

Coroner's Report

Noah Brittain (210623-130)

Pulaski County Coroner's Office

501-340-8355

Case Administration

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| County | Pulaski | Initial 911 call | 06/23/2021 03:08 |
| Case type | ME/C Case | Investigator notified | 06/23/2021 05:05 |
| Incident number | AR-10156-2021 | Investigator notified by | Kelly Hayes |
| Code | | Phone | 501-202-6840 |
| Hold | No | Scene arrival | 06/23/2021 05:30 |
| Restricted | No | Scene departure | 06/23/2021 06:25 |
| Pending adjudication | | Office arrival | |
| Disposition | Sent to Autopsy Facility | Office departure | |
| Facility | Arkansas Crime Lab | Departure location | Baptist Medical Center NLR |
| Disposition rationale | | Regular miles | |
| Disposition | Nicholas Donahue | Trans miles | |
| Authorized by | | Time spent | |
| ETA to Facility | 06/23/2021 06:40 | Other information | |
| Family notified of pending autopsy? | | Autopsy results requested by: | Other Agency |
| Autopsy authorization | ME/C ordered | Describe request | Arkansas State Police |
| Autopsy authorization notes | | ME/C Approved for | |
| Signed by | Office of ME/C | Ready for release | |
| Signer | Arkansas State Medical/Crime Lab | Tox specimen sent | |
| | Home | Tox results received | |
| Funeral/Crematorium | Smith- Westbrook Funeral Home | Turn around | |
| Funeral/Crematorium phone | 501-882-5412 | | |

Investigator

Nicholas Donahue

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Pathologist

No pathologist assigned.

Body Tracking

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|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|------------|
| Name/Number on ID Tag | Noah Britton | Approximate height | 67 inches |
| Seal number | 048404 | Approximate weight | 140 pounds |
| Case number | 210623-130 | Storage location | |
| ME/C body bag provided | Yes | Locker number | |

Tracking 1

| | | | |
|--------------------|---|--------------------|------------------|
| Event | Received from | Received by | Nicholas Donahue |
| Location | Hospital | Released by | |
| Description | Police Involved Shooting Lonoke County Sheriff's Office | Description | |
| Date | 06/23/2021 06:40 | Comment | |

Tracking 2

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|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Event | Released to | Received by | Ray ASCL |
| Location | Morgue | Released by | Patrick McElroy |
| Description | | Description | |
| Date | 06/23/2021 08:03 | Comment | |

Decedent Identification

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|---------------------------|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| MDILog # | 210623-130 | Date of birth | 11/29/2003 |
| Case number | 210623-130 | Date of death | 06/23/2021 On |
| Status | Positive | Time of death | 03:58 Approximate |
| Method a | Circumstances | Pronounced | 06/23/2021 03:58 |
| Method a notes | | Pronouncer type | Attending Physician |
| Method b | Visual (Witness) | Pronouncer last name | Brown, MD |
| Last name | Brittain | Pronouncer first name | Keith |
| First name | Noah | Found deceased | |
| Middle name | Hunter | Found deceased by | |
| Suffix | | Age | 17 years 6 months 25 days |
| Alias | | Drivers license | |
| Homeless | | Registered donor | |
| Country | ██████████ | SSN | |
| Address | ██████████ ██████████ ██████████ | Birth country | |
| Township/Village | ██████ | Birth state | |
| County | ██████ | international | |
| Inside city limits | ██ | Marital status | Single |
| Phone | | Pregnant | |
| Sex | Male | Student status | |
| Race | White | Employment status | |
| Ethnicity | | Occupation | High School Student |
| | | Business/Industry | Student |
| | | Employer | |
| | | Education level | 9th-12th Grade, No Diploma |
| | | Veteran status | Yes |
| | | Athletic status | |
| | | Athletic description | |

Circumstances

Jurisdiction

Scene investigated Yes

by Law Enforcement

Agency Arkansas State Police

Incident

Officer Special Agents Christiana McKibben and Greg Bray
Christiana.mckibben@asp.arkansas.gov

Scene investigated by ME/C No

Investigation type Brought in for Examination

Date investigated 06/23/2021 05:05

Reason for reporting Homicide

Related to intimate partner violence

Decedent in custody No

Police involved Yes

Police involvement Shooting

Decedent has minor child

Drugs involved

Evidence of alcohol

Suspected suicide Unknown

Hospice No

Indian reservation No

Date LKA

Time LKA

Medical treatments

Appropriate clothing

Describe clothing

Alerts to the pathologist

Suspected behaviors

Case Brief (Non-identifiable data)

Investigator Narrative

At 0505 hours I received a call from Kelly Hayes RN with Baptist Medical Center North Little Rock regarding a police-involved shooting death. The decedent was admitted on 6-23-21. I contacted Senior Deputy Coroner Josh Hollis and responded to the hospital.

Upon arrival to the emergency department, I was directed to bed 16 where the decedent was viewed by this office and identified by the nursing staff. I was met by Special Agent Christiana McKibben with the Arkansas State Police. Special Agent McKibben advised that she didn't have much information on what happened at the scene since she was sent to the hospital. Special Agent McKibben did inform that she got some information from a deputy with the Lonoke County Sheriff's Office. She advised that a Sergeant with the Lonoke County Sheriff's Office conducted a traffic stop on State Highway 89 and Tower Loop Road when the decedent got out of the vehicle and "got something out of the back" and started coming towards the Sergeant, that is when the Sergeant fired his weapon. S.A McKibben informed me that she did not know if the decedent was the driver or a passenger in the vehicle and she was unsure where the decedent "got something out of the back".

With the help of S.A McKibben, the decedent was placed in a yellow body bag and transported to the Pulaski County Morgue to await transport to the Arkansas Medical Examiners Office. Decedent placed in cooler 1 with tag number #048404.

An empty brown wallet was retained by this office and placed in locker 2.

Were witness accounts of event consistent?

Postmortem Observations

| | | | |
|----------------------------|------------|--|---------------------------------|
| Date of exam by MDI | | Non-therapeutic needle marks | |
| Approximate height | 67 inches | Injury to bowel | |
| Approximate weight | 140 pounds | Samples collected by investigator | |
| Body location | | Samples collected | |
| Body temperature | | Suspected manner of death | Homicide |
| Outside temperature | | | Suspected cause of death |
| Thermostat setting | | Suspected COD/Circumstance | |
| Thermostat reading | | | |
| Room temperature | | | |
| Rigor | | | |
| Lividity a | | | |
| Lividity b | | | |
| Decomposition | | | |
| Position discovered | | | |

External injury and descriptions

Description

Secondary Party: , Tamara

| | | | |
|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| Last name | | Relationship | Mother |
| First name | Tamara | Referred to | |
| Middle name | | PF | Type |
| Maiden name | Leggett | | |
| Date of birth | Age years | Age months | |

Mobile phone
Email address
Notes

Addresses

Secondary Party: Britton, Michael

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|---------------|-----------|--------------|--------|
| Last name | Britton | Relationship | Father |
| First name | Michael | Referred to | |
| Middle name | | PF | Type |
| Maiden name | | | |
| Date of birth | Age years | Age months | |

Mobile phone
Email address
Notes

Addresses

Secondary Party: Leggett, Tamara

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|---------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|
| Last name | Leggett | Relationship | Mother |
| First name | Tamara | Referred to | |
| Middle name | | PF | Type |
| Maiden name | | | Point of contact |
| Date of birth | Age years | Age months | |

Mobile phone
Email address
Notes

Addresses

Address 1

Category
Address
Phone 1
Phone 2
Time at address

██████████
██████████████████

Location

Description
Address
type
Address

3333 Springhill Drive
North Little Rock, AR 72117

County

Pulaski

Notes
Type

Location of death

Location

other

Location of Death Details

Location of death

Hospital

Description

ER

Location

Description
Address
type
Address

404 W. Dewitt Henry Dr.
P O Box 490
Beebe, AR 720120490

County
Notes
Type

Final disposition

Location

other

Final Disposition Details

Removed by
Date of removal
Funeral/Crematorium

Smith- Westbrook Funeral
Home

Funeral/Crematorium

501-882-5412

phone
Funeral license
number
Cemetery
Plot number
Cemetery city
Cemetery state

Location

Description
Address
type
Address
County
Notes
Type

Scene

Location

other

Scene Location Details

Scene

investigated

Police agency

Arkansas State Police

Police incident

Officer

Special Agents Christiana McKibben
and Greg Bray
Christiana.mckibben@asp.arkansas.gov

Details

Location

Description

Address

type

Address

7180 Highway 89 S.
Cabot , AR 72023

County

Notes

Type

Injury

Location

other

Injury Location Details

Place

Street

Description

Venue

Transportation injury

Date of injury

06/23/2021

Time of injury

03:00

Injury/Death interval

58 minutes

At work

No

Firearm

Type

Handgun

Specific type

Pistol - Semi-automatic

Ammunition

Make/Model

Barrel length

Overall length

Distance from trigger to end of muzzle

Firearm trace

Number of non-fatally shot persons

Caliber gauge

Serial number

Magazine/Cylinder cap

Use of weapon

Party handling firearm

Primary hand

Date firearm

purchased

City of firearm

purchase

Purchaser state

First firearm

purchaser

Notes

Police issued sidearm. Lonoke County Sheriff's Office

Medical History

Information Sources

None indicated

Vaccinations

None indicated

Diseases/Disorders

None indicated

Cancer

None indicated

Cardiac/Cardiovascular

None indicated

GI/GU

None indicated

Hepatic

None indicated

Neurological

None indicated

Psychiatric Illness

None indicated

Tobacco Use / Smoking

Use None indicated

Type None indicated

Describe (include daily use):

Alcohol Use

None indicated

Drinks per day

Drug Use

None indicated

Drug description

Drug and Alcohol Treatment

None indicated

Health Care Providers

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Name | Name |
| Address | Address |
| Phone number | Phone number |
| Fax number | Fax number |
| Date last seen | Date last seen |

Medical history notes

Autopsy

Body Bag Information

Seal number 048404
Name/Number on ID Noah Britton
Tag

Notes

Autopsy

| | | | |
|------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|-------|
| Autopsy procedure | Full | Autopsy case number | |
| Exam date | | X-Rays | |
| Autopsy Assistant | | Photos | |
| Attending | | Histology | |
| Findings availability | Yes | Toxicology | |
| Tobacco use | No | Specimens drawn | |
| Autopsy report signed | | Cardiovascular consult | |
| Persons in attendance | | Neuropathologic consult | |
| | | Remains | Human |
| Preliminary findings | | | |

Cause/Manner of Death

| | |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Death certificate number | |
| COD/Circumstances | |
| COD description | |
| Immediate cause | Interval (Onset to Death) |
| a. Gunshot Wound of Neck and Arm | Unknown |
| Due to (or as a consequence of) | |
| b. | |
| Due to (or as a consequence of) | |
| c. | |
| Due to (or as a consequence of) | |
| d. | |
| Other significant conditions | |

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Manner of death | Describe How Injury Occurred |
| Homicide | |

Body Identification

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|---------------------|-------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Status | Type | Method A | Method B |
| Investigator | Positive | Circumstances | Visual (Witness) |
| Pathologist | | | |
| Method notes | | | |

Other Body Information

Body Weights/Length

Body length Body weight

Body Has:

Gallbladder

Appendix

Uterus

Head Description

Hair color

Facial hair

Right eye color

Left eye color

Dental

description

Stomach Contents

Description

Volume

Fractures

Observations

Rigor

Lividity a

Lividity b

Body

temperature

Organ Weights

Heart

Right lung

Left lung

Liver

Spleen

Right kidney

Left kidney

Brain

Thymus

Pericardial

Right pleural

Left pleural

Peritoneal

Urine

Autopsy notes

Body Details

Physical Characteristics

Amputations

Deformities

Scars and marks

Tattoos

Piercings

Medical implants

Foreign objects

Skeletal findings

Organ absent

Prior surgery

Artificial parts/aids

Body Parts Inventory

All parts recovered

Body condition

Head not recovered

Decomposition scale

Torso not recovered

One or more limbs not recovered

One or both hands not recovered

Gerone D. Hobbs

Coroner

Name

Title



1 Sept 21

Signature

Date Signed