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see him in the summer time y'know was telling him ya know and then ya know what I mean; I didn't see him no more. Then I, and then he came back around.

- Q: K: Ok
- A: And
- Q: K: Got religion for a minute.
- A: Yeah then he came back.
- Q: K: Hm. P: Did you ever go in that store that was robbed or where all those people were killed I should say?
- A: I never been inside that store. There's a Holiday right there. I always go there but that store, no.
- Q: P: How about MAHDI, he ever say anything to you about that store?
- A: No. No.
- Q: K: Did you talk to AHMED about this at all? AHMED that picked you, FARAH?
- A: No. We didn't talk about nothing like that. We talked about the incident ya know I mean. How the triple murder its everywhere. Everybody is talking about it.
- Q: K: Right.
- A: Yeah.
- Q: K: But he didn't know anything, as far as you know he didn't know anything?
- A: No.
- Q: P: Well what are people talking about?.
- A: Its two juveniles that are arrested and they say the juvenile it was a robbery gone wrong.
- Q: P: Ok.
- A: That's all they say. They said there was a lady, one lady ya know what I mean. They must ya know what I mean, they put the gun to her head ya know what I mean. They're like ya know what I mean. Aw give us some drugs. And then he starting ya know bragging about why would you do this. They pull right there or something ya know what I mean. And then next thing you know she ran inside the frig ya know what I mean. It's the other guys call the police. That's what I'm hearing.
- Q: K: And that's just the word that's out there.
- A: Yeah that's just the word.
- Q: K: Who knows that?
- A: The whole community. And I'm thinking the lady ya know what I mean that was a part of it, is coming forward.
- Q: K: She is the one talking about it.
- A: She's probably a main witness though.
- Q: K: Yup. P: So where, so people know Mahdi's?
- A: Yeah, yeah, yeah.
- Q: P: What are they saying about him?
- A: That's what's going around.
- Q: P: Ok. When was the last time you talked to him?
- A: MAHDI? Two days afterwards. Or that day I don't remember.
- Q: P: Well you were riding with him around Friday night right?
- A: Yeah, yeah. No Friday night when I got arrested? No I wasn't riding with him.





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- Q: P: No earlier that evening you were.
- A: Friday night yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah.
- Q: P: You dropped him off.
- A: Yeah I dropped him off yeah. That was the last time I talked to MAHDI.
- Then I called him up actually ya know what I mean. To get the money so ya
- know I was going to get some female. He never picked up the phone.
- Q: K: His mom? His grandma?
- A: Yeah.
- Q: K: Who did you call?
- A: No I called his number. 298
- O: K: Oh ok.
- A: He never picked up. Cuz my, my lights ya know uh for some reason the middle light it wouldn't turn off in my car.
- Q: K: Wouldn't turn off. P: Wouldn't turn off?
- A: It wouldn't turn off.
- Q: K: Ok.
- A: Ya know what I mean. So I dropped him off and he's like drop me off man you come pick me up or whatever. And I went to a garage that one of my cousin's work at. Ya know what I mean. He couldn't do nothing. He like something wrong with it. So he just took the light bulb out.
- Q: K: But that was after Wednesday right that was Friday that that it all happened?
- A: That was Friday. OK, just before I got pulled over.
- Q: K: All right.
- A: And.,
- Q: K: So you left the garage.
- A: The garage and then I dropped off ya know AHMED. AHMED was with me too and I dropped off AHMED. Than I went on 94 Broadway and I got pulled over.
- Q: K: Yeah. Did you see MAHDI with a gun?
- A: Never.
- Q: P: Most people saw MAHDI with a gun Friday.
- A: Uh that's what it is.
- Q: P: I mean I can tell you there's a lot of people that are outraged at what happened.
- A: Of course. That's the.
- Q: P: Right and I mean..
- A: Especially in the Somali community too cuz.
- Q: P: Right.
- A: That's the Halal Store. Which means everything that ya know is blessed.
- O: P: Yeah.
- A: And
- Q: K: And oh like and we said originally we had MAHDI's name that night.
- A: Yeah.
- Q: K: Ok. So it's not like, it's because of the outrage that this whole thing people are cooperating. And what is happening is is when, when they're cooperating not only information about MAHDI they include everybody that was with MAHDI.
- A: Exactly.
- Q: K: During, ya know before during and after. Cuz we're trying to track his movements after the fact.



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	A:	Yeah.
	Q:	K: Now you so these people that are talking to us, helping us are telling
	us that	you were with him after.
	A:	Yeah.
	Q:	K: Ok. But that.
	A:	I was helping him out cuz ya know what I mean window was messed up.
	Q:	K: But this information that we are getting.
	A:	Hm
	Q:	K: Is very specific.
	A:	Yeah.
	Q:	K: And one of the things is that MAHDI had a gun.
	A:	Yup.
	Q:	K: And that he was, was he trying to sell a gun that night?
	A:	Not that I know of.
	Q:	K: You don't know that. P: you were with him.
	A:	Not that I know of.
	Q:	F: What we're saying is that you, people are telling us that you were
	with him	
	A:	Man
	Q:	P: and there was, there was ya know more than one gun, near you guys so
	ya know	
	A:	Ok
	_	P: I mean and like you said.
	A:	I told you all I know.
	_	K: Yeah but this is.
	A:	Its not like I can, I can make up stuff ya know.
	Q:	P: No you're right but, but.
	A:	That would be lying.
	Q:	P: But I'm telling you yeah but the people that are telling us this have
		to gain by telling, just to help. That you guys, ya know I mean so
		remember what she had said is that.K: We don't care about selling
	-	P: Yeah. That, if there was a gun there. No not that I know of.
	A:	K: Is there.
	Q: A:	I don't know. I'm not around guns ya know what I mean. Or nothing like
	that.	I don't know. I'm not around gons ya know what I mean. Or nothing like
	Q:	K: What kind of car does AHMED drive?
	A:	Oh he doesn't drive a car.
	Q:	K: Does his family or friends be around a certain car? Like you are
		vith a red Crown Vic right?
	A:	Certain car not that I know of. He, he just you know what I mean, his
		got a car.
		K: What's his brother got?
	A:	But he just bought it. He bought a white car.
	Q:	K: Do you know what kind?
	A:	Uh Passat.
	Q:	K: Oh
	_	Yeah. So you guys gonna help me out and that part of the deal or?
	Q:	P: Well I'm just it's like you're telling us kind of what we already
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Yeah that's what happened exactly. The only reason that I ya know what I mean change the weed part to McDonalds is cuz I was at work. K: You didn't want them to hear you went to buy. A: Yeah, yeah. K: Oh you can't have weed, you can't smoke weed if you. 0: A: Yeah, yeah. K: Employed. 0: Yeah. A: K: We don't care. P: No but I mean ya know honestly I mean was did 0: MAHDI have a gun, was he trying to sell a gun, did he talking on the phone inaudible? A. Not that I know of. P: Was he talking on the phone to anybody about ah MAHDI had a gun? 0: Not that I know of. A : Q: K: At any point did he. At any point. A : Q: K: Did he try to leave you so he could get rid of a gun ya know? Not that I know of. **A**: 0: P: You guys were always together. Huh? A: 0: P: You guys were always together. K: That Wednesday. The Wednesday. A: The Wednesday. Yeah 0: He left but then he came back like I said. Αː K: Yeah he left. 0: No he dropped me off at the Brian Coyle. A: Q: K: No, no but after, after he picked you up. A: Yeah. K: He picks you up at 8 inaudible. 0: After he picked me up that's what happened. **A**: K: Right but did he ever leave. 0: I drop him off. **A**: K: Did he ever leave the car? 0: No, no, no. A: K: He was with you the whole time? Q: A: Yup. K: And he was driving? 0: Yeah. He was driving. A : 0: K: And he never got out of the car? A: Nope. Q: K: Cuz you went into the Super America? Yeah and I had the credit card. A: 0: K: Right. Used the credit card. A: To get Swishers. K: Went right back out. Q: A : Yeah. 0: K: You guys got weed? **A**: Yeah, yeah. Well AHMED got weed. K: So where did MAHDI go, did he stay in the car? He stayed in the car. Why would he leave the car? A:





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Q:	K: I don't know it could be everybody went inside. I have no idea.
A:	No he stayed in the car.
Q:	K: And you stayed in the car.
A:	Yeah.
Q:	K: And he, so he never threw something out as he was driving?
A:	No, no. Not that I know of. Not that I seen no nothing. Ya know what I
mean.	
Q:	K: Ok.
A:	Are we good?
Q;	P: Let me talk to her and figure out
A:	And can I get a
Q:	P: Water?
A:	Yeah. Hey don't try to lock me inside here. All right man.





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Subject 52-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 01/28/2010
Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Jan-28-2010 9:49

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 01/28/2010 09:49

On 1-14-10 at about 1030 hours, Sgt Porras and I met with prosecutors, Bob Streitz and Chuck Webber. We were given complaints charging Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob 1-1-93 and Ahmed-Shire Abdi Ali, dob 3-1-92 with three counts of Murder in the First Degree (Felony). At about 1130 hours, we met with the honorable Judge Belois. Sgt Kjos swore to the accuracy of the documents then Judge Belois reviewed and signed them.

Minutes later, the complaints were filed with the Hennepin County Clerk of Courts on the 11th floor of the Hennepin County Government Center. At about 1400 hours, I went to the MPD Crime Lab and retrieved the two DVRs recovered during the initial response to this shooting scene. The DVRs were removed from the store by MPD Crime Lab specialist Cliff Johnson. These

removed from the store by MPD Crime Lab specialist Cliff Johnson. These DVRs were brought directly to the MDP Crime Lab to image the footage contained on them. The two DVRs remained secured within the MPD Crime Lab until released to me on 1-14-10.

I then drove to the Seward Market on $25 \, \text{th}$ Av S and met with the owner Fazal Warfa. I gave Mr Warfa back both DVRs and left the business.

Later that afternoon, Mr Streitz contacted me stating he spoke with several of the victim's family members. One family member apparently spoke with a grocery store owner whose business is just one block away from Seward Market. This store owner believes Mahdi Ali and Ahmed Ali were in his store minutes before the shootings at Seward Market.

On 1-15-10 multiple CD-Rs and DVD-R containing interviews and surveillance footage were property inventoried. Also inventoried were the surveillance stills viewed and signed by Ahmed Ali, a confirmatory photo of Mahdi Ali viewed and signed by Ahmed Ali and a confirmatory photo of Abdisalan Ali viewed but not signed by Ahmed Ali.

On 1-18-10 Sgt Porras and I met with Peter Fleck outside the Seward Market on 25th and E Franklin Av. Mr Fleck lives just south and west of Seward Market and on 1-6-10 was walking east in the alley behind this store when he heard gunshots. Mr Fleck said after the gunshot, he saw at least one person run southbound from the front of the market. Mr Fleck told us he ran east across 25th Av S and believes there was a second person running from Seward Market but could not give a clear description of either one. Mr Fleck said he continued east in the alley then north toward E Franklin. Mr Fleck said he went back west toward the Seward Market where he saw two bodies lying in the doorway. Mr Fleck said he called 911 and waited for the police to arrive.

I took a Q/A statement from Mr Fleck and we left the market. Sgt Porras and I drove down to Shabella Grocery at 2321 E Franklin Av. There we met with the owner Abdurazak Omer. Mr Omer said his brother Mahdi was working the store on the evening of 1-6-10 when two males entered their store. These males were acting very suspicious and eventually were given cigarettes just so they would leave their store. Mr Omer said he his



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brother Mahdi told him he knew one of these males to be Mahdi Ali because he lives in the neighborhood and frequents their store. Mr Omer said just minutes after these two males left, his brother Mahdi told him the three men in the Seward Market were shot and killed.

Mr Omer agreed to let us look at his surveillance system so we can review the images captured on the evening of 1-6-10. Mr Omer said their security system is very difficult to navigate and was unable to bring up the images for that evening. It was decided he would contact their security company and have them find the needed footage for us.

On 1-19-10 I met with Mr Omer and Steve Schlachter from Protection Sevices, Inc. Mr Schlachter also attempted to view the surveillance footage from the evening of 1-6-10 but he was also unsuccessful. It was decided I would take the store's surveillance DVR and after property inventory, would request our MPD Crime Lab attempt to retrieve the needed images. DVR PI# 10-1889. Also inventoried with the DVR were CD-Rs of interviews with Abshir Ase and the scales interview with Ahmed-Shire Ali.

On 1-19-10 at about 1345 hours, Sgt Porras and I met with Ahmed-Shire Ali in HCJ. Ahmed was given a copy of the court order directing him to provide us with a sample of his DNA. With a kit supplied by the MN BCA, Sgt Porras obtained two buccal swabs from the inside of Ahmed's mouth. These swabs were secured inside a sealed envelope and property inventoried under PI # 10-1907.

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Subject 53-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 02/03/2010
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Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 02/03/2010 14:11

Reviewing telephone calls placed by Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob 1-1-93 while housed in the Carver County Jail, Sgt Porras and Sgt Kjos noted phone calls from Mahdi Ali to cell phone number 13.82.

On 1-28-10 Mahdi can be heard speaking with a female who investigators later identify as 13.82 13.82 , dob 13.82 . During this call Mahdi asks 13.82 what she is hearing and she tells him she's hearing he is a killer. Mahdi tells 13.82 he is innocent of the murder charges, further telling her he was with Ahmed and Abdi about an hour before this murder happened. Mahdi he heard telling 13.62 he saw Abdi with a gun and Abdi was telling him that "he" meaning Abdi liked to do "missions" and robberys. On the day of the murders, Mahdi is telling 13.82 that he got scared when he saw Abdi with the gun so he dropped both Ahmed and Abdi off and went home to "chill". Mahdi can be heard telling 13.82 he was home watching the news when he heard of the homicides.

Duri same phone conversation, Mahdi can be heard asking 13.82 to call 612When 13.82 asks why, Mahdi tells 13.82 because he was with ay at the moment everything happened. Mahdi is heard saying he needs "him" to come to court to testify.

During the course of the tigation, Sgt Porras and I learned cell phone bearing the number 612- was being used Ahmed Dahir Farah, dob 11-15-91.

Another call from Mahdi to 13.82 was placed on 1-31-10. It is during this conversation 13.82 states her full name and date of birth so she can be placed on Mahdi's visiting list. While listening, investigators heard Mahdi tell 13.82 he has a "plan" and he needs 13.82 to come to court and testify for him. Mahdi again asks 13.82 to get a hold of his friends so he can clarify with them that they were together "that day".

The phone calls will be property inventoried and transcribed on a later date.

It was learned 13.82 13.82 is a student at 13.82 towthorcoment School in south Minneapolis. On 2-2-10 Sgt Porras and I met with 13.82 in MPD Officer Tapp's office. We explained to 13.82 we were investigating the murders of three men from 1-6-10 and we would like to talk to her about that investigation.

13.82 was asked how she knows Mahdi Ali and she said he was her boyfriend. We asked 13.82 when she last spoke with Mahdi and she said just this weekend he called her from jail. We asked 13.82 what phone number does Mahdi call her at and she said on her cell,

Sgt Porras and I conducted recorded Q/A interview with 13.82. Please see the transcript of that interview for complete details of our conversation. The interview in brief:

13.82 said she speaks with Mahdi about once or twice a week. During these conversations, 13.82 said Mahdi tells her he is innocent of the murders he is

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charged with. 13.82 said Mahdi told her he thinks Ahmed is saying Mahdi was with him during the murder because he doesn't want to say it was his cousin Abdisalan.

13.82 further stated Mahdi is asking her to testify at court that she was with him one night at a gas station. Apparently Mahdi wants 13.82 to say she was with Mahdi when they saw Abdisalan Ali's brother do "something bad". We asked 13.82 if she knew what Mahdi was talking about and she said she did not. At that point we ended the interview.

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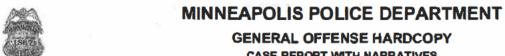


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        Yes.
        And your brother is 13.82
Q.
R.
        And once you got home to your 1382 Law Enforcement address did you ever leave?
Q.
R.
Q.
        Did you, do you know a male by the name of MAHDI ALI?
R.
        Yes.
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         13.82 - Law Enforcem
         -13.82 - Law Enfor
                                   Then was the last time you saw MAHDI?
        A week before this happened this murder.
R.
        This murder happened a week prior to that?
0.
R.
        Yes.
                       13.82 - Law Enforcement
Q.
        13.82
        So you, did you see MAHDI on January 6, 2010?
Q.
R.
        Did you talk to him on the phone?
Q.
        No.
R.
Q.
        So you didn't meet him?
R.
        Do you know where MAHDI was that day?
0.
R.
0.
        Since MAHDI has been arrested have you spoken to him?
R.
0.
        How do you get a hold of him?
        He calls me.
R.
        How does he call you?
Q.
        From the jail.
R.
        Did he call you at a certain phone number?
Q.
R.
        Yes.
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                               During those phone conversations does he speak of
the murders on Franklin Avenue?
        No he doesn't. He doesn't tell me what happened that night. He just
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tells me that he is innocent.
       That he is innocent.
Q.
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        Yes.
Q.
        Does he say, does he have a theory about what happened or who did this?
        Yeah the other day he said that AHMED is probably accusing him because
they have him on camera with AHMED at the Impound Lot and he probably was
thinking like oh yeah I was with MAHDI and they probably are looking at all
the stuff that I did and seen that I was with him at the Impound Lot so why
don't I just accuse him instead of accusing my cousin.
Ο.
        And his cousin is who?
R.
        ABDISALON.
        ABDISALON and is his last name ALT?
Ο.
       His last name is SALON.
Q.
       But ABDISALON is AHMED's cousin?
R.
        Yes.
       When you say he is trying to accuse me AHMED.
Q.
R.
       AHMED.
       AHMED is trying to accuse.
0.
        MAHDI.
R.
        MAHDI.
Q.
        Yes.
R.
Q.
        Because MAHDI and AHMED were together at the Impound Lot?
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Did everything you tell us is this the truth to the best of your knowledge?

13.82 - Law Enforcement

13.82 - Law Enforcement

Yes.

13.82 - Law Enforcement

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END OF INTERVIEW



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Subject 55-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 02/08/2010
Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Feb-08-2010 9:47

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 02/08/2010 09:47
While reviewing supplements in this case, it was noted James Gerald Bratt,
dob told uniformed officers he saw a black male standing in the
alley behind his house not long after the shootings at the Seward Market on
1-6-10.

Sgt Porras and I went into the Seward Market and spoke with the owner Fazel Warfa. We knew from earlier conversations another discarded cartridge casing (DCC) was found while Fazel and his family were cleaning their store after the shootings. We asked if they could show us exactly where the last DCC was found. Mr Warfa pointed to the counter containing the monitor for their computer and said the DCC was found inside an open tupperware dish that was setting there. Please note, this is the "L" shaped front service counter that has a longer surface running north/south and a shorter surface running east/west. The DCC was found on the shorter portion of the "L" counter directly behind the large computer monitor.

The DVR from the Shabella Grocery, 2321 E Franklin Av was signed out of property and evidence and brought to James Schroering, Forensic Video and Audio Analyst for TARGET Forensic Services, Minneapolis. Because neither the security company for Shabella Grocery or MPD Crime Lab were able to recover the images from this DVR, we asked Mr Schroering if he would make an attempt.

On 2-5-10 at about 0930 hours, I turned custody of this DVR over to Amanda Schuman, Assets Protection Forensic Lab Tech, TARGET Forensic Lab, Minneapolis. TARGET case number assigned to this case is MSP-10-0015. Sgt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit





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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Feb-09-2010 12:31

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 02/09/2010 12:31
PI #10-928 lines 1 and 2 were ordered from the MPD Property and Evidence
Warehouse. On 2-8-10 these items of evidence, the surveillance footage from
the Super America, 22nd and Lyndale Av S and surveillance footage from Mpls
Impound Lot were signed out. Per Gina Wernera Senior Paralegal with the
Hennepin County Attorney's office, it is the request of their office that
copies of these videos along with the surveillance video from 2025 Nicollet
Av S be made and the originals brought to James Schroering with TARGET
Forensic Services.

I first met with Lt Mike Kjos, Commander of the MPD Business Technology Unit requesting he assist me in creating copies. While in his office, I opened the envelope containing PI #10-928 lines 1 and 2 and removed the two jewel cases containing CD's. Both cases were sealed with red evidence tape, initialed "CJ" and dated 1-20-10. I broke the seal on both the jewel cases and gave the CD's to Lt Kjos. Lt Kjos was only able to make a copy of the surveillance footage from the Super America. I next opened the envelope containing the CD from, PI #10-1496, line 1, surveillance footage from 2025 Nicollet Av S. Inside I found a jewel case sealed with red evidence tape, initialed "CJ" and dated 1-20-10. I broke the seal on this tape and gave the CD to Lt Kjos who successfully copied it.

Sgt Porras and I next met with Ms Werner who was able to copy the CD containing the Impound Lot surveillance footage. All copies were left with Ms Werner.

Sgt Porras and I then met with James Schroering and Amanda Schuman, both with TARGET Forensic Labs. PI #10-928 lines 1 and 2 and PI #10-1496, line 1 were signed into their case under CCN MSP-10-0015.

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Subject 57-Supplement of For S K.Reynolds #005916 on 02/16
Author 5916 - REYNOLDS, KRISTIN (INACTIVE)

Related Date Feb-16-2010 17:17

Supplement of For S K.Reynolds #005916 on 02/16/2010 14:58 SUPPLEMENT OF K. REYNOLDS, F.S. - CRIME LAB/FIREARMS - 2/16/10 At the request of Sgt. Porras, of the MPD Homicide Unit, I retrieved the following evidence from the MPD Property Room for entry into IBIS: From P#3625:

Eight (8) envelopes containing factory (40 caliber) test-fires - entered into IBIS as follows:

Factory TF-Cl: Springfield Test Casing 13.82
Factory TF-C2: Springfield Test Casing 13.82

Factory TF-C3: Glock Test Casing NPR359
Factory TF-C4: Glock Test Casing NKP892
Factory TF-C5: S&W Test Casing DSJ1995
Factory TF-C6: S&W Test Casing FAH8719
Factory TF-C7: S&W Test Casing AD7035
Factory TF-C8: S&W Test Casing DTJ9833

The above factory test-fires were entered into IBIS for comparison with other like caliber casings.

As a result of IBIS, Factory TF-Cl was examined further:

Item - 16: One (1) discharged cartridge casing, "S&B 40 S&W", brass case, nickel primer, from Medium sized manilla envelope marked: Case #09007196, Officer: Jushua Ryan, Item: 09007196003-1, Springfield Test Casing, 1/8/2010.

Inside the sealed manilla envelope is a sealed white bullet envelope marked: 2-124-33, Springield, Inc., 420 West Main Street, Geneseo, IL 61254, FFL 13.82 - Law Enforcement . Make: SPRINGFIELD ARMORY, Model: XD-40, Gun Type: PISTOL, Caliber: 40SW, Serial #: 13.82 , Rifle Char: 6RH, Tech/Collector: ZIVCIC T., Signature: (Zivcic signature), Date: 03-04-2009.

RESULTS OF COMPARISON EXAMINATION:

Factory test-fire, listed above as Item - 16, was compared to Items 1 through 5 (40 S&W discharged cartridge casings previously listed in Supplement 34 of this case, 10-005090) and revealed the presence of matching features. This means that Items 1 through 5 are consistent with having been fired in the same firearm as Item - 16 (Factory Test-fire said to have come from Springfield XD-40, Serial 3.82).

Results were verified and evidence was re-sealed in its original packaging and returned to the MPD Property Room for inventory.

This is the report of conclusions of an examination performed by me.

K. Reynolds

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Related Date Mar-16-2010 14:05

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 03/16/2010 14:05 On 3-10-10 a CD-R containing the scales interview with Abdirahman Ali was property inventoried along with a CD-R containing the Q/A interview with 13.82 13.82

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Subject 59-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 03/24/2010
Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Mar-24-2010 9:30

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 03/24/2010 09:30

RE: Auto Zone video

During several interviews with Abdisalon Ali, he stated on 1-6-10 he was with Mahdi Ali and Ahmed Ali during the afternoon hours but was dropped off near home between 1830 and 1900 hours. When getting dropped off, Abdi said Mahdi pulled into the Auto Zone parking lot a half block south of his home. On 1-11-10 I spoke with Auto Zone Store Manager Luke Lukkonen and requested a copy of their surveillance footage for their parking lot on 1-6-10. After several weeks, I spoke with Mr. Lukkonen who said because of the very cold weather during the days leading up to 1-6-10, the exterior camera on the north end of their building was frozen in place and not functioning. Mr. Lukkonen further explained there were no images captured by that surveillance camera on 1-6-10.

RE: Administrative Subpoenas

Also during interviews with Abdisalon Ali, he said after he arrived home, he received a phone call from Ahmed Shire Ali's brother, Abdi. Ahmed's brother Abdi was asking if Abdisalon knew where Ahmed was. Abdisalon told Sgt Porras and I Ahmed's brother Abdi called from cell phone number 612 to either his house phone 612 or to his sister's cell phone

On 3-23-10, I walked to the Hennepin County Attorneys Office and met with Assistant County Attorney Bill Richardson. I presented Mr. Richardson with three Administrative Subpoenas requesting he review and sign my request to obtain phone records for cell phones bearing the numbers 612- and as well as the land line bearing the number 612-

Mr. Richardson did sign these documents and they were faxed to T-Mobile and Comcast requesting subscriber info along with all incoming and outgoing phone calls beginning 1-6-10, 1200 hours, CST and ending 1-7-10, 1200 hours, CST.

RE: Volunteers of America video

During interviews with Abdisalon Ali, Mahdi Ali and Ahmed Ali, they all stated Mahdi was driving a red FORD Crown Victoria when he picked Abdi and Ahmed up from school on 1-6-10. I contacted Dane Smith, Director of Volunteers of America and asked if his school had surveillance equipment for outside their school and he said they did. I asked if he would still have the images on the hard drive from 1-6-10 and Mr. Smith said they would not. I was told their system will only keep video footage for a couple days before it is written over.

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Type PASSWORD PROTECTED (CAPRS ONLY) Subject 60-Supplement of Sgt L.Porras #005786 on 04/05/201 Author 5786 - PORRAS, LUIS

Related Date Apr-05-2010 17:32

Supplement of Sqt L.Porras #005786 on 04/05/2010 17:32 On 03-31-2010 at approximately 1145 hours, Sqt Kjos and I went to HCJ and met with Mahdi Ali. Sqt Kjos and I explained to Ali that we were there to administer a buccal swab for his DNA. Ali told Sqt Kjos and I that his lawyer had taken a sample last week and that he was refusing to provide a sample at that time until he made contact with his lawyer. Sqt Kjos and I contacted Hennepin County Attorney Robert Streitz and relayed the following

Sgt Kjos and I were contacted later that day by Hennepin County Attorney Robert Streitz and he told us that the details had been worked out and that we could return to HCJ and get sample from Mahdi Ali.

On 04-01-2010, Sgt Porras went to HCJ and met with Mahdi Ali for the purpose of obtaining a buccal swab for his DNA. After the DNA samples were obtained and the BCA paperwork was completed, it was all inventoried in the MPD Property and Evidence Unit.

Sqt Luis Porras and Sqt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit



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Subject 61-Supplement of Off K.Jorgensen #003577 on 04/06/
Author 3577 - SCHMITZ, KARI T (INACTIVE)

Related Date May-20-2010 12:52

Supplement of Off K.Jorgensen #003577 on 04/06/2010 23:28
On 3/27/10, I received a request from Sgt. Porras and Sgt. Kjos, Homicide, to examine items from this case for bloodstain evidence.
On 3/27/10, I obtained PI # 10-775 from the Property and Evidence Unit and on 3/29/10 I examined and photographed the following items.
Line 1 - a pair of black jeans 'Paco Jeans', size 32x33, with black belt with silver and black 'Playboy Bunny' buckle. A small blood like substance (BLS) stain (approximately 2mm) was found on the inside of the right front pocket. This was located on the inner portion of the pocket.
Line 2 - a pair of blue jeans 'Supplus', size 30x32L, no BLS was readily

Line 2 - a pair of blue jeans 'Supplus', size 30x32L, no BLS was readily visible. While doing the exam, a nickel, a tissue, and a receipt were located in the pockets. The nickel was removed and property inventoried. Line 3 - a pair of blue jeans 'Union Bay', size 34x34, various stains were observed on the jeans, however they did not appear to be BLS.

Line 9 - one dark grey hooded sweatshirt 'Hanes', size XL, no BLS was readily visible. Stains that appear to be bleach stains were observed on the sweatshirt.

Lines 4-8 and line 10 were not requested to be examined and therefore were not examined.

All items were returned to the Property Room.

I hereby certify that this is the report of the conclusions of an examination performed by \mbox{me} .

Officer Jorgensen

Minneapolis Police Department

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Subject 62-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/08/2010
Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Apr-08-2010 17:46

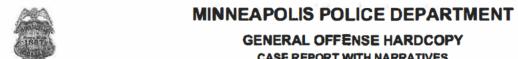
Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/08/2010 17:46
On 3-30-10 multiple items of evidence were requested to be brought from the MPD Property and Evidence Warehouse to the MPD Property and Evidence Room. These items included DNA sample from the wire rack - scene; clothing recovered during the search warrant at Mahdi Ali's apartment; BLS swabs and the floor mats from the red Crown Vic, buccal swab from Ahmed Ali and the bloodstain pred and fingernail clippings from all three victims.
On 3-31-10, the above items were signed out of MPD Property and Evidence Room and brought to the MN BCA for analysis and DNA comparisons.
On 4-5-10 several more items of evidence were requested to be brought from the MPD P/E Warehouse to the MPD P/E Room. These items include the Timberland Boots found in the trunk of the red Crown Vic; clothing worn by Mahdi Ali and Ahmed Ali when arrested; and a metal bar from the front door of the Seward Market.

On 4-8-10, the above items were signed out of the MPD P/E Room and brought to the MN BCA for analysis and DNA comparisons.

MN BCA Lab number assigned to this case is \$10-04811.

Sqt Ann Kjos

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Related Date Apr-08-2010 19:36 Supplement of Sqt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/08/2010 19:36 RE: Response from Administrative Subpoenas On 4-1-10 I received a response from Comcast regarding the Administrative Subpoena I sent requesting the incoming and outgoing phone calls for phone number 612-353-5910, beginning 1-6-10, 1200 hours and ending 1-7-10, 1200 Based on the provided information, Comcast was unable to find any information responsive to my Subpoena. It appears 612incorrect home phone number for 2912 Clinton Av S, Mpls. On 4-7-10 I received a response from T-Mobile regarding the Administrative Subpoena I sent requesting the subscriber information and incoming and outgoing phone calls for phone number 612-2 beginning 1-6-10, 1200 hours and ending 1-7-10, 1200 hours. The billing name and address for cell phone number 612-Mpls, MN 55408. Two additional phone numbers on the subscriber info is listed as Telephone 1: 612-Reviewing the incoming and outgoing phone calls from T-Mobile for this phone, it is noted cell phone 612-(Abdi, Ahmed Shire Ali's brother's phone) called twice on 1-6-10; 16:46 hours and 18:28 hours. same day at 18:51 hours, cell phone 612 called 612 Still no response from T-Mobile regarding requested records for 612-The phone records for cell phone 612-2 and the letter from Comcast

will be property inventoried. Sgt Ann Kjos

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Subject 64-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/22/2010
Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Apr-22-2010 8:45

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/22/2010 08:45 While reviewing digitally recorded video and corresponding supplements, it was noted the transcript for our second inteview with Amir Farah was mistakenly dated 1-19-10. This interview took place in a recorded interview room in our offices on 1-13-10. The transcript for this interview is memorialized in Supplement number 51. Sgt Ann Kjos



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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Apr-22-2010 8:59

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/22/2010 08:59
On_4-22-10 at about 0800 hours I property invetoried several items to include:

- 1. A copy of this cases Incident Detail Report
- 2. CD-R containing 911 calls
- 3. CD-R interview with 13.82 Law Enforcement
- 4. CD-R interview with Mahdi Ali, 1-10-10
- 5. CD-R interview with the family of Ahmed Ali
- 6. CD-R interview with 13.82 13.82 13.82
- 7. Scales/CD-R interview with Abdirahman Ali
- 8. Copy of an Email from Crimestoppers RE: Tip
- 9. Quantity of miscellaneous Mahdi Ali DMV documents

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Subject 66-Supplement of Sgt W.Palmer #005429 on 04/26/201

Author 5429 - PALMER, WILLIAM

Related Date Apr-27-2010 7:09

Supplement of Sqt W.Palmer #005429 on 04/26/2010 12:38 On Wednesday January 6th, 2010 at approximately 2000 hours I was called by a dispatch supervisor and asked to contact Car 710, Sqt. Karakostas, regarding a possible triple homicide in the Third Precinct. I contacted Sqt. Karakostas who informed that indeed there was a triple homicide at 2431 Franklin Ave East and he asked that I respond to assist with gathering media. By 2045 I had received several calls from local media on the case. I arrived at the scene around 2100 hours where I was briefed by homicide investigators and the street supervisor, Sgt Pleoger. I then conducted a media briefing on the case. I stayed at the scene and continued to provide assistance to both the media and command staff until approximately midnight. I was within the outer perimeter of the scene but at no time did I cross the inner perimeter or enter the store where the crime had occurred. While at the scene I was approached by a male who told me that a woman in the crowd might have suspect information. The woman was identified as Shukri Ay Farah, (Date of birth address home phone 612-423-3146 and cell phone 763-331-0090) and said that a couple of hours before this incident she had been in the store and 2-3 younger males had been in the store harassing the clerk. The clerk had eventually ordered them out of the store due to their behavior. Farah thought that these males might have been related to the homicide. I turned over the woman's information and the synopsis of what she said to Sergeant A. Kjos from the Homicide Unit.

On Thursday, January 7 2010, I attended the vigil for the victims along with Chief Dolan. Shortly after arriving at the scene I noted that traffic was gridlocked around the location. I contacted the street supervisor on duty, Sgt. Pleoger, and asked that he provide resources to deal with the issue. He told me that there were no squads available due to stacked priority 1 calls. Later in the evening I assisted Inspector Gerold, Lt. Ostlund and two patrol officers in traffic control around the event. After it appeared that the traffic problem was resolved the Inspector, the Lt and the patrol officers cleared but the traffic problem re-emerged. I then spent approximately 45 minutes directing traffic in the area.

Over the next few days I was contacted numerous times by multiple local and national news organizations surrounding this case. On Friday January 8th I was in the Chief's office when I was approached by Julie Sikora (Chief of Patrol's secretary) who informed me that there was a man in the Admin Office lobby who wanted to speak with an officer. I had a conversation with this male and he provided what I felt to be credible information regarding this case. I contacted Sgt. A. Kjos and arranged for this man to meet with her. Following the first arrest in this case I conducted on-camera interviews on Saturday 1-10-2010 with all major media outlets. On Sunday, January 11th, at the request of Chief Allen I arranged a press conference for the Chief and the Mayor to discuss developments in the case including the arrest of a



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second suspect.

On Wednesday, January 13, 2010 I was contacted by a local reporter covering the case. He informed me he thought case investigators should contact the business owner for a follow-up on an issue. I passed this along to the investigators.



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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Apr-27-2010 7:05

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On 4-26-10 at about 1300 hours, Sgt Porras and I met with Christa Thorne, dob Christa is an Assistant Manager at Wilson Outlet Coat Factory located at 1312 Glenwood Av N, Minneapolis, MN. During the course of this investigation, Sgt Porras and I learned in the hours after school on 1-6-10, Ahmed Ali, Abdi Ali and Mahdi Ali went to several businesses. According to Abdi Ali, one of the stores they visited was Wilson Outlet Coat Factory on Glenwood Av N in Minneapolis.

On 1-13-10 I went to Wilson Coat Factory and spoke with Ms Thorne who said she remembers three males coming into the store on the afternoon of 1-6-10. Ms Thorne had said one of the males tried to steal a jacket and she was able to stop him and get the jacket without further incident. At that time, I showed Ms Thorne photos of Mahdi Ali, Ahmed Ali and Abdi Ali. Ms Thorne said these males were in her store on the afternoon of 1-6-10. During this conversation, I did not take a Q/A statement from Christa Thorne nor did I have her sign the photos I showed her.

Today, after explaining to Christa Sgt Porras and I needed a Q/A from her, she agreed and I activated my digital recorder. Please see the transcript of that interview. Our conversation in brief: Christa said she remembers the afternoon of 1-6-10 and the Somali males that came into the store. I showed Christa a photo of Ahmed-Shire Abdi Ali, dob 3-1-92 and she said this is the male she stopped while trying to leave their store with a stolen coat. I asked Christa to sign and date that photo. I next showed Christa photos of Abdisalan Ali and Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob 1-1-93. According to Christa both these males were with Ahmed Ali when he tried to steal a coat on 1-6-10. Christa signed and dated all the photos.

Before concluding the interview, I asked Christa if they had any coats stolen on 1-6-10 and she said they did. Christa said there was an empty hanger where all the SEAN JOHN coats were displayed. Christa said she did not know what color that coat would have been but it would have been a puffier type coat.

The interview was concluded. The photos signed by Christa will be property inventoried into this case.

Sgts Kjos and Porras Homicide Unit

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Subject 68-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/27/2010

Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Apr-27-2010 15:16

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 04/27/2010 15:16

TAPED STATEMENT OF CHRISTA THORNE - 04/26/2010

BY SGT KJOS/SGT PORRAS

CCN 10-005090

Transcribed by ht

- Q. We are the Wilson's Outlet Coat Factory at 1312 Glenwood Avenue North talking to CHRISTA THORNE. And CHRISTA your first name can you spell your first name?
- R. CHRISTA
- Q. And your last name THORNE?
- R. THORNE
- O. And your birth date is
- R. Correct.
- Q. I am going to be asking you questions regarding a murder that happened on January 6, 2010 and do you recall that day?
- R. Yes.
- Q. SGT PORRAS and I had come in here not long after January 6 and talked to you is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. During that time I showed you several photographs is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Those were because I had learned three Somali males had been into the coat factory in the afternoon of January 6 is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. And you had encountered with those three males is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Do you recall, did the three how many came into the store?
- R. There was four of them at the time.
- Q. And do you recall what they did in the store?
- R. Yep. Two of them came in to start with and they walked straight and through to the back corner of our store and then the other two followed. And they kept trying to go opposite to where the other two were to kind of keep us away from them so they could try and steal coats.
- Q. Did you know they were trying to steal coats?
- R. Yeah. It was pretty obvious.
- Q. Were you here alone?
- R. No I was with one of my sale associates at the time.
- Q. And I didn't go over this at first but you are an employee, you were an employee at that time is that correct?
- R. Yes correct.
- Q. So eventually did they leave the store or what happened?
- R. Two of them left immediately. One followed shortly after and then one tried to leave and he beeped on our security system when he was leaving.
- Q. What did that beep indicate to you?





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- R. That he had a stolen product on him.
- Q. And did you try to stop him?
- R. Yes I asked him to come back into the store. I asked him why he might be beeping, if we could figure it out. Sometimes cell phones set if off so I asked him if he had a cell phone on him. He said yes and then he said he lied he doesn't have that and then he said he doesn't know why he was beeping. I asked him well do you have product on you. He denied it. Well if you do I really would like you to hand it back to me and you can go on your way. At that point he was embarrassed because he saw the security system that we have at the front door and he walked to the back tried to hide the security sensor and then I was walking the entire time and said you know we're closed, the doors are locked. I had my cell phone on me. I am going to call the cops if you don't take off the clothes. So finally he ended up handing it over. I walked him out. That took maybe 15 to 20 minutes to do that entire time.
- Q. At any time did he indicate that he had a gun?
- R. He said he had a bb gun on him but he didn't want to show it to me and I didn't believe him. So he said he had it on him but he didn't want to show it to me and I knew if he had jacket so I just assumed he was trying to cover that up.
- Q. Well the guy that was trying to take the coat was he tall, short?
- R. He was taller than I am and I am $5'3 \ \mbox{$\frac{1}{2}$}$ so I would think he was probably between 5'6 and 5'8 and he was thin.
- Q. Thin?
- R. Yes.
- O. Do you know how old he was?
- R. Well he attempted to try to hit on me and he only looked like he was 16 and he said you would be surprised how I was, how old he was and said that he was probably about my age. So he said he was probably about 25.
- Q. Now I showed you some photographs is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Did I show you a photograph of a Somali male in a blue t-shirt?
- R. Yes you did.
- O. Did you recognize that male?
- R. Yes immediately.
- Q. Who did you recognize him to be?
- R. He was the one I just named.
- Q. The one that =
- R. Had stopped in the store yep and I had him stay and take off the jacket.
- Q. And did I have you, when I came into the store, several months ago; did I show you the same picture?
- R. Yes you did.
- And did I ask you to sign it at that time?
- R. You had me sign a piece of paper but I don't think it was that photograph. I don't recall.
- Q. Today did you sign this photo?
- R. Yes I did.
- Q. And you put today's date on it 4/26/10?
- R. Correct.
- Q. And then I showed you another picture of a Somali male wearing a red

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shirt is that correct?

- R. Yes.
- Q. And do you recognize that person?
- R. Yes I do.
- Q. Who do you recognize that person?
- R. He was one of the guys that was with him at the time that night.
- Q. Do you remember what he did in the store?
- R. He was the quieter one out of all of them. He was the one that walked around (inaudible) to the rest of them.
- Q. Do you remember what he was wearing or anything?
- R. He was wearing camouflage pants and I don't remember what kind of jacket but I remember the camouflage pants clearly because they were extremely baggy on him.
- Q. And then I showed you a third picture of a male wearing a green shirt is that correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Do you recognize this person?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Where do you recognize him from?
- R. He was also in the same group. He was one of the first ones in and the first ones out.
- Q. Do you remember what he did in the store?
- R. He came in; he walked all the way to the back. He was with the guy in the red shirt that walked to the back and then he left the guy in the red in the back corner of our store by himself and walked up the front to talk to us, asked us a few questions and left.
- Q. And you signed this picture and put today's date.
- R. Yes.
- Q. Now you said that there was four males that came into the store?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Do you remember, I only have three pictures? Do you remember the fourth one what he looked like?
- R. Not at this time anymore no.
- Q. Do you remember what he did in the store?
- R. He was, he was one of the first two with the guy in the green shirt. He came in immediately with them and he stayed up front and kept asking my associate questions after the guy in the red shirt came in. They both went to the corner and then he left shortly after the guy in the green.
- Q. Do you remember anything from that day that I didn't ask you?
- R. No not off the top of my head.
- Q. Do you remember was there, you stopped the guy in the blue shirt, you stopped him and you took a coat from him is that right?
- R. Yes correct.
- Q. Did you learn later that a coat was stolen that day?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Do you know what coat it was?
- R. I would assume it was a Sean John just because those are the only ones in that back corner and that's where we found an empty hanger.
- Q. What's a Sean John?
- R. A Sean John jacket its Sean John he did, he just makes a line of jackets.

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It's a puffier coat. Think we also had some faux shearling suede ones and some extreme big puffy ones so I am thinking he took one of the faux shearling ones, the fake suede.

Q. Do you know what color that coat was or anything?

R. No not anymore.

Q. Okay. Thank you very much

END OF INTERVIEW



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Subject 69-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 05/03/2010
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Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 05/03/2010 07:18
On 4-30-10 at about 1000 hours, I property inventoried photos viewed and signed by Christa Thorne. Also inventoried was the CD-R of Sgt Porras and my interview with Christa Thorne.
Sgt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit



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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date May-03-2010 14:02

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 05/03/2010 14:02 Early in February, 2010 Assistant Hennepin County Attorney Bob Streitz informed Sgt Porras and I he had recently been in contact with defense council representing Mahdi Hassan Ali. Mahdi Ali's defense council is making a claim with the courts on 1-6-10 Mahdi Ali was younger then 17 years.

Via phone, Sgt Kjos spoke with US Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Special Agent Jeremy Christenson regarding the above claim. Special Agent Christenson said he would research the immigration paperwork surrounding Mahdi Ali's admission into the United States.

On 2-17-10 Sgt Porras and I met with ICE Special Agent, Jeremy Christenson who provided us with copies of several immigration documents. These documents include a Registration for Classification as Refugee which the applicant's name is listed as Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob Jan 01, 93. This document is dated 02 July, 2002. All the provided documents consistently list the applicant's name and date of birth as Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob 1-1-93. A copy of all the provided documents was given to Mr. Streitz. On 5-3-10 a copy of the ICE documents were property inventoried into this case.

Sgts Kjos and Porras

Homicide Unit



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Subject 71-Supplement of Capt C.Leaf #004051 on 05/04/2010
Author 4051 - LEAF, CONSTANCE (INACTIVE)

Related Date May-20-2010 12:52

Supplement of Capt C.Leaf #004051 on 05/04/2010 12:16 on 01/06/2010 at approximately 2005 hours I was informed by FS D Anderson and FS Mink, who were assigned to Car 21, that they had been dispatched to 2431 Franklin Av E. (Seward Market and Halal Meats) regarding a robbery of business, involving a possible shooting. Shortly after this FS Anderson told me that there were three victims at the scene of this incident who were deceased.

I responded to the scene. A uniformed Minneapolis Police Officer was maintaining the crime scene log and logged me in. I met with FS Anderson and FS Mink outside the front entrance area of the store. FS Anderson informed me that suspects were believed to have entered and exited the scene through the front door. During the incident witnesses were thought to have gone into a walk-in cooler in the rear of the store.

In the front doorway I saw a deceased victim lying face down. The victims legs were extended outside the front door to the northeast and victims head was near the threshold of the front door. The door was open and resting against the victims left side. FS Anderson pointed out a discharged cartridge casing (DCC) outside the front door on the sidewalk and a DCC lying between this victims legs.

A second deceased victim was lying face down just inside the front door. This victims head was just in front of the sales counter and the victims legs were extended toward the front door.

I entered the store through a side door located at the south east side of building. In the aisle on the east side of the store, a third deceased victim was lying face down. This victims head was toward the north and the victims legs were extended to the southwest. Several racks near the third victim were displaced and items of merchandise items were lying around this victim.

Inside the store FS D Anderson pointed out a DCC on the floor near victim 2 and a DCC by the front window. There was a metal fragment on the floor near the victim lying in the east aisle. There was a hole in the ceiling near the front sales counter and a hole in the ceiling near the employee restroom. I asked FS Anderson and FS Mink if they needed any additional resources. They said Car 22 (FS Bunkers and FS Langness) would be arriving soon to assist in processing the scene. There was also potential video evidence at the scene and FS C Johnson was responding to process that evidence. FS D Anderson and FS Mink said that they believed these resources would be sufficient to process the scene.

Capt Connie Leaf Forensics Division



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Author UM0027 - LOMBARDI, PHIL (INACTIVE)

Related Date May-20-2010 12:52

Supplement of Off P.Lombardi #999937 on 05/09/2010 03:57
On the listed date and time, I responded to the Seward Market at the intersection of E Franklin and 25 Av S to assist MPD squads on a report of a shooting. Upon arriving at the scene, I removed my K9 Ivan from my squad and brought him to the area near the front entry way to the store. At the request of the MPD officers on scene, I attempted to track the route of escape left by the suspect/s.

K9 Ivan led me and my cover officer (Officer Printz) from the front of the store in a SB direction. The sidewalk was icy/snowy in spots, and the weather was cold. K9 Ivan tracked down 25 Av S towards E 22 St, but was unable to find a fresh scent. This track lasted approximately one half city block.

I returned K9 Ivan to my squad. Several minutes later, information was received that the possible escape route of the suspects may have led them to cross 25 Av S, then proceed EB in the alley behind the church on the SE corner of E Franklin and 25 Av S. I acted as cover officer as Officer Printz and his K9 attempted to track using that route. As we walked that route, there were numerous people, including a news crew who were walking towards us along the tracking path. Officer Printz' K9 led us behind the church and then SB in the alley 25-26th/Franklin-E 22nd St. Again, we had negative results.

Along that path, I checked garage roofs, garbage cans, and the areas between properties for possible evidence related to the shooting, but did not locate anything.

After speaking with the on scene MPD supervisor, he cleared us from the scene.



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Author 5786 - PORRAS, LUIS

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Supplement of Sgt L.Porras #005786 on 05/11/2010 09:59 Supplement of Sgt's Luis Porras and Sgt Ann Kjos 10-005090

Interview of 13.82 13.82 01-01-1985

Cn 05-08-2010 at approximately 1130hours, Sgt Kjos and I met with 13.82 in Room 108. Mr. 3.82 was placed into interview Room "F". It should be noted that interview room "F" is equipped with both video and audio to capture the interview.

The following is a summary of our interview with 13.82 13.82 please refer to transcript for exact details:

Sgt Kjos and I explained to Mr. 13.82 that we wanted to review the information that he had given to Sgt Kjos and I on 01-06-2010. Mr. 13.62 did acknowledge speaking with Sgt Kjos and I on 01-06-2010 in Room 108 with Officer Abdulahi.

Sgt Kjos and I asked Mr. 13.82 if he could recall what he told us night and if he would tell us again what was said. Mr. 13.82 told Sgt Kjos and I that he had talked to Mahdi about two weeks before the triple murder that occurred at the Seward Market. Mahdi had told Mr. 13.82 that he (Mahdi) had planned to rob the market because there was a cash wiring business inside the market.

Mr. 13.82 told Sgt Kjos and I that after the triple murder had occurred, he called Officer Abdulahi and told him that he had concerns that Mahdi may have had something to do with this based on what he (Mahdi) had told him earlier.

Sgt Kjos and I asked Mr. 13.82 how he knew of "Mahdi" and he said that he has a friend that lived in the same building that "Mahdi" did he would see him around the building. 13.82 told Sgt Kjos and I that he believed "Mahdi" lived in the building with his grandmother. 13.82 again told Sgt Kjos and I that he knew "Mahdi" to have a Caprice with a broken window and that he usually parked it on the second level of the parking ramp near or facing the Wells Fargo bank.

Sgt Kjos and I asked 13.82 if he had been following the news stories surrounding this triple murder. 13.82 said that he recently saw that the "Little kid" pled guilty already. Sgt Kjos showed 13.82 a picture of Mahdi Ali" and asked him if he knew that person. 13.82 said that he did. Sgt Kjos and I clarified to 13.82 that this picture has been shown on the news and if he knew this person from the news. 13.82 said he knew this person before the murders occurred.

Interview terminated Sgt Luis Porras and Ann Kjos Homicide Unit Case Open





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TAPED STATEMENT OF 13.82 13.82

BY SGT KJOS

CCN 10-005090

Transcribed by ht

Q. Hi. How are you?

R. Pretty good.

Q. Thank you for coming in.

SGT PORRAS

Q. Let's get the spelling of your first name please?

R. 13.82

Q. And your last name?

R. 13.82

Q. What is your birth date?

R. 13.82 just like everybody's.

Q. Just like everybody else's huh.

SGT KJOS

Q. Were you born here?

R. No I came here very young.

Very young.

R. Young yes.

SGT PORRAS

Q. 13.82 - Law Enforcement

R. Yes.

Q. What brought you here?

R. My older sister.

Q. Oh really.

R. Work and all that stuff.

SGT KJOS

Q. How does that work? Did you get sponsored?

R. Yes.

Q. So she sponsored you?

R. Yes.

Q. Okay.

SGT PORRAS

Q. And then that number that we have been calling you at that's a good number for you?

R. Good number for me yes.

Q. Okay. Well, thanks for coming in. I know that we have been trying to connect within the last week and your school and work and everything kind of been hectic. So we appreciate you coming in on a Saturday. We just kind of want to talk to you about the very first time we met you when the day that this happened or the night this happened which was January 6 and MO - OFFICER ABDULLAHI had brought you in that day right.

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SGT KJOS Q. Do you remember talking to us? Yeah, yeah, yeah. And do you remember why right? Q. R. Do you know this, one of the guys, you seen the news footage and everything? Yes. And you seen their pictures on the news and everything. Q. Yes. I don't need pictures. I know the guy too. Oh you know him. So you didn't need the pictures from the news? No I didn't know him like you know like on a day to day basis but I know of him and he used to be around the area, the hood, Cedar. SGT PORRAS And you work at BRIAN COYLE? Q. I used to. I don't work there no more. R. Did they ever play basketball there? Did they ever come to the center? You know not the little one but ARMED he used to just follow around, just around. 0. AHMED. R. Yeah. And you said you knew his older brother. No. There's AHMED SHIRE and then there's the one that actually did it. I forgot his name. Q. MAHDI. Yeah MAHDI yep. Okay so. Q. So MAHDI just used to be around. Q. Oh MAHDI did. Yeah but then the other kid I mean not really. His older brother is from the other side too. SGT KJOS By the little kid who are you talking about when you say the little kid?

- R. The one that was just convicted.
- Q. The one that's -
- R. AHMED.
- Q. That plead guilty.
- R. AHMED.

SGT PORRAS

Q. AHMED.

SGT KJOS

- Q. So when you say the little kid.
- R. AHMED ALI right.
- Q. Yeah. Yep. So you mean AHMED ALI when you say the little kid.
- R. Yeah.
- Q. and then and then -
- R. And MAHDI is the quy we are here for all this.

SGT PORRAS

Q. Okay. So when you were talking to us back in January you told us that now was it MAHDI that had told you about kind of wanting to rob that place.



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- R. Yeah okay so you know like that same building he lives in I have a college friend that me and him used to go to college together and everything that lives there you know. So I used to come to him and you know I park on the second floor and came down you know talk. I tell sometimes you know apartment kind of we use his car he has a better car and we just go out in the night hang out you know. So I know this guy from the area from like Cedar. I ran into him a couple of times. You know he is always yells hi standing outside you know like one thing that I know that I knew of him that I had an assumption of what was like he was not really involved in anything that we usually do at the center. And it was always like trying to make that next move okay so what do I need steal. MAHDI.
- Q. MAHDI is who you are talking about right now?
- R. Yeah. Yeah. What do I need to steal like you know I need to steal this person's phone so I can sell it for you know \$20, \$30 whatever you know.
- Q. So he was always like hustling.
- R. Yeah. But then he was like hustling like to where he would go buy weed and then he will just sell it. He was just a stupid hustler where he would steal something, sell it, you know smoke weed and then steal something, sell it, smoke weed you know. He is not, he is not a smart criminal, he is just dumb ass. So you know and these kids you know I know MOHAMED ABDUALLAHI he was a cop. I talked to him about anything. You know like I come off and you know all right. Like MOHAMUD we know you from the north side you know like I didn't really gang bang but these guys that used to you know like they never really got into for me.
- Q. Right.
- R. Because of my past or whatever. But they don't see me as you know like the way they see ABDI who works at the center right now.
- Q. Right.
- R. You know so I mean I could talk to him about anything like.
- He trusted you and he confided in you.
- R. Yeah. If he is carrying something like like you know like I could know about it and then like I mean sometimes I guess if I know he is a dumb ass, MOHAMUD ABDULLAHI would know.
- Q. Right.
- R. You know but then like some, there is some guys that carry and I'll be honest with you. I know you guys are cops. I just can't do nothing about because I know if he is not carrying, I know hes going to be killed, you know.
- Q. Right. Right.
- R. So but.
- Q. So when was the first time that MAHDI had told you about it?
- R. That he was going to do this right?
- Q. Right.
- R. Like it was like two weeks prior. You know like we're talking.
- Q. Where were you talking to him at?
- R. Right in front of his building you know while I'm waiting for ah, Yeah I parked right on you know like here is the tall building right..
 SGT KJOS
- Q. You mean by tall do you mean where MAHDI lives?
- R. Yeah where he lives. I don't know if its with his grandma I don't know



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who, with his brother, I don't know who him live with. But here is that building where there's the Franklin side where the incident happened and there is the freeway side. So I am on the freeway side parked out there waiting for this guy. I saw him. I came out of the car you know I shook his hand and we were talking. And he was like you know he was talking about two things. He was talking about robbing the gas station that was right on the other side of the freeway.

SGT PORRAS

SGT KJOS

Q. By the coffee shop?

R. Yep by the coffee shop and then he was talking about also doing that, that little grocery store SEWARD first and money wiring place on the second floor. That's where he was talking about or used to be. You know the guy I don't know how he knows these things but he knew like that like these sort of things you know.

Q. Did he actually say the SEWARD MARKET or did he just kind of point to it? R. No he said the second floor like money wiring place it's like a money transferring place. It used to be if its still there I am not sure or maybe you know the store took over and they did both things there. So he was like you know I am going to go rob that place like I already know about it. He said like he went in and like he knows that you know there isn't any like any cameras that he should worry about. He said usually there is two or three people there. So you know I just went off that assumption. I heard the incident. You know and then I called MOHAMUD you know that's my guy then I was like you you know like I think you know and like when I came here I said I don't know want to make any you know misjudge you guys or lead you in anyway but this is who I think might have you know.

- Q. Something to do with it.
- R. Something to do with it.

SGT KJOS

- Q. At the time did he say if he had a gun or how he was?
- R. I knew he had a gun.
- Q. You know he had a gun
- R. Yeah.
- O. How come?
- R. He, he had, well he had a stolen .357 but when he was telling me he was like oh you know that was like one of the Cedar kids and it got tooken away that's why he needed to hustle for it, that's why he needed to hustle for money. I don't know who it got tooken away but this one guy this other guy.
- Q. What gun the gun got taken away?
- R. Yeah.
- Q. So his .357 got taken away?
- R. That's what he said. That's why; I say that's why he is trying to hustle for like money or whatever you know.
 SGT PORRAS
- Q. Have you ever seen him with a gun before at any time?
- R. One time you know like "mobi" like that other guy that lives in Cedar came to me and told me like don't you see you can't be moving like that he had something.

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- Q. Did you ever see it?
- R. I didn't see the chrome.

SGT KJOS

- Q. Do you know what kind of car MAHDI had?
- R. Yeah he had an old Caprice with the busted window I told you guys about.
- Q. You did tell us about that at the time?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Did you tell us where it was parked?
- R. Yep.
- O. Where?
- R. Usually like he used to park on the second floor of that same ramp.
- Q. And then it had a busted window?
- R. Yes.
- Q. And you said it always parked did you say closer to the bank or something like that or?
- R. •n the side of the bank because I think it was messed up or he didn't have a license that he didn't really move the car but like he just.
- Q. So he always parked it out on the second floor of that when you say his apartment building where he lived?
- R. Yeah there's an apartment and then there is a ramp that has a garage and then we have the second floor where we park.
- Q. How come you knew that I mean you saw it?
- R. Who me?
- Q. Yeah.
- R. Like I know a lot of things you know because I live here so $l \bullet n \bullet g$ you know a lot about these guys.

SGT PORRAS

Q. How long have you known this guy?

SGT KJOS

- O. MAHDI.
- R. Ever since like ever since he probably come around Cedar like you know. He went from this guy I don't know what to tell you its like a schizophrenic but then one day he will be at the mosque you know like wearing the kameez the whole nine yards you know like the whole white wardrobe.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. Yeah.
- R. And the next day he would be all liquored up and the next day he is all like you know like I'm a hard core gangster so like he was never.
- Q. One way.
- R. One way so I mean like and he was times like that I just move off of him you know.

SGT KJOS

- Q. What do you know about AHMED, AHMED SHIRE?
- R. AHMED SHIRE like I know his older brother, BIG COLLINS, and I know he's been through SOL and that's about it.
- Q. Is he violent, does he ever get in a fight; did he rob people, steal form people?
- R. You know I'll be honest. I was talking to BART (sp?) right like one of the older guys and he is like, he was telling me that that same night they, they was tegether like three or four of them and the separated into two cars



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and this guy was like how you know. He was like give, give AHMED a ride and like supposedly he was supposed to take him home and then that's when all you know like after we got smoking or whatever came up with this idea and then he initially told the guy a lie. Like that's I am just telling you street word. Don't think this is how I know all the rest or whatever. He is saying like hey you know like my car was impounded so I need to take that out. You know and this is how this came to play. I don't know if I'm like any help or whatever.

Q. Yeah. You're -

SGT KJOS

Q. You're a great (inaudible) help.

SGT PORRAS

Q. Yeah and that's why we needed you to come down so we can just make sure that we kind of covered everything from the first time we talked to you. You know everything was very very fast paced and it was very early in the morning when you came down so.

SGT KJOS

- Q. Did you know his name back then? I can't remember if you told us his name?
- R. I think I told you like -
- Q. Where he lived.
- R. Where he lived, first who he was, how he looked.
- Q. And then you told us the car he drove.

SGT PORRAS

Q. The car he drove.

SGT KJOS

- Q. But that was all you could do because you didn't know his name.
- R. Yeah. I figured that you know since MOHAMUD ALI was always up and about in the hood or the area that he could just go scoop down there and put in his face.
- Q. Yeah.
- R. But other than that this guy.
- Q. I am going to show you a picture. So we are talking about the right guy. (Inaudible) and that's who?
- R. Yep.
- Q. That's who?
- R. That's MAHDI right there.

SGT PORRAS

O. MAHDI.

SGT KJOS

Q. Can you sign that and put today's date on there.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. And you know like I said I am sure you have been watching the news and stuff so you have seen this picture before.
- R. 5 ah?
- Q. Eight. That is still the same guy that you had talked to once before.
- R. Yeah the same guy.
- Q. Everything is good.

SGT KJOS

Q. Thank you very much.

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SGT PORRAS

Q. Thanks for your time.

R. Yeah.

Q. Walk you out.

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On about 2-22-10 Sgt Porras and I learned 13.82 13.82 had been arrested for violating his probation. After speaking with his mother 13.82 and his Hennepin County Probation Officer, Barbara Munis it was explained 13.82 was caught smoking marijuana. A hearing was ordered to determine if 13.82 probation would be revoked and he would be sent back to prison for the remainder of his sentence.

13.82 mother, Ms Osman said she has spoken to 13.82 and stated he is very sorry for smoking marijuana. Ms Osman asked if Sgt Porras and I could speak with the Hennepin County Attorney's Office and let them know he is very sorry and will try hard to follow the rules laid out by the courts if he was allowed to leave jail.

I spoke with Assistant Hennepin County Attorney Stuart Shapiro and told him

13.82 is a witness in an ongoing murder investigation. I explained

13.82 mother had contacted me and asked if I could convey to Mr. Shapiro

13.82 regrets for violating his probation. Mr. Shapiro was informed of

our initial concerns for 13.82 safety because of the school he attended

but had received assurances from 13.82 mother that she was in the

process of transferring 13.82 to a school closer to their home.

Mr. Shapiro said he would request the judge order 13.82 to attend and

participate in a drug treatment program and ask that he be released from

jail.

I learned 13.82 was released from jail but was ordered to attend and participate in a drug treatment program.

On 4-27-10 Sgt Porras was contacted by 3.82 stating he had been arrested for violating the terms of his probation. Sgt Porras visited 13.82 that next day then I visited him on 4-30-10. 13.82 told both Sgt Porras and I he was violated because he did not participate in the drug treatment program he was ordered to attend. 13.82 said he skipped some treatment dates and on other days, he attended but did not participate. 13.82 again said he knew he was violating the terms of his probation by not participating in the drug treatment program and asked if Sgt Porras and I would give him another chance. When asked what he meant by that, 13.82 asked if we would speak with the Hennepin County Prosecutor on his behalf and request he not send him to prison for the full 60 months left on his sentence.

I spoke with Assistant Hennepin County Attorney Bob Streitz and informed him of 13.82 arrest and his desire for a lesser sentence for his probation violation. Mr Streitz researched 13.82 originating crime and told me was arrested for at least two armed robberys. Mr Streitz said cooperated with both officers and prosecutors during the adjudication of these robbery cases. Detectives determined during the course of the robbery investigation, accomplice did. It was established 13.82 would take property from victims

while the other suspect held a gun on them.

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Mr Streitz told me 13.82 only violent crime arrest was the above Robbery and his other arrests consist of minor drug possession charges. I called Mr Shapiro from the Hennepin County Attorney's office but only reached his voice mail. I left a message asking if he would call me regarding 13.82 13.82.

On 5-10-10 Mr Shapiro returned my phone call. I explained our conversations

with 13.82 and his desire to not be sent to prison for 60 months. I told Mr Shapiro that 13.62 understands why his probation was violated and knew he needed to go back to jail for a time. I told Mr Shapiro I was not asking him to give 13.82 any consideration on our behalf but explained I had promised 13.82 I would speak with the prosecutor. 13.82 wanted the prosecutor to know he knows he messed up while on probation and if put in a program while in jail, he will participate completely and as ordered by the courts.

Sgt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit

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Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 05/13/2010 08:09 During my visit with 13.82 on 4-30-10, I asked him for the name and home address of the male who called Crime Stoppers with information similar to what he told us very early on in this investigation. 13.82 said his name is 13.82 but he has no idea where he lives. 13.32 said he knows his phone number is 13.82 I returned to my office and searched CAPRS for first 13.82 but there were too many in our computer system to distinguish the 13.82 I was searching for from all the other 13.82. I next search by phone number and found one entry listing 13.82 as the contact number.

13.82 - Law Enforcement gave 13.82 as his cell phone number.

A DL photo for

13.82 - Law Enforcement was printed and on 5-4-10 Sat Porras and I again met with 13.82 in HCJ. Showing the photo of 13.82 ow Enlarcement we asked 13.82 if he recognized this male and he said he did not. We explained to 13.82 we were trying to identify the male who notified Crime Stoppers with the same info he gave us. 13.82 again said his friend's name is 13.82 but this time we were told his phone number is 13.82 . We asked 13.82 if Mohamed had ever been arrested

in Mpls and he said he was.

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A photo of 13.82 - Law Enforcement , dob 13.82 was printed and on 5-5-10 I met with 13.82 in HCJ. I showed 13.82 the photo of 13.82 and immediately he said this is his friend who contacted Crime Stoppers while he came in to the police department to speak with investigators. I had 13.82 sign the photo and it will be property inventoried into this case. Sgt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit

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Supplement of Off J.Okerberg #005276 on 05/18/2010 14:38
Statement of Inv. Dave Schiebel, State Police DOC Fugitive Unit
On 1/6/2010, at approx 2030hrs, Ch 1 broadcasted Robbery/Shooting at 2431
East Franklin. I responded from 29th and Franklin, and arrived in minutes.
Other officers were on scene. I provided cover for officers entering the store. Once it was code 4 inside, I drove in the area looking for suspects. I found nothing.



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Supplement of Sgt L.Porras #005786 on 05/20/2010 12:46 Supplement of Sgt Porras and Sgt Kjos 10-005090

Regarding interview of Witness "X" at Carver County Jail
On 02-05-2010, Sgt Kjos and I were contacted by Detective Sonenstahl.
Detective Sonenstahl told us that an inmate at Carver County Jail had approached a deputy and told them that Mahdi Ali was bragging about the charges he was been held on and bragging about other crimes he had committed. I told Detective Sonenstahl that we would go out to Carver County Jail to interview this individual.

On 02-08-2010 Sgt Kjos and I went to Carver County Jail and met with Witness 'X'. It should be noted that Witnesses "X" is extremely fearful for his safety and the safety of his family that he would rather not be named in this report. Sgt Kjos and I do have the name of this witness but for the purpose of this report he will be referred to as witness 'X".

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Witness X continued to express his concerns about his safety and decide that he was not going to give Sgt Kjos and I a taped statement that day. Witness X said that he would have to think about it. Sgt Kjos and I presented him with our cards and told him to call us when he was ready to talk. It should be noted that during this brief interview with Witness X we learned that he was currently in custody for a

13.82 - Law Enforcement

13.82 - Law Enforcement

On 03-09-2010, Sgt Kjos and I went to the Carver County where we met with Witness "X". We again asked Witness X if he had thought anymore about his decision to give us a taped statement about what he was told by Mahdi Ali. Witness X told us gain that he was afraid for his safety and that his name was going to get out and people would know that he talked to the police. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that what Ali did was wrong and that he shouldn't get away with what he did. It was at that point, that Witness X decided that he would give Sgt Kjos and I a taped statement. The following is a summary of the conversation of the taped statement with

Witness X. Please refer to CD for exact details: Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that back in January of 2010,

13.82 - Law Enforcement

told Witness X

that Mahdi Ali was in jail for the killing of three people. Witness X didn't believe 13.82 at first it wasn't until Witness X, "13.82" and Mhadi Ali were all in the common area that the conversation came up. Witness X said that it was him, "13.82" and Mahdi and they were watching the "First



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48" hours. Witness X said that while they were watching the T.V. show, Mahdi was telling him and "13.82" how not to get caught in a murder. Witness X said Mahdi said you have to be careful of fingerprints on guns and you get rid of the gun. Witness X said that 13.82 told Mahdi to show him (Witness X) his papers to prove to witness X that he (Mahdi) was in jail for homicide. Witness X said that Mahdi returned to his cell and when he came back to the TV area he had the papers under his shirt.

Witness X said that Mahdi appeared apprehensive of showing his charge papers but he finally pulled them from under his shirt and handed them to Witness X. Witness X said that he looked at the charging papers and all he told us was the saw the word Homicide on them. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that he didn't read the charging papers because he didn't fell like he needed too.

Sgt Kjos and I asked Witness X if he had read any news paper articles regarding the triple murders in Minneapolis or watched any news footage. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that he heard about the murders but didn't really pay attention because he wasn't staying in Minneapolis at that time and he then got arrested January 30-2010.

Witness X said that he then began asking Mahdi what happened. Mahdi told Witness X that he and two others planned to rob a store because it had a lot of money early in the month. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that this store wired a lot of money to Africa. Mahdi told Witness X that there were large amounts of money in a safe underneath the cash register.

Witness X said that Mahdi told the other guy that went in the store with him that he needed to go to the back and hold any people back there and that he (Mahdi) would take care of the people up front. Witness X said that during the robbery, one of the people tried to take the gun away from Mahdi and that Mahdi shot him in the head. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that Mahdi then returned back inside the store and killed the other two people in the store. Mahdi told Witness X that he did this so that there would be not witnesses. Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that during this time, Mahdi was smiling and laughing while telling him these details.

Witness X told Sqt Kjos and I that Mahdi said that the police don't have a case on him and that he is taking this case all the way to trial. Mahdi told witness X that police don't have the gun used and that they were wearing masks. Mahdi told witness X, "No face, no case".

Witness X told Sgt Kjos and I that Mahdi washed his clothes and the gun after the murders. When asked where the gun was, Witness X told us that Mahdi gave the gun back to the brother of the guy who helped him. Witness X went on to say that nothing was taking from the store during the robbery. Witness X said that the 3rd guy who helped Mahdi and the other guy was in Africa because the case was so high profile.

It should be noted that Sgt Kjos and I did not enter into any agreement with witness X for his statement nor did we promise to do anything for witness X once he was released on 30-10-2010.

Interview was then terminated. Sgt's Luis Porras and Ann Kjos Homicide Unit Case Closed

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Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 05/20/2010 12:51 TAPED STATEMENT OF WITNESS X - 03/09/2010 @ 1440 HRS BY SGT KJOS/SGT PORRAS

CCN 10-005090

Transcribed by ht

At Carver County Jail

Q. We are here with WITNESS X who has contacted jail staff approximately a month ago regarding some information that WITNESS X had regarding the triple murder at 2341 East Franklin, 2431 East Franklin. 2431 East Franklin. SGT KJOS

Q. SEWARD MARKET

SGT PORRAS

Q. Case number is 10-005090. And for the record WITNESS X has asked to have his name withheld until ordered by the court to release it. Sir, back about a month ago you, let me back up. When were you incarcerated in Carver County Jail?

R. The first time?

Q. This last go around.

R. January 30, 2010.

Q. And you were in here for?

R. 13.82 - Law Enforcement

Q. Okay. 13.82 Okay. You have since; you have been sentenced for the crime correct?

R. Yes.

Q. And you are set for release 10.82 - Law Enforcement 13.82 - Law Enforcement

R. Yes.

Q. So why don't you explain to us how is it you became in contact with MAHDI ALI.

R. 13.82 - Law Enforcement 13.82 - Law Enforcement

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13.82 - Law Enforcement I did not know that going out there it would have just going to be me and him. I did not know there was a third individual in there. They moved me. I introduced myself and then talked to the guy that was in the cell.

O. What was his name?

R. .

Q. Okay.

SGT KJOS

Q. So the guards thought that you and got along.

R. Well I didn't know . Its just from previous times I was always helping people out trying to prevent fights and I was always you know kind to everybody, get along with everybody just felt that I would be a good





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13.82 - Law Enforcement And then so that's why they asked me to go do help him but not think about his crime or going to the state hospital, just to give him comfort and you know play cards. 13.82 - Law Enforcement 13.82 - Law Enforcement There is a tv, two chairs, table, some chairs around the table, books rack and one of the side of the walls is a shower and a tub. How many? There is three cells or no there is I believe there is two cells and one R. cell has two people in there and the other cell has just one. And did you have your own cell or did you? R. I went in with . Okay and them MAHDI was in the other cell? Q. Yeah he was in a single cell by himself. R. So 13.82 - Law Enforcement there was only the three of you? 0. There is just three of us. R. 0. And then at some point did talk to you? Yeah we're getting down for lock down for a half an hour and I was reading my book on my bed and then is like he always went around and said MAHDI did "amre" and he killed three people just saying that because I don't know why. So I didn't really understood so I just let him say what he said and then eventually I went into the room with him because it was lockdown and he was like did you know that that guy is here for he killed three people. I go I didn't know that. I don't even know who he is. And he goes yeah that's that guy that that killed three people. I was like he goes if you don't believe me ask him. I go I ain't going to ask him, you ask him. And then when we came back out to watch tv I was watching the First 48 and with MADHI next to me and was walking around and then goes hey MADHI, show him your paperwork and he goes why? He goes well you are in here for murder; show him that you are really in here for murder. And I didn't you know I didn't really like care or didn't even know what he was in there for so he was like you don't believe me. Well I didn't say that I just don't know I don't its none of my business is you know I don't care what people in here for. I am just here to watch So he went to his cell and then brought out some papers but he had them hid in his sweater and he likes and MADHI is like no I am just joking. I ain't in here for no murder. And then goes quit lying. And he is like I see the papers they are in your sweater, take them out. MADHI goes all right yeah I am here for this and he showed me the papers and I just looked and it was like a lot of papers you know. What all happened and I just look and I said homicide and then I am like all right whatever and I gave it back to him. He wanted me to read them but I was like no what's the point you know. Q. So you never read. I never read those papers. R.

- 0. any of his paperwork,
- R. Any of his paperwork.
- And you were brought in on the 30th of January. 0.
- R.
- And this happened on the 6th of January so you were out for roughly 24 0 -





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days. Did you ever hear about the three people being killed?

R. I heard about it but I really didn't because I am not even you know it's like not even my area so I really didn't pay attention to it you know. And then I came here and.

- Q. Did you ever see any news footage on it?
- R. No I didn't see anything.
- Q. Did you ever read any newspaper articles on it?
- R. No. 13.82 Law Enforcement there was an article about it. Some guys were about like hey here is that guy that killed those people and I was going to read but then they called me so I left and I didn't read it.
- Q. You never read it.
- R. I never read any article.

SGT KJOS

- Q. So then after you gave the papers back to MAHDI, did you guys talk about it anymore?
- We talked about he is like, he is like yeah we just started talking about like um how he did it and stuff and he is like well they don't got nothing no evidence on me and then just you know while he was smiling about it. Because then he just started talking about how to get away with murder because we were watching 48 Hours and then little pieces will come up you know like if someone would touch the gun. And he would be like well see that is the first mistake and stuff like that. And then eventually we got into his case. And I was like so what happened? And he is like well I was at home and these two guys these two kids came up to me or called me and said something they wanted to talk to him. And the third individual what he didn't know anything, he didn't know him. But the other dude he knew. And he was were just discussing that that dude that was arrested with him bad a gun and that gun belonged to his brother. And he said he had it for a week but he had to turn it in, give it back to his brother like before he got it the next day because his brother was coming back. And then we started discussing would ah do a robbery or you know rob so mething. But before all of that happened with one of the kids dudes car got impounded and MAHDI helped him out to get it out and they got the cars out of a car and then MAHDI is like well lets go hit this one because it was at that time whatever it was like at the beginning of the month of something that he said that they get a lot of money and they can get like 10,000, 50,000 in the cash register easily because are sending money to Africa or something like that. And I was like well that is a lot of money to have in the cash register. He goes yeah that's just in there but if you go in the safe there is even more.
- Q. Did he tell you where the safe was?
- R. He goes it was like right underneath the, right by the cashier thing right underneath.
- Q. The cash register?
- R. Yeah cash register.
- O. So under the counter?
- R. Like somewhere around there. I don't know if it was like a floor but it was right there right underneath the cash register. And he goes that's there is a safe right there and it has at least 20,000 in there or more.





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- Q. Does he say why he knew this? How come he knew this?
- R. He said because he did other robberies and similar to that and found like stuff like that's where they keep them. But then he said he checked it out before but he just kind of scoped it out and just knew where everything was at and then um.
- Q. Did he say like how they came in or?
- R. Yeah there was they planned it like one of the dude that didn't know was going to be the driver and him and that other dude was going to go in the store. MAHDI told that other dude well this is what you are going to do, don't be stupid. He said there is going to be people in there, take the people that are, go in the, go in the back, take the people that are right there take them all the way to the back, tie them up and then I am going to take care of the people in the front counter. And they told the third person just stay right here and keep the car running. When we come out, we are going to leave. And when they did that they put on clothes and a mask so they wouldn't you know identify who it was. And then the first dude that went in was MAHDI's friend that he knew. He went in and then MAHDI went in next the second again right after him and then the dude ran in the back and then (phone rings).
- Q. Sorry about that. So then the dude ran to the back.
- R. Yeah the dude ran in the back. MAHDI pointed his gun. There was three individuals at the cash register. There was I think I want to say either two or three people in the back that you had that they had in the room that other dude had. The other three people were like get out of my store, get out of my store, don't, we don't want, we don't want no trouble, get out. And MAHDI goes give me the money and then the guy goes they were going to go and get him try to get him out the guys and MAHDI said he was trying to shoot like at something not at him but when he shot he hit the dude in the head. And then and then killed him (inaudible). And then they got scared and they went he ran but came back and then didn't want no one else to be you know and then he shot the other two.
- Q. Okay. So he said he shot the one.
- R. Yeah he shot the one dude at I think the dude was standing in the middle. I don't know which one who it was but he told him that dude they were trying, they were going to go get him like try to SGT PORRAS
- Q. Take the gun.
- R. Take the gun away from him and they just thought that he was just playing so he tried shooting it to scare him but when he did he shot him in the head.
- Q. And then you said he left.
- R. He left and then he came back because the other dude was in the back room and then that's when he got the other two and the other guys that kid that the kid that was in the back was like well he was scared he didn't know what to do. And then MAHDI got scared and said and then instead of getting the money he just took off and the other dude followed and then took off and then they jumped in the car and they took off to I want to say MAHDI's place.
- Q. Did MAHDI ever tell you where he lived?
- R. He said he lived with some girl, some girl, some kids it was like an

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apartment, an apartment building I think. SGT KJOS

- Q. When he came back in did he say why he shot the other guys?
- R. He said because there was already, he already he knew he killed one of them but then there was two more people in there that was trying to like still get him but then he just went back and then just he said he didn't want no one to know who he was.

SGT PORRAS

- Like witnesses.
- R. Witnesses.

SGT KJOS

- Q. But did they know who he was?
- R. He didn't really he just he was talking about one of the guys but he didn't go into details about the other like not the first dude he shot but the second one he shot he said something about him but he didn't go into details about him.
- Q. So he was talking about the second guy that he killed.
- R. Yeah, yeah. Because after he went back in and then he killed the other two then he just what I thought why did you just shoot one and then like why did you come back. And then he just said he wanted to finish the rest of them because he didn't want no witnesses but then he mentioned that one, one of the dudes he killed he mentioned something happened before this whole incident and then he just he just I guess he didn't like him.
- Q. So you can't recall how.
- R. No because right away he stopped and he didn't say anything more about that dude.
- Q. Okay.
- R. He just said that he went back there and said something and shot him.
- Q. But he said he shot all three of them?
- R. He shot all three of them.
- Q. Did he, did he say and the other guy the other guy in the store just was in the back of the store.
- R. Yeah the other dude was in the back and he got scared when he heard the shots and then when he came back in to finish off the other two that's when he called the other dude and the other dude came running but then they didn't take anything.
- Q. So then they go back to MAHDI's?
- R. Yeah MAHDI's a place that they were that MAHDI was hanging around with, hanging at. They were smoking weed and talking about it. And then MAHDI told the dude that had the gun wash it off, do something, do stuff with it like take out to like clean it and then put it back into where you got it. So the dude put it back in his brothers where his brother's house was or wherever he had it hidden. And he told the dude don't go to school tomorrow and I was like I kind of like, kind of like dawned like wouldn't he want to go to school but then he is like he goes I didn't, I told him not, I told the idiot not to go to school and what happens he went to school and they picked him up at school.
- Q. Okay.
- R. Something like that.

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Q. Did he ever tell you how he got picked up, how MAHDI got picked up?

R. The one dude snitched him out that went in the jail first. He said he put a finger on him saying that it was MAHDI the one that pulled the

trigger. Not him but they didn't have the third suspect. He was gone. And MAHDI goes he shouldn't be around because MAHDI goes they are just going to put the blame on the third individual if they didn't get caught.

- Q. MAHDI was going to put the?
- R. Yeah the blame on the dude that he didn't know, that kid that he didn't know because I go where is that dude at now? He goes well he should be in Africa by now because he just you know it's all over the news triple homicide and the dude got scared and no one knows where he is at. His guess was he left and he told me that when he left that they didn't find him that he was going to put the blame on him.

 SGT KJOS
- Q. So he says the one guy stays in the car while those two go inside. When he is telling you all of this what's he acting like?
- R. He acting as if there is a smirk on his face and I don't know like what got me was because like I told him I go well don't you think that with all the technology that they have nowadays that they are going to find you. They are going to find out who it is. He goes no because we had everything on like we had gloves and masks and you know different clothes on and then he just basically said no face no case.
- Q. What did he say he did with his clothes?
- R. He said he washed them and then he, he put them somewhere.
- Q. Did he say where he put them?
- R. No well I want to say that he burned them.
- Q. But you don't know for sure.
- R. I don't know for sure but I know he said he washed them thoroughly and he I don't know if he burned them because we were talking about another thing and that he burned them or he just buried them someplace or threw them in a garbage can.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. He was talking about a vehicle.
- R. Yeah.
- Q. That there was someone driving, do you remember at all what kind of vehicle if any?
- R. It was a four door, a four door I want to say it's a black one.
- Q. But you are not -
- R. Black or white.
- Q. But you are not for sure.
- R. Not for sure because he was driving his car and he always talked about rentals having rentals always renting cars out.
- Q. Now have we promised you anything in regards for your testimony?
- R. No.
- Q. And in fact it was you that came to the deputies because you had the information correct?
- R. Yes.
- Q. And you know we have no agreement in place today or have we ever.
- R. No.
- Q. Regarding this correct?

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Yes. SGT KJOS Q. R. Q. R. 13.82 - Law Enforcement Q. R. Q. R. Q. R. Q. at no time did we say we would try to get your -No. R. Q. Your probation reduced or anything. R. Q. Okay. I think we are done. Thank you very much. END OF INTERVIEW





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On 6-9-10 at about 0940 hours, I property inventoried signed confirmatory photos; one of Mahdi Ali signed by 13.82 13.82 and the other of 13.82 signed by 13.82 13.82. Also inventoried was two CD-Rs containing our interview with 13.82 13.82. Please note, one CD-R is audio only, the second has audio and video of our interview.

Sgt Ann Kjos



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On June 16th, 2010 I drafted a search warrant for the school records for Mahdi Ali. I presented this search warrant to the Honorable Judge Belois and after reviewing it she signed the warrant. I then went to the Minneapolis Public Schools Administrative Offices-General Counsel (807 Broadway NE Minneapolis Mn) and served the warrant to Janice Robinson. Ms. Robinson told me that she would call me when the records would be available. On 06-16-2010 at approximately 1600 hours, Ms. Robinson called and left a message for me stating that the records were available and ready to be picked up.

On 06-17-2010, Sgt Kjos and I went to MPS-Administrative Offices where I again met with Ms. Robinson. She presented a manila envelope which contained school records for Mahdi Hassan Ali DOB 01-01-1993. These records will be property inventoried in the Minneapolis Police Departments Property and Evidence Unit.

Sgt Luis Porras and Sgt Ann Kjos
Homicide Unit



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TAPED STATEMENT OF 13.82 - Law Enforcement - 06/14/10 @ 0815 HRS

BY SGT KJOS/SGT PORRAS

CCN 10-005090

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Q. MOHAMED can you spell your first middle and last name for me please?

. First name 13.82 - Law Enkersement Middle name: 13.82 Law Enkersement. Last name: 13.82

13.82

- Q. And your birth date sir?
- R. 3.82 VEVEEnforcement
- Q. There was a triple murder in Minneapolis that was back in January of 2010 and we learned about a day after that murder that we had a Crime Stoppers tip sent in by email. We were later able to determine that you sent that Crime Stoppers tip, is that correct?
- R. Yes
- Q. I am showing you a printed copy of the Crime Stopper tip and do you recognize that?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Is that the tip that you had sent in the day after the triple murder?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Can I get you to sign that for me with today's date on it?
- R. Yes. On the bottom?
- Q. Yes. Now on this tip you say that the suspects name is ABDI SALON AHMED

ALI is that correct?

- R. Yes.
- Q. And that he lives at 2912 Clinton Avenue South?
- R. Yes
- Q. And then you also say other suspects notes it says his cousin was involved in it AHMED SHIRE ALI.
- R. Yes.
- Q. Now and the type of offense is triple homicide and your notes are 'he is running around bragging about it and plans to leave the country'. Is that correct?
- R. Yes.

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Q. Now can you explain to us how you came, how you got this information?

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- Q. Did ABDI SALON give 13.82 any details about the murder?
- R. Yes like full details.
- Q. Did he say who did the murder, who did the shooting?
- R. Yes.
- Q. Who did ABDI SALON say did the shooting?
- R, Well ABDI SALON said he shot one and MAHDI shot two.
- Q. Okay. How did it, what did ABDI SALON say happened in the store?
- R. He said the him, his cousin AHMED-SHIRE and MAHDI were going to go rob the store and MAHDI knew the people that was working at the store and the people knew MAHDI as well because they are acquainted with his family from what I heard. So when he went into the store he tried to rob them. Then they told them they were like they figured out right away who he was. They were like MAHDI we know its you, we are going to tell your mother. Then he panicked and then he tried to run out. Then when he tried to run out ABDI SALON told him that one of the old guys had grabbed onto him. Then when he grabbed onto him, MAHDI shot him and tried to flee the store. Then when the other guy came he tried to grab, run after MAHDI too and MAHDI shot him. Then ABDI SALON said as I had to leave the store I had to shoot the third guy to run out of the store and jump over the dead bodies.
- Q. How long, have you known ABDI SALON, do you know who he is?
- R. Yes I know him. I grew up with his family. We were friends at one point in our lives and we just didn't have contact after that anymore.
- Q. Do you who AHMED-SHIRE is?
- R. Yes I know him as well. He's come around south Minneapolis where we used to live.
- Q. I am showing you a picture of a black Somali male wearing a red shirt. Can you tell me who that is?
- R. That is ABDI SALON.
- Q. Can I get you to sign the back of that?
- R. Sign my name or his name?
- Q. Sign your name and put today's date on it.
- R. Okay.
- Q. Then I am showing you another photo of a male. Can you tell me who that is?
- _____
- R. That's AHMED-SHIRE.
- Q. Sign and date that. And then who is this?
- R. 13.82 ·
- Q. Do you know, I do not have a photo of MAHDI ALI, have you seen, do you know who MAHDI is?
- R. No I do not know him personally.
- Q. Have you seem photos of him like in the news?
- R. Yes. I seen the photos of him in the news and he kind of looked familiar someone that I went to a charter school with.
- Q. To be clear, when ABDI approached 13.82 13.82 Law Enforcement?
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- Q. Was this the day after those murders happened?
- R. I believe as I may recall 100% I believe so yeah.
- Q. And ABDI SALON when he told it to 13.82 he said I was in the store?
- R. Yes ABDI SALON said that he was there.
- Q. Did you get any information at all as to how they got to the store?
- R. No I believe because no from what I understand because MAHDI lived right around there that he didn't drive over there so what they were planning to do was rob and then just go to MAHDI's house.
- Q. Did they say anything at all or have you heard anything at all as far as what they did with the guns?
- R. They hid the guns then the first day after the murder it was morning. That's when ABDI SALON told 13.82 then the next day 13.82, not the next day, I believe it was the same day later on that day, is starting to act pretty funny; I think he's gonna tell. He's gonna rat. He is like I am going to have to go kill him.
- Q. Who said that?
- R. ABDI SALON told that to 3.82 .
- Q. That he was going to have to kill MAHDI?
- R. Yeah he was going to kill MAHDI so MAHDI (inaudible) because he felt that if any of them were to get caught he was going to be the one to say something. And then he said that his cousin AHMED-SHIRE is started to act funny too and he is paranoid. He is not talking. He is not answering the phones. I don't know where to get a hold of him from and I don't know where he is at. He hasn't been, ever since the homicide, he hasn't been able to get a hold of him. Then he was like, he told 13.82 that he hid the gun in a place. Him and his cousin AHMED-SHIRE and MAHDI they all hid it together. Then ABDI SALON to 13.82 he was like the gun came up missing and only one person knows that out of us three and it's like MAHDI. And he is like MAHDI took the gun.
- Q. And then nobody knows what happened to the gun after that?
- R. No.
- Q. Can you think of anything that we haven't asked you that you think might be pertinent to this?
- R. I don't know in the video I was thinking that when I read the news and everything I was expecting that it was going to be three suspects but it ended up being two suspects. But from what ABDI SALON told ABSHIRE he just seems to put himself right there along with the homicide. But he seems to be the only person who wasn't in it unless the video only shows two people and he is just like I said bragging about it, trying to be someone who believes he's in a gang and I guess he is trying to build credit with his gang by saying that he was responsible for something he wasn't. That's my only understanding of it.
- Q. Okay. Thank you very much. END OF STATEMENT



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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Jun-17-2010 14:29

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 06/17/2010 14:29

After being away from work for several days, I returned on 6-17-10 to find a package addressed to me from Amanda Schuman, Forensic Technician for TARGET Forensic Services. TARGET Forensic Analyst Jame Schroering was asked to analyze surveillance video Sgt Porras and I brought to him.

This analysis was completed and the evidence was shipped back to me via UPS. Please note, the evidence was contained inside a sealed UPS shipping box. I signed the provided Chain of Custody Form and successfully faxed it back to Amanda Schuman at TARGET.

I photo copied all shipped documents then property inventoried them and the CD created by TARGET Forensic Analyst, James Schroering. Also inventoried were the surveillance videos from the scene, MPLS Impound Lot and the check cashing store on Lyndale and Franklin ${\tt Av}$ S.

Sgt Ann Kjos

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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Jun-18-2010 13:14

Supplement of Sqt A.Kjos #004898 on 06/18/2010 13:14

On 6-14-10 at about 0815 hours, Sgt Porras and I met with 13.82 Law Enlocement

From our conversations with 13.82 13.82, Sgt Porras and I knew a friend of 13.82 told us his his sent a tip into Crime Stoppers via the internet. and he was once arrested for an assault while 13.82 friends name was

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confirmed this is his friend 13.82 , further stating this is the male who sent the Crime Stoppers tip in shortly after this triple murder

Checking MN Department of Vehicle Services (DVS)

18 USC 2721 & 2725

After speaking with Sgt Al Krammer, MPD V-CAT, Sgt Porras was told 13.82 13.82 - Law Enforcement On 6-10-10 Sgt Porras and I went to his home but did not get an answer at the door. I left my business card in the front door with a message asking 13.32 to call when he could. Later that evening I received a call from a male stating he was 13.82 explained I needed to meet with him to interview him about the information he gave to Crime Stoppers. 13.82 agreed to meet with Sgt Porras and I on Monday, 6-14-10.

On 6-14-10 at about 0815 hours, Sgt Porras and I met with 13.82 his place of work 1382 law Enforcement Seated in our car, we conducted a recorded interview with 3.82 Please see the transcript of that conversation for complete details. In brief: 13.82 said he is friends with 13.82 13.82 and all information he gave to Crime Stoppers came directly from 13.82 . I showed 13.82 a photo of 13.82 13.82 and 13.82 immediately said that this is his friend, further stating this is the male who told him about the triple murder. 13.82 signed that photo. I also showed 13.82 a print out of the notice I received from Crime Stoppers and asked if this is the info he sent in to them. 13.82 said it was and signed and dated it.

3.43 was shown pictures of Ahmedshir Ali (suspect in this case) and Abdisalan Ali (witness in this case), stated he knew both and signed and dated the pictures. All signed photos and the signed Crime Stoppers print out were property inventoried into this case.

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he was in the Seward Market when the three



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men were shot and killed. 13.82 said he took the information he got from 13.22 and emailed Crime Stoppers.

The interview was terminated.

Sgts Ann Kjos and Luis Porras

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Author 5786 - PORRAS, LUIS

Related Date Jun-29-2010 12:17

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Regarding conversation of Officer Josh Ryan St Louis Park PD On 01-08-2010 I was contacted by Officer Josh Ryan of the St Louis Park Police Department. Officer Ryan wanted to know if Sgt Kjos and I had any suspects in custody regarding the triple murder I told him that we did not. I told Officer Ryan that the three victims were of Somalian decent. Officer Ryan asked me if Sgt Kjos and I had recovered any DCC's from the scene and I told him that several .40 caliber casings were recovered.

Officer Ryan told me that The Frontiersman Gun store had been burglarized and that the owner had comparison DCC's for .40 Caliber's that were taken during the burglary. Officer Ryan told me that early suspect information was that the suspects were Somalian males. Officer Ryan offered to provide those .40 DCC's to Sgt Kjos and I for our Forensic Firearms Expert to compare against.

On this same date at approximately 1500 hours, Officer Ryan arrived to Room 108 and provided me with the comparison .40 cal DCC's from the Frontiersman Gun Store. I signed an electronic notebook and took custody of the DCC's. These DCC's were later inventoried in the Minneapolis Property and Evidence Unit. A work order was completed and delivered to MPD Crime Lab for comparative analysis.

On 06-29-2010 at approximately 0930 hours, I spoke with Officer Josh Ryan and requested a copy of their inventory and a copy of my electronic signature.

On this same date at approximately 1000 hours I received a fax from Officer Ryan regarding the above comparison DCC's I have taken custody of. Sgt Luis Porras and Ann Kjos

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Case closed

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Narrative Text Type PASSWORD PROTECTED (CAPRS ONLY) Subject 86-Supplement of Sgt L. Porras #005786 on 06/29/201 Author 5786 - PORRAS, LUIS Related Date Jun-29-2010 13:09 Supplement of Sgt L.Porras #005786 on 06/29/2010 13:08 Supplement of Sgt Luis Porras and Sgt Ann Kjos 10-005090 Regarding 18 USC 2721 & 2725 As part of this ongoing investigation, Sgt Kjos and I learned that was connected to Mahdi Hassan Ali. Upon running this vehicle, it was learned that 18 USC 2721 & 2725 Sgt Kjos and I checked the DVS website and learned that drivers license that's status was with a told Sqt Kjos and I that had a driver's license in another state possibly Sgt Kjos and I checked another internal data base and learned that had indeed moved to On March 1, 2010 contact was made with Officer David Pubins, PIO for PD. I explained to Officer Pubins that Sgt Kjos and I needed his Officers to make contact with and to have her contact us. Officer Pubins told us that he would reach out to their Criminal Apprehension team and that he would have an Officer contact Sgt Kjos and I for further details. On March 3rd 2010, I was contacted by Officer Hugh Lockerby of the Police Departments Criminal Apprehension team. I explained to Officer Lockerby that Sgt Kjos and I were investigating a triple murder that had occurred in Minneapolis on 01-06-2010. I told Officer Lockerby that one of the parties arrested was connected to a 1995 Chevy Caprice and that the registered owner was a 18 USC 2721 & 2725 18 USC 2721 & 2725 Officer Lockerby that has nothing to do with the homicides; however we needed to contact her and find out how she got the car and when and if she sold the car to any of the suspects charged in this case. Officer Lockerby told me that he would go to that address and make contact with and relay the following message. On this same at approximately 1400 hours, I was contacted by Officer Lockerby who told me that he had made contact with and that she should be contacting me soon. At approximately 1430 hours, I received an incoming call to my city issued cell phone and the number that appeared was 18 USC 2721 & 2725 The female on the other end indentified herself as 13.82 . I explained to who I was and that my partner Sgt Ann Kjos and I had been assigned to investigate a triple murder that occurred back on 01-06-2010. I told that a vehicle has been connected to one of the charged suspects and that the license plate registers to her. I told if she ever owned

a Chevrolet Caprice. told me that she did and prior to her moving

told me that she believes that

she sold that vehicle.



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she sold that vehicle back in October of 2009 to Rollies Auto Sales in Elk River, Minnesota. I asked why she sold the vehicle and she stated that she just sold it to obtain cash for her move to Phone call terminated.

On 04-26-2010, Sgt Kjos and I went to Rollies Auto Sales located on 17441 East Highway 10, Elk River, Minnesota. Once there, Sgt Kjos and I introduced ourselves an employee named Ben Schuckert. Sgt Kjos and I explained to Mr. Schuckert that we had spoken to Rollie Evenson earlier regarding a vehicle that was sold to their dealership back around October of 2009. Mr. Schucert told Sgt Kjos and I that Mr. Evenson was not there at the moment and if there was anything he could help us with.

Sgt Kjos and I asked Mr. Schuckert if he remembered selling a Chevrolet Caprice bearing 18 USC 2721 & 2725. Mr. Schucert said that he did remember selling one to a Somali male several months ago. Sgt Kjos and I provided Mr. Schuckert the name of Mahdi Ali and asked him if he could check out their records and tell us when that vehicle was purchased by him. Mr. Schuckert looked thru their files and could not find any file for the name of Mahdi Ali. Mr. Schuckert called Mr. Evenson and told him that Sgt Kjos and I were waiting for him at the business. Mr. Schuckert hung up with Mr. Evenson and he relayed us that he (Evenson) would be arriving at the business in 15 minutes.

Approximately 15 minutes later, Mr. Evenson arrived and we explained to Mr. Evenson the purpose of our visit and that we needed to obtain the documents associated to 18 USC 2721 & 2725 and any documents related to Mahdi Ali. Mr. Evenson looked thru his files and could not find any paperwork associated to that car under the name Mahdi Ali. Mr. Evenson told Sgt Kjos and I that the file may be at his home office and that he would contact us later that evening.

While Sgt Kjos and I were on the way back to Minneapolis, I received an incoming call from a number I knew to be Rollies Auto World (763-441-0422). I spoke with a male who identified himself as Rollie and he told me that the reason he couldn't find anything for that vehicle under the name Mahdi Ali was because it wasn't sold under his name. The vehicle Sgt Kjos and I were inquiring about was sold to a male named Mohamid Abdi Abdullahi 01-01-1991 on November 09-2009. Mr. Evenson told us that he would fax the purchase agreement to MPD Headquarters.

Upon receipt of this document, it was learned that Mr. Abdullahi had an address of 1619 Maryland Ave, St Paul, Mn and a cellular phone number of 612-203-3952. At the bottom of this fax was the Certificate of Title for a Motor Vehicle and the listed owner was 18 USC 3721 & 2725

A copy of this fax will be property inventoried in the MPD Property and Evidence Unit.

On 05-12-2010, Sgt Larson and I went to Rollies Auto Sales located at 17411 East Highway 10, Elk River, Minnesota. While there, Sgt Larson and I met with employee Ben Schuckert. I showed a picture of Mahdi Ali 01-01-1991 and he said he didn't remember him being there at the time the vehicle was purchased. I then showed Mr. Schukert a picture of Abdi Abdullahi 01-01-1991. Mr. Schukert told me that he did recognize Mr. Abdullahi as the person he sold the car to. I had Mr. Schukert sign and date this photo. I then met with Mr. Evenson and showed him the same two photos of Ali and



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Abdullahi. Mr. Evenson did not recognize the photo of Ali but said that Abdullahi looked the person he sold the car to. I also had Mr. Evenson sign and date the photo of Abdullahi. Both photos of Abdullahi will be property inventoried in the MPD Property and Evidence Unit Sqt Luis Porras and Sqt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit Case Open





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Author 3332 - JOHNSON, CLIFFORD (INACTIVE)

Related Date Jul-08-2010 9:40

Supplement of For S C.Johnson #003332 on 07/08/2010 08:19 At the request of Sgt. Kjos a copy of a surveillance video in this case was made from the Avid archives. The copy will be given to Sgt. Kjos.



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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

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SGT PORRAS

Q. I couldn't find you any smokes but the sooner we get out of here we can get you some smokes. How is that? All right.

SGT KJOS

- Q. All right. We, there is confused. Okay. How did you get the the thing is you have specific information about what happened at that murder.
- R. But it really wasn't that guy though that I said it was.
- Q. Why did you, how did you?
- R. From him.
- O. From who?
- R. ABDISALON.
- Q. ABDISALON.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. And you are sure he gave you that information.
- R. Yes.
- Q. There is no doubt in your mind.
- R. No doubt.
- That he told you that.

SGT KJOS

- Q. Who else did you talk to that day?
- R. No one about the murder no one.
- Q. And you know who ABDISALON?
- R. Yeah I know who he is.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. Remember when ANN was talking to him you know I showed you the computer image and you said yep that is him and there is no doubt in your mind.
- R. No doubt in my mind.
- Q. Who would he have, could he have talked to other people and you know because it's obviously a lot big news, its huge news. Is there anyway I mean tell us exactly again what he told you.

R.

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He just told

me how the whole thing went down in the store. He didn't tell me anything about a third person though. He just told me about himself and MAHDI.

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- Q. What did he say he did?
- R. He told me that he was just standing in the store with his hands in his pockets. He said the whole time I had my hands like this. I am not trying to get any fingerprints anywhere. He told me wasn't the one that had a gun.

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He said only MAHDI had a gun.

- Q. Okay and then what happened? What more did he say?
- R. He just told me that MAHDI had a back fire. It backfired. The whole plan, the robbery plan so they tried to leave. He told me how they tried to walk out of the store and then the men grab MAHDI first and he shot the guy. And then he told me how (inaudible) grabbed by another guy in the front like this and like the hug kind of way and MAHDI shot him.
- Q. Right.
- R. In like the back the neck somewhere and then he told me how some guy was on his way out the door. I think he said he was trying to run out, he was trying to escape for sure but he said he shot him too on the way out the door. He told me that the whole time he had his hands in his pockets.

 SGT PORRAS
- Q. Did he tell you how he got out of the store?
- R. He just told me that he pushed the door with his elbow while his hands in his pocket and then he stepped over some dead guy's body.
- Q. Did he say where he went afterwards?
- R. He said he went to MCDONALDS. He didn't tell me which one though. MCDONALDS I would think that was the one on Lake Street.
- Q. Do you know where he lives?
- R. ABDISALON?
- Q. Yeah.
- R. I don't know, didn't you guys get the address from last time?
- Q. Yeah. No. We are just curious you know with the other MCDONALDS that you know. We have gone to his house or do you know where he lives is what we are saying.
- R. No I don't know the area.

SGT KJOS

- Q. But you know where he lives you told us where he lived.
- R. Well my friend told you guys where he lived when I put him on speaker. I don't know exactly where his address is.
- Q. You dropped him off though.
- R. Yeah but he like told us to drop him off like a block away from his house. He didn't want us to see where he lived. He was just going to walk off from there. Why is there something going on?

 SGT PORRAS
- Q. Well we are just trying to clarify some things that's why we asked you to come back down here. We just want to make sure that we understood you the first time and trying to clarify a couple of things. Did he tell you anything else like what he did with?
- R. He told me that he hid the gun somewhere but he didn't tell me where. And the next day he went to go look for it and it was gone and MAHDI must have took it because he couldn't find it there.
- Q. And then you told us that ABDISALON wanted to.
- R. Get rid of MAHDI.
- Q. Get rid of MAHDI.
- R. Yeah for him because he is scared for his cousin he said that he was going to try to leave in February to Africa. He was mostly scared for his cousin because cousin really wanted to stay here.
- Q. Why would he be afraid for his cousin, cousin AHMED?

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- R. Yeah.
- Q. Why would he be afraid for him?
- R. So that he like for MAHDI (inaudible) anything about him because he didn't tell me AHMED was in it inside the whole story but he just told me that he was.
- Q. Inside the story or?
- R. Yeah the story he didn't tell me that how he was involved.
- Q. Is he involved with it?
- R. He just told me that he was. He told me not to say anything to AHMED about it.
- Q. Okay. So, so, so -

SGT KJOS

- Q. The way ABDI, the way he told it he was in the store. He said I am in the store.
- R. Yes

SGT PORRAS

- O. And he mentioned AHMED.
- R. He mentioned AHMED yeah.
- Q. And what did he say about AHMED?
- R. He said AHMED is with us. There was the three of us. It was me, MAHDI and my cousin.

SGT KJOS

- Q. And who is that?
- R. That is AHMED.
- Q. AHMED.
- R. Yeah.
- Q. That is not who you talked to?
- R. No.
- Q. You talked to his cousin ABDI.
- R. Uh huh.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. But he said that him, it was ABDI, AHMED and MAHDI them three did it.
- R. Uh huh (yes)

SGT KJOS

- Q. Our confusion is we have arrested two people and we are certain we have the right two people. Okay. Our confusion is is that you're saying that ABDI told you he was in the store.
- R. Yeah.
- Q. Did he say like he was, did he present it like he was in the store or did he present it like (inaudible) store?
- R. Presented it like in the store because he made gun action movements and all that.
- Q. How did he make those gun action, what did he do with the gun?
- R. Like he was talking about like the whole like when MAHDI turned around and shot him he did the whole movement like turned it off safety like he actually saw it and then he told me that someone was holding him and then that's when MAHDI shot that guy and how he stepped over the door and how he had his hands in his pockets. It just sounded like he was in the room. Then when I heard the news saying there was a guy laying on the floor by the door then people could see him earlier before the (inaudible) taken care of.

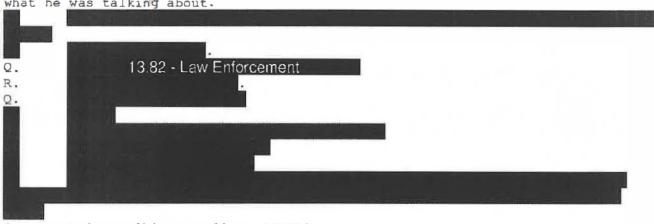


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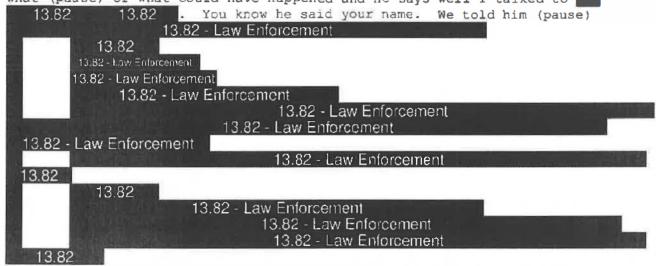
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It sounded real because that's the story they said on the news like he knew what he was talking about.



- And you did not talk to AHMED? 0.
- R. He told me don't talk to AHMED about it.
- He told you don't talk to AHMED about it? Q.
- R. Yeah.
- And you didn't? 0.
- R. No.
- We asked him did you talk to anybody about this. Okay. And he said I talked to my tall, tall friend SHIR okay. But I just asked (pause) and he said I just asked him about my cousin. He says have you heard he said, have you heard (pause) does this sound accurate in any way, shape or form. Did he, did he ask you if you knew anything about the three murders, asked you about that?
- R. He said he told me.
- Yeah that's what he is telling us. He is saying I talked to my tall friend. We have him in like this and we said did you talk to anybody about what (pause) or what could have happened and he says well I talked to



- R. He was acting nervous. Is he one of the two kids in custody?
- Q. I can't tell you that. What was he acting like?
- Nervous. R.



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Like doing what what do you	mean?
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R. Like moving around a lot. Using his hands a lot. Just moving a lot.

Q. All right. Be right back okay.

R. Okay.

SGT PORRAS

Q. Are you ready?

R. To go?

Q. Yeah.

R. Okay.

Q. Yep.

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Subject 89-Supplement of Sgt L. Porras #005786 on 07/08/201

Author 5786 - PORRAS, LUIS

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AMIR FARAH - 01/08/2010

BY SGT PORRAS/SGT KJOS

CCN 10-005090

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- Q. How you doing?
- R. What's up man?
- Q. How you doing? You all right?
- R. No man.
- Q. Huh.
- R. Why would I be?

SGT KJOS

- Q. Why would you be?
- R. Yeah.

SGT PORRAS

- We are not going to start off on this foot all right.
- R. Why would I be?
- Q. Listen to what I am saying all right. We're not going to start off. Sit

over there.

- R. Get off that man.
- Q. Sit over there.
- R. Nobody is going to tell me nothing. You all going to put like how many guns to my head almost shot me right now. You think I feel normal?
- Q. Well tell you what. We're explaining to you why are you here. Okay.
- R. You all think normal.
- Q. So it you just relax a little bit.
- R. Right now then I got to get it out. You all got money for that.
- Q. You ain't getting it out.
- R. Huh?
- Q. You ain't getting it out.
- R. You all got money for that.
- Q. You ain't getting out.
- R. What you mean I ain't getting it out.
- Q. You ain't getting, you are not getting your car out.

SGT KJOS

- Q. Unless you can explain some certain things maybe it will get out.
- R. I am not going to explain nothing man.
- Q. You're not going to explain anything? Okay.
- R. I am not going to explain nothing.
- Q. Cool.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. Where were you earlier tonight?
- R. No. I am not going to say nothing.
- Q. Ah you waste our time.



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R. Yeah. Ain't nothing to say man. You all don't want to cooperate with me what's the point. Fuck man. END OF RECORDING



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Subject 90-Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 07/08/2010

Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

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Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 07/08/2010 09:40 ABDISALON ALI - 01/09/2010

BY SGT KJOS/SGT PORRAS CCN 10-005090

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- Q. Do you recognize this?
- R. The jacket? No I don't recognize this jacket.
- Q. Okay. ABSHIRE came in here. Okay. First would you protect AHMED?
- R. Would I protect him?
- Q. Yes. Let's say he confided everything in you. Would you protect him?
- R. If he confided, I don't under.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. If he trusted you and told you everything that happened.
- R. Would I protect him?
- Q. Would you protect him because he is your cousin?
- R. No. If somebody like did something wrong and he told me like he did something wrong that would be like the worse thing for him to tell me like. If somebody committed a crime even if it's a little crime.
- Q. Even if it's your own family.
- R. Even if it's my own family for real I would come to the police and tell them. I mean.
- Q. Why doesn't AHMED want to be seen by your auntie by your grandma?
- R. He doesn't even want to be seen by anybody.
- Q. That's what I am saying. Why? Does that seem kind of strange?
- R. Because he knows that my family is like one of the family like one of the types of families like I think our family would be the same like if any one of your children or your cousins or anybody did something wrong then everybody is talking about it. You, if they were at your house, you or somebody else in your family would turn them in right?
- Q. Yeah.
- R. That's how it is. That's why he is hiding from everybody in the family.
- Q. But why would he be hiding that's what I am saying. Why would he be? SGT KJOS
- Q. Do you know why he is hiding right now?
- R. Because he's probably hiding because he knows that he committed a crime.
- Q. What is that crime?
- R. That murder stuff that happened.
- Q. How come and you know this why?
- R. I know this because everybody is talking about it. Everybody is saying that MAHDI and AHMED were the two people who committed. First time that I had like guilt I mean like something in my heart that told me about it was because when you all were, when they were asking me all the questions about where me and AHMED and MAHDI went and every little thing, every little detail that's why I said first I didn't know what was going on. That's why



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I told said a couple of lies you know when I was at Carmel and everything. Once I knew everything was like so serious then I had to tell the truth you know. And now I know if push comes to shove you know if anything if I get a hold of AHMED that's believed that I am the first people I am calling is the investigators.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. You don't know if he has a cell phone?
- R. He doesn't have a cell phone. His mother, his mother didn't give him a cell phone. His older brother has a cell phone and his sister has a cell phone.
- Q. Do they hang together?
- R. No. His brother and him it's like me and my brother. Me and my brother we hang together when he is at the house you know. But we don't like we don't go through the streets and chill together 24/7. It's like I got my own friends. He's got his own friends when we were at the house hanging together.

SGT KJOS

Q. We got to you because of 13.82 knew certain things about this murder. Okay. And he wanted us to talk to you because he said he got these details from you.

SGT PORRAS

Q. From you.

SGT KJOS

- O. Is that the truth?
- R. No I don't think it's the truth.

SGT PORRAS

- Q. You don't think it is.
- R. I know that's not the truth because I didn't tell him no details about no murder. I know for a fact that I didn't. He probably got details from AHMED after he was done talking to me. You know AHMED probably told him like this and this happened and but I wasn't with AHMED and I was not at nowhere. I was at my house sleeping. And I told 13.82 the exact words. I told him I mean if you put him in front of me right now I will tell him exactly what same thing I told you. Exact words I told him was it was a camera there too. Like right after school. I don't know if they record voice or anything but I was telling him yo, you know what happened if anything happened to my cousin if he die if anything what his going on and stuff like that.
- Q. And that's because you didn't see him the next day.
- R. That's because I didn't see my cousin.
- Q. So you thought it was your cousin that was dead at the store.
- R. At the store that's what I was thinking.
- Q. Okay.
- R. My cousin died and something happened because my dad kept on telling me that AHMED is missing he didn't go home you know last night when the murder stuff was going on. I was and MAHDI and me don't get along. He is from that side of the city and all that. So I thought MAHDI would have like killed my cousin, set him up with other dudes and all that. That's why I kept on asking 13.82 and 13.82 and my cousin were talking for a while. I asked my cousin. He wouldn't tell me. He wouldn't budge. He wouldn't tell me



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anything. I don't know if he told 13.82 anything but he wouldn't tell me anything so and then the next day I looked for him. He is gone. I asked his mom was actually me you know where AHMED, do you know where AHMED is and I said no I don't. After she came to my house some other auntie she said my other auntie to me you know because she is kind of older than. She is older than the other one. The other one is like she is young you know. So she like gets along with us more than the older one so she try to make her say oh you know where AHMED is. Its all good, let's go get AHMED you know stuff like that. And I was like yo, I don't kn

ow where AHMED is the same I said to the older one because if somebody did something wrong I would go and tell people. First and foremost I would tell his mom where he is and then I tell the investigators where he is.

- Q. Have you told, have you talked to his mom at all?
- R. Yeah I talked to his mom once. She was asking me where he was.
- Q. Does he stay there?
- R. At his house. He stays there is like under the roof of his mom. He is like under the protection of his mom but she said he didn't come home.
- Q. And she hasn't seen him since?
- R. She hasn't seen him since everything was going on and all that. And I would have went out looking for him you know the guy told me to stay in my house and not get a hold of AHMED or MAHDI.
- Q. Well we need you to try and find us, find I am sorry, find him for us.
- R. I will I will try to find him. I try tonight as soon as I go home I will try to like go with brother and tell him to drop me off at this little ShiShu you know the 280 place.
- Q. Yep.
- R. Then I will go around and look.
- Q. Because I mean if you help us find him I mean that is actually helping him because who knows what people are thinking now and if people want to get revenge and they find him before we do.
- R. That's even worse.
- Q. I mean there is different scenarios that might play out and we're actually want to help him you know because if somebody wants to hurt him they are going to do it. You know it is street justice and all that kind of stuff. But if we can get to him and talk to him and basically do what we did to you is to you know you told us where you were and we were able to verify your story. And you were able to walk out of here. You know what I mean.
- R. Yes I understand that.
- Q. So if we can do that where we are actually trying to help him, protect him, you know from what people may be thinking. If the people are already talking about him and MAHDI being involved you know not everybody is you know calm about the thing as you are.
- R. I am go out looking for him just like you all told me to and if I find him I promise I will let you all know.
 SGT KJOS
- Q. ABSHIE, AHMED talked to 3.82 after he talked, after 3.82 and you talked.
- R. AHMED and 13.82 talked yep. I am for sure certain about that.
- Q. Okay. All right.



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R. Thank you very much.

Q. Thank you.

R. All right.

Q. You got our cards right.

R. Yes. SGT PORRAS

Q. I don't think I gave you my card.

R. I will get you one

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Subject 91-Supplement of Off S.Laux #004035 on 08/02/2010
Author 4035 - LAUX, STEVEN

Related Date Aug-18-2010 6:45

Supplement of Off S.Laux #004035 on 08/02/2010 23:25 CCN 10-005090, TYPED BY ST

Officer responded to the above shooting to see if I could provide any canine assistance at the crime scene. I spoke with the Homicide Investigators who were at the scene and asked if I was needed for any help with my canine partner. They stated no at this time. I then advised them I would be out on patrol and available if something should come up and I cleared the scene.



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Subject 92-Supplement of For S K.Reynolds #005916 on 08/11
Author 5916 - REYNOLDS, KRISTIN (INACTIVE)

Related Date Aug-11-2010 15:13

Supplement of For S K.Reynolds #005916 on 08/11/2010 09:30 SUPPLEMENT OF K. REYNOLDS, F.S. - CRIME LAB/FIREARMS - 8/11/10 I retrieved the following evidence from the MPD Property Room for examination:

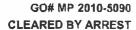
From P#1232:

Item - 17: One (1) discharged cartridge casing, "FEDERAL 40 S&W", brass
case, nickel primer, from MPD bullet envelope marked, "...01-12-10, Insp
Gerold - 2431 E. Franklin - 1 spent casing".

Item - 17 was compared to Items 1 through 5, from P # 562 (previously listed in earlier supplement) and reveal the presence of matching features. This means Item - 17 was fired in the same firearm as Items 1 through 5. Results were verified.

This is the report of conclusions of an examination performed by me.

K. Reynolds





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Author 7646 - WERNER, JEFFREY

Related Date Aug-18-2010 6:45

Supplement of Off J.Werner #007646 on 08/18/2010 01:00
STATEMENT OF OFFICER J.B. WERNER ON 08/18/10 AT 0050 HOURS.
ON THE ABOVE DATE AND TIME I WAS WORKING SQUAD 362 WITH MY PARTNER OFFICER IMMING. OFFICERS WERE ON A DOMESTIC CALL WHEN WE HEARD OTHER SQUADS CALL MORE FOR ASSISTANCE AT A TRIPLE SHOOTING. ONCE OFFICERS FINISHED OUR DOMESTIC CALL WE RESPONDED TO THE SHOOTING.
UPON ARRIVAL THE SCENE WAS ALL READY SECURE AND THE CRIME SCENE TAPE HAD BEEN PUT UP. A LARGE CROWD WAS STARTING TO GATHER SO MYSELF AND OFFICER IMMING PROVIDED CROWD CONTROL. ONCE THE SCENE WAS UNDER CONTROL OFFICERS CLEARED AND WENT INTO TO SERVICE TO ANSWER CALLS.





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Author 4898 - KJOS, ANN

Related Date Aug-18-2010 16:18

Supplement of Sgt A.Kjos #004898 on 08/18/2010 16:18 Clarifying Supplement:

During the first hours of this investigation, Sgt Palmer contacted me regarding a female who approached him with information. I was told 13.82 was inside the SEWARD MARKET during the early evening hours of 1-6-10. 13.82 apparently told Sgt Palmer she noticed two males looking around the store and not buying anything. I am told 13.82 thought these males were acting very suspicious and they were eventually kicked out of the store.

I was given a contact number for 13.82 and called her. 3.82 again told me about the suspicious males and felt they could have been the shooting suspects "casing" the store. 13.82 said she didn't recognize either of the suspicious males and couldn't remember what they were wearing. I accessed DVS and looked at 13.82-Law Enforcement DL. I noted on the DL 13.82 listed DOB is 13.82

When our Crime Lab was able to down load the images from the Seward Market surveillance video, I asked that they make a CD of the hours preceding the shootings. I viewed the provided CD containing surveillance video inside the Seward Market, 1-6-10 beginning at about 1453 hours and ending at about 1915 hours.

I viewed this entire CD and at about 1733 hours I saw a female who closely matches the physical description of 13.82 enter the Seward Market and begin shopping. At about 1734 hours, three males can be seen entering the Seward Market and wonder throughout the store. At one point it appears the clerk (victim 3/Osman Elmi) approaches these 3 males and speaks with them. These same three males appear to be shopping and at one point, one does look as though he made a purchase. At about 1748 hours, these three males leave the store.

On several occasions Sgt Porras and I have interviewed Mahdi Hassan Ali, dob 1-1-93 and Abdisalan Ahmed Ali, dob 3-10-94. On two separate occasions Sgt Porras and I have interviewed Ahmed-Shire 13.82 - Law Enforcement. The three young males inside the Seward Market on 1-6-10 between 1733 hours and 1748 hours do not appear to me or to Sgt Porras to be Mahdi Ali, Ahmed Ali or Abdi Ali.

RE: Officer interviews with witnesses.

I spoke with Officer Ryan Johnson who spoke with Peter Fleck, Jacque Mergens and Chris Adams while at the scene of this shooting and asked if he recorded his conversation with any of these men. Officer Johnson said he did not. I also spoke with Officer Tracy Lemieux and asked if she recorded her interview with James Bratt while canvassing the neighborhood after responding to the shooting at the Seward Market and she said she did not. RE: Surveillance video 2511 E Franklin Av/Child Care Services - parking lot.

Images downloaded from the DVR recovered from the Child Care facility at

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2511 E Franklin Av were viewed for the evening of 1-6-10. At about 1949 hours on 1-6-10, a person can be seen traveling from the southwest to the northeast, through the parking lot.

During our interview with Peter Fleck, he told Sgt Porras and I after hearing gunshots coming from the area of the Seward Market he ran east across 25th Av S and into the east/west alley behind the church (unknown name). Mr. Fleck had said he turned north after passing the church because he felt he would be safer on E Franklin Av.

With the surveillance images from 2511 E Franklin Av, I met with Peter Fleck at his home. I explained to Mr. Fleck that I wanted to show him the surveillance footage from the above address and see if he could tell me if it was him or not.

The CD was put into Mr. Fleck's lap top and the images from above parking lot came up on the screen. Mr. Fleck watched the video several times but could not say for certain it was him. Mr. Fleck said he knows as he was running in the alley, he was constantly looking behind him and didn't see anyone back there. Further, Mr. Fleck said there was no one in the parking lot of the Child Care Facility when he came out of the alley. Mr. Fleck said he did run from the west to east and did turn north in the parking lot and then up to Franklin Av.

Sgt Ann Kjos Homicide Unit

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At the request of Assistant County Attorney Bob Streitz, Sgt Porras went to the Seward Market during night time hours and wearing a specific colored shirt. After spending some time both inside and outside the store, Sgt Porras left.

A work order requesting MPD Crime Lab go to the Seward Market and down load the images of Sgt Porras was sent to MPD Crime Lab. Sgt Porras and I were notified that request was denied.

I contacted the owner of Seward Market, Fazel Warfa and explained I needed to take custody of his store surveillance DVR so I can retrieve the images from the night when Sgt Porras was in his store. Mr Warfa told me he was just getting a new surveillance system installed into his store and we could have the current DVR after that.

On 8-12-10 Sgt Porras and I met with Fazel Warfa and he gave me their old DVR along with the power cord. The DVR was secured within the CID offices/locked in my desk.

On 8-17-10 at about 0800 hours, I met with Mr. Paul Hertzell, a member of the Hennepin County Attorney staff and turned over the DVR and power cord to him. Mr. Hertzell will attempt to retrieve the images of Sgt Porras inside of the Seward Market and transfer those images to a DVD. I will be notified when the DVD is ready.

Sgt Ann Kjos

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I was contacted by Gina Werner with the Hennepin County Attorneys Office stating the CD of our interview with 13.82 was not working. Ms. Werner asked that I have our interview downloaded to another CD-R and property inventory it.

On 8-16-10, PST Heidi Tremmel created another CD-R of this interview. I reviewed the disc and noted it was working properly. At about 1400 hours, I property inventoried the CD-R into this case, PI# 10-31758, line 1. I immediately signed out the CD-R and brought it to Ms. Werner in County Attorney Office/Juvenile Division.

Sgt Ann Kjos

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Subject 97-Supplement of For S D. Anderson #113501 on 08/23

Author 113501 - ANDERSON, DUSTIN LYLE

Related Date Jan-27-2011 7:50

Supplement of For S D.Anderson #113501 on 08/23/2010 01:01

& SFS Hanson - Crime Lab - exam of latents from MN LIC# TPJ-926

CCN: 10-005090

This report concerns the analysis of the latent lifts recovered from MN LIC# TPJ-926 as stated in supplement #23.

The latent lifts were examined by me, and the results are as follows:

- " Latent lift from the interior rear view mirror contained three latent prints that were labeled #1, #2, & #3
- " Latent lift from the exterior front passenger door window contained four latent prints that were labeled #4, #5, #6, & #7
- " Latent lift from the back of MN license plate: #760-BVC (found in a clear colorless plastic bag on the front passenger's seat) contained three latent prints that were labeled #8, #9, & #10
- " Latent lift from a CD(labeled "new CD-1") that was found in the glove box contained one latent print that was labeled #11
- " Latent lift from a CD(labeled "Gucci Mane") that was found in the glove box contained one latent print that was labeled #12
- " Latent lift from a CD(labeled "Memorex Blue color") that was in the glove box contained one latent print that was labeled #13
- " Latent lift from a CD(labeled "DataLifePlus") that was in the glove box contained one latent print that was labeled #14

The latent prints were photographed and analyzed for quality by me; the analysis results are as follows:

SUFFICIENT for comparison: "1"; "2"; "5"; "6"; "10"; "11"; "12"; "13"; & "14"

INSUFFICIENT for comparison: "3"; "4"; "7"; "8"; & "9"

At the request of Sgt. Kjos of the Homicide Unit, fingerprint and palmprint cards bearing the names of the following individuals were obtained from MPD files and the MnBCA's PrintPrint system for comparison purposes:

- Mahdi Hassan Ali (DOB:1/1/1993; MPD #2010-0178; SID #MN09BX8841)
- " Ahmed-Shire Abdi Ali (DOB:3/1/1992; MPD #891697; SID #MNJ6067530)
- " Amir Abdulqadir Farah (DOB:10/21/1989; MPD #08-3829; SID #MN08B27996 & SID #MNJ6055079)

I compared the latent prints to the individuals listed above with the following results:

- " Latent print "1" all individuals listed above were EXCLUDED as the source
- " Latent print "2" was inconclusive for all individuals listed above; major case prints will be needed for further comparisons
- Latent print "5" all individuals listed above were EXCLUDED as the source
- Latent print "6" all individuals listed above were EXCLUDED as the source
- Latent print "10" was inconclusive for all individuals listed above; major