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Chief Reed,

I have reviewed the case file of the June 30 2016 wherein citizen, Charles Russell, shot and killed Anthony Edmonds. Edmonds had just performed a strong armed robbery with a butcher knife on a convenience store right before the shooting occurred. Under the facts and applicable Tennessee law, I conclude that the shooting is justified and that no charges should be filed against Mr. Russell. Please contact me with any questions you may have.

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