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STATUS CODE C=COMPLAINANT V=VICTIM A=ARRESTEE J=JUVENILE H=OTHER M=MISSING W=WITNESS O=OFFENDER D=DRIVER S=SUSPECT P=POLICE OFFICER T=TOT

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Interview Report

Civilian Witness #4

Interviewee:

Information was received from members of the Bridgeport Police Department, that [redacted] had reported that he was witness to the officer involved shooting and that he had information that may be beneficial to the investigation. Detective Rick Covello #376 and I were assigned to locate and interview

Action Taken:

On 05/09/2017 at approximately 2215 hours, I telephoned [redacted], and arranged to meet with him at his residence. At approximately 2242 hours, Detective Covello and I arrived at [redacted] residence and met with him on his front porch. Due to the late hour and that his [redacted] we collectively decided to conduct the interview in my assigned vehicle that was parked across the street in front of his house.

In summary, [redacted]; related that he and his family were sitting in his parked car on Fairfield Avenue in front of

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the 5 Star Pizza Restaurant. At approximately 4:30 PM, he observed the suspect vehicle which he could only describe as a blue/ gray colored car, turn onto Fairfield Avenue from Park Avenue. The suspect vehicle was being chased by Bridgeport Police vehicles. The suspect vehicle appeared to have been stopped by the oncoming traffic. He observed Bridgeport Police Officers approach the suspect vehicle with their weapons drawn and he heard a lot of yelling and screaming. He could hear the police officers yelling to stop and get out of the vehicle numerous times. He heard approximately 5 gun shots which he described as 2 gun shots followed by 3 gun shots. He never observed who was shooting nor did he see who was driving the suspect vehicle because his view was obstructed. After he heard the gun shots, he and his wife took [redacted] into the restaurant. Approximately 15 minutes later, he went outside the restaurant and observed ambulances on scene and a police officer being taken away on a stretcher. He went back into the restaurant to finish his meal and approximately 45 minutes later, he and his family left the restaurant and drove to the Bridgeport Police Department to report what he observed.

I transcribed the information [redacted] related into a written statement consisting of two (2) pages. [redacted] reviewed the written statement for clarity and content. After his review, [redacted] swore that the information contained in the statement was true and accurate and signed both pages affirming the same. *For specific details refer to the attached two (2) page written statement.*

[redacted] provided me with his wife's [redacted] cellular telephone number [redacted]

The interview concluded at approximately 2334 hours.

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