



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



2025-0151

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 350 South Arch Avenue,
Alliance, Ohio 44601, Stark County

Investigative Activity: Interview of Lonnie French
Involves: Lonnie French (O)
Activity Date: 01/16/2025
Activity Location: 350 S. Arch St. Alliance, OH 44601
Authoring Agent: SA Allison Fletcher #187

Narrative:

On Thursday, January 16, 2025, at 1117 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Allison Fletcher (Fletcher) conducted an audio recorded interview with Lonnie French at 350 South Arch Avenue, Alliance, Ohio. Lonnie was identified as the brother of the involved subject, Mason French (Mason). Lonnie was a resident at 350 South Arch Avenue; he lived on the third floor in apartment #307. Lonnie did not observe or have any information directly related to the officer-involved shooting incident. The purpose of the interview was to gather background information on Mason and the relationship he had with Stacy Pride (Stacy) who was the shooting victim.

Lonnie was made aware of the officer-involved shooting when one of his other brothers (unknown name), who also resided in the apartment building, knocked on his apartment door to notify him that Mason had been shot. Lonnie was asleep during the shooting incident.

Lonnie provided some background information on his brother, Mason. He indicated he knew very little about Stacy and only saw her in the apartment building. Lonnie never associated himself with Stacy.

Stacy was a resident at 350 South Arch Avenue. Mason and Stacy were in an on-again, off-again, relationship. Mason would often visit Stacy at her apartment. Lonnie believed the relationship began after Mason got out of prison two years ago and began selling Stacy crack-cocaine.

Lonnie believed Stacy and Mason's relationship was toxic. He said they used drugs together and Mason was a daily drinker. He was unaware of any violence in the relationship except for approximately eight months ago when Stacy allegedly pulled a knife on Mason. Lonnie did not observe the altercation.

Mason was known to carry a firearm; however, Lonnie never saw a firearm on Mason.

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The last time Lonnie heard from or saw Mason was approximately two weeks prior, during their other brother's funeral in Steubenville, Ohio.

The audio recorded interview was uploaded to evidence.com and placed in the Reference Item F folder – Lonnie French folder.

References:

REF ITEM F – Audio Recorded Interviews – Lonnie French

Attachments:

None

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