies and Detectives attempted to handcuff Mr. McDaniel after advising him he was under arrest. At this time, Mr. McDaniel began violently resisting arrest and was attempting to take the deputies handgun. [REDACTED] then came to assist in the altercation and during

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the struggle, Mr. McDaniel was able to gain possession of one of the [REDACTED] firearm [sic]. Detectives and Deputies drew their weapons and issued verbal commands to drop the firearm. McDaniel refused to follow commands from deputies and detectives and placed the gun to his head and fired a single shot. Meigs County EMS was immediately summoned to the scene where McDaniel was pronounced dead shortly after. [REDACTED] involved in the altercation was transported to O'Bleness Hospital. The [REDACTED] was later released.

The Meigs County Sheriff's Office requested the Meigs County Coroners Office and the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) to conduct a full independent investigation of the incident. Mr. McDaniel was facing 48 felony counts of having possession of child pornography ranging from infants up to 5 years of age.

The report for MCSO incident # [REDACTED] was attached to this investigative report. Please refer to the attachment for further details.

References:

No references

Attachments:

1. Meigs County Sheriff's Office Incident Report [REDACTED]

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Major Crimes Task Force - Meigs

OHIO UNIFORM INCIDENT REPORT

ADMINISTRATIVE	AGENCY NAME: Major Crimes Task Force - Meigs				*INCIDENT NUMBER: [REDACTED]							
	*GEOCODE:				INCIDENT NATURE: Warrant							
	TOD:		TOA:		TOC:		<input type="checkbox"/> INCIDENT (NON-CRIMINAL) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OFFENSE					
	*REPORT DATE/TIME				*INCIDENT OCCURRED FROM				*INCIDENT OCCURRED TO			
	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	TIME	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	TIME	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	TIME
07	08	2025	10:06:00	07	08	2025	00:00:00	07	08	2025	00:00:00	
*INCIDENT LOCATION (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):				33635 Haning Road, Albany, OH, 45710								

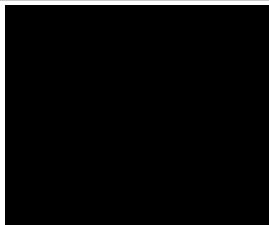
OFFENSE	*OFFENSE 1. 2907.321A1		*OFFENSE DESCRIPTION Pandering Obscenity Involving a Minor _ create, produce, publish obscene material				*A/C: C	*UCR OFFENSE: 370	*UCR OFFENSE DESCRIPTION Pornography/Obscene Material			
	FM & DEGREE		*LARCENY			*HATE/BIAS			VALIDATE			
	Felony - 2					No Bias/Not Applicable			Yes			
	* LOCATION OF OFFENSE						*SUSPECTED OF USING					
	Single Family Home						Not Applicable					
	*TYPE OF WEAPON/FORCE USED						*TYPE OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITY					
	99 - None						P - Possessing/Concealing					
	*METHOD OF ENTRY		No Force			*METHOD OF OPERATION:						
	*NO PREMISES ENTERED						*METHOD OF ENTRY - BURGLARY/B&E					
	0				LEVEL		LOCATION		DIRECTION			
CARGO THEFT				ENTRY								
				EXIT								

OTHER	*NO. 1		CATEGORY: Person				DL#/DL STATE: [REDACTED]					
	NAME (Last, First, Middle): MCDANIEL, CHRISTOPHER, ADAM						RACE: Unknown					
	Sex: Male						Ethnicity: Not Hispanic or Latino					
	Height: 6' 1"						Weight: 300					
	ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):				33635 HANING RD, ALBANY, OH, 45710-9021				CELL PHONE:			
	EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS (Street, Apt, City, State, Zip):						OCCUPATION/SCHOOL:		PHONE:			
	SSN: [REDACTED]		*DOB 11/17/1983		Age: 41		HOME PHONE:		WORK PHONE:			

OTHER	*NO. 2		CATEGORY: Person				DL#/DL STATE: [REDACTED]					
	NAME (Last, First, Middle): MCDANIEL, JANET, K						RACE: White					
	Sex: Female						Ethnicity: Not Hispanic or Latino					
	Height: 5' 5"						Weight: 120					
	ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):				33635 HANING RD, ALBANY, OH, 45710-9021				CELL PHONE:			

OTHER	EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS (Street, Apt, City, State, Zip):			OCCUPATION/SCHOOL:	PHONE:
	SSN: [REDACTED]	*DOB 09/24/1955	Age: 69	HOME PHONE:	WORK PHONE:

SUSPECT	*NO. 1	AGE CLASS: Adult	CATEGORY: Suspect		CHARGES FILED? No	
	NAME (Last, First, Middle):		MCDANIEL, PATRICK, EVAN			[REDACTED]
	ALIAS:		GANG AFFILIATION:		CELL PHONE:	
	ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):		33635 HANNING RD, ALBANY, OH, 45710		HOME PHONE:	
	EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):				PHONE:	
	PLACE OF BIRTH:		DL#/DL STATE: SX810844/OH	OCCUPATION/SCHOOL:		
	*Age: 38 *D.O.B: 03/03/1987	*SEX: Male	*RACE: White	*ETHNICITY: Not Hispanic or Latino	*HEIGHT: 6 ft 3 in	WEIGHT: 270
	SUSPECT OF USING:		MARITAL STATUS:	*RESIDENT STATUS: Resident	*HAIR: Brown	*EYES: Green
	SCARS, MARKS, TATOOS:					
	ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION:					
POTENTIAL INJURIES:						



VICTIM	*NO. 1	TOTAL VICTIMS: 1	VICTIM TYPE: Society / Public		
	NAME (Last, First, Middle):		State Of Ohio		
	ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):		104 E. 2nd St, Pomeroy, OH, 45769	CELL PHONE:	WORK PHONE:
	EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS (Street, Apt., City, State, Zip):				PHONE:
	*AGE: D.O.B:	*SEX:	*RACE:	*ETHNICITY:	
	HGT:	WGT:	HAIR:	EYES:	DL#/DL STATE: /
	OCCUPATION/SCHOOL:		SSN:	*RESIDENT STATUS:	
	VICTIM INJURED?	IF INJURED, DESCRIBE INJURIES:			
	*AGG. ASSAULT/ HOMICIDE CIRC.:	*VICTIM/SUSPECT RELATIONSHIP:	*VICTIM/OFFENSE LINK: 2907.321A1 - Pandering Obscenity Involving a Minor _ create, produce, publish obscene material		
	OFFICER CIRCUMSTANCE:				
OFFICER ASSIGNMENT TYPE:					
OFFICER ORI:					
My signature verifies that the information on this report is accurate and true				DATE:	

TITLE: Narrative- WIEDMER	NARRATIVE TYPE: Initial Narrative
SUPPLEMENT: No	SUPPLEMENT #:
<p>On Tuesday, July 8th, 2025, Detective Wiedmer had a search warrant signed for the residence of 33635 Haning Road Albany, Ohio.</p> <p>This search warrant consisted of information that was given to Detective Wiedmer by the Southeastern Ohio Human Trafficking Taskforce. Within the contents of the information provided to Detective Wiedmer was 48 counts of child pornography that included pictures and videos of minor children. Within the contents of evidence provided by the Human Trafficking Taskforce was possible suspects. Two suspects were Patrick McDaniel and Christopher McDaniel.</p> <p>Later that day on Tuesday, July 8th, 2025, at approximately 1443 hours [REDACTED] and Detectives, Campbell, Tracy, Wiedmer and [REDACTED] with the Meigs County Sheriff's Office went to the residence of Patrick and Christopher McDaniel located at 33635 Haning Road in Albany. Detectives conducted an interview with Christopher and Patrick McDaniel. While at the scene Detectives confronted Patrick McDaniel with the evidence they had uncovered during the investigation. Patrick McDaniel gave a full confession to Detectives to possessing a large volume of child pornography on his computer and cell phone.</p> <p>Upon the conclusion of the search warrant and the interview, uniformed deputies and Detectives attempted to handcuff Mr. McDaniel after advising him he was under arrest. At this time, Mr. McDaniel began violently resisting arrest and was attempting to take the deputies handgun. Detective Riley then came to assist in the altercation and during the struggle, Mr. McDaniel was able to gain possession of one of the [REDACTED] firearm. Detectives and Deputies drew their weapons and issued verbal commands to drop the firearm. McDaniel refused to follow commands from deputies and detectives and placed the gun to his head and fired a single shot. Meigs County EMS was immediately summoned to the scene where McDaniel was pronounced dead shortly after [REDACTED] involved in the altercation was transported to O'Bleness Hospital. The detective was later released.</p> <p>The Meigs County Sheriff's Office requested the Meigs County Coroners Office and the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) to conduct a full independent investigation of the incident. Mr. McDaniel was facing 48 felony counts of having possession of child pornography ranging from infants up to 5 years of age.</p> <p>WIEDMER 5315</p>	
NARRATIVE DATE: 07/10/2025 08:26	
OFFICER: Wiedmer, Samantha	

PROPERTY	*LOSS TYPE: 6 - Seized (to impound property that was not previously stolen)	QUANTITY: 1	DESCRIPTION: Black Onn Tablet			*PROP CODE: 73 - Portable Electronic Communications	*VALUE:
	VICT. NO:	MAKE/BRAND: Onn		MODEL:		DATE RECOVERED:	
	SERIAL NUMBER:	NCIC NUMBER:	OTHER NUMBER:	COLLECTED BY: Admin, System	COLLECTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43	TRANSPORTED BY: Admin, System	TRANSPORTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43

PROPERTY	*LOSS TYPE: 6 - Seized (to impound property that was not previously stolen)	QUANTITY: 1	DESCRIPTION: Smith & Wesson Bodyguard 38 revolver (black)			*PROP CODE: 44 - Firearms	*VALUE:
	VICT. NO:	MAKE/BRAND: Smith & Wesson		MODEL:		DATE RECOVERED:	
	SERIAL NUMBER:	NCIC NUMBER:	OTHER NUMBER:	COLLECTED BY:	COLLECTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43	TRANSPORTED BY:	TRANSPORTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43

FIREARM	WEAPON TYPE: Pistol	WEAPON DESCRIPTION: Revolver			WEAPON COMBINATION:	
	CALIBER: .38 S&W, .38 (s&w) Special, .38 Acp, .38 Super, Etc.	BARREL LENGTH:	ENGRAVING: No	OTHER DESCRIPTIVE INFO:		

PROPERTY	*LOSS TYPE: 6 - Seized (to impound property that was not previously stolen)	QUANTITY: 1	DESCRIPTION: Blue Onn Tablet			*PROP CODE: 73 - Portable Electronic Communications	*VALUE:
	VICT. NO:	MAKE/BRAND: Onn		MODEL:		DATE RECOVERED:	
	SERIAL NUMBER: 18662103020876	NCIC NUMBER:	OTHER NUMBER:	COLLECTED BY:	COLLECTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43	TRANSPORTED BY:	TRANSPORTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43

PROPERTY	*LOSS TYPE: 6 - Seized (to impound property that was not previously stolen)	QUANTITY: 1	DESCRIPTION: Remington model 597 shotgun			*PROP CODE: 44 - Firearms	*VALUE:
	VICT. NO:	MAKE/BRAND: Remington			MODEL:	DATE RECOVERED:	
	SERIAL NUMBER: 2794587	NCIC NUMBER:	OTHER NUMBER:	COLLECTED BY:	COLLECTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43	TRANSPORTED BY:	TRANSPORTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43

FIREARM	WEAPON TYPE: Shotgun	WEAPON DESCRIPTION:			WEAPON COMBINATION:		
	CALIBER:	BARREL LENGTH:	ENGRAVING: No	OTHER DESCRIPTIVE INFO:			

PROPERTY	*LOSS TYPE: 6 - Seized (to impound property that was not previously stolen)	QUANTITY: 1	DESCRIPTION: Pardner 12 guage shotgun			*PROP CODE: 44 - Firearms	*VALUE:
	VICT. NO:	MAKE/BRAND:			MODEL:	DATE RECOVERED:	
	SERIAL NUMBER: NV298458	NCIC NUMBER:	OTHER NUMBER:	COLLECTED BY:	COLLECTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43	TRANSPORTED BY:	TRANSPORTED DATE/TIME: 07/08/2025 14:43

FIREARM	WEAPON TYPE: Shotgun	WEAPON DESCRIPTION:			WEAPON COMBINATION:		
	CALIBER:	BARREL LENGTH:	ENGRAVING: No	OTHER DESCRIPTIVE INFO:			

CLEARANCE HISTORY	CLEARANCE TYPE		CLEARANCE DATE	CLEARED BY
	Death of Offender		07/15/2025	Wiedmer, Samantha
	Active		07/02/2025	Wiedmer, Samantha

OFFICER	OFFICER	ROLE	CREATED ON
	Wiedmer, Samantha	Reporting	07/02/2025

ATTACHMENTS	S.NO	FILE NAME	DESCRIPTION	UPLOADED BY	UPLOADED ON
	1	33635 Haning Rd inventory.jpg	Search Inventory	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	2	IMG_1880.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
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	4	IMG_1886.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	5	IMG_1887.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	6	IMG_1888.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	7	IMG_0864.jpg	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	8	IMG_1881.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
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	10	IMG_1884.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	11	IMG_1882.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
	12	IMG_1891.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
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	14	IMG_1892.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025
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16	IMG_1889.JPG	search warrant photos	Wiedmer, Samantha	07/10/2025	

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