

**CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CASE SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT**

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**JG424436**

Case id : 13210967  
Sup ID : 16425667 CASR301

**EXC. CLEARED CLOSED (OTHER EXCEPTIONAL) DETECTIVE SUP. APPROVAL COMPLETE**

Last Offense Classification/Re-Classification	IUCR Code	Original Offense Classification			IUCR Code
<b>HOMICIDE / First Degree Murder</b>	<b>0110</b>	<b>HOMICIDE / First Degree Murder</b>			<b>0110</b>
Address of Occurrence	Beat of Occur	No of Victims	No of Offenders	No of Arrested	SCR No
<b>60 E MONROE ST</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	
Location Type	Location Code	Secondary Location			Hate Crime?
<b>Apartment</b>	<b>090</b>	<b>Hallway</b>			<b>NO</b>
Date of Occurrence	Unit Assigned	Date RO Arrived	Fire Related?	Gang Related?	Domestic Related?
<b>14-SEP-2023 19:22</b>	<b>0132</b>	<b>14-SEP-2023 19:42</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>NO</b>

Reporting Officer	Star No	Approving Supervisor	Star No	Primary Detective Assigned	Star No
DOWLING, Daniel	21254	ROONEY, John	2559	DOWLING, Daniel	21254
Date Submitted		Date Approved		Assignment Type	
23-JUL-2025 15:51		23-JUL-2025 21:47		FIELD	

**THIS IS A FIELD INVESTIGATION EXC. CLEARED CLOSED (OTHER EXCEPTIONAL) REPORT**

**VICTIM(S) :**



**TYPE: Individual**

Male / Black / 32 Years

**DOB:** [REDACTED]

**RES:** [REDACTED]

**DESCRIPTION:** 5'10,185-200, Black Hair, Braids Hair Style, Brown Eyes, Black Complexion

**SOBRIETY:** Unknown

**OFFENDER(S):**



-- In Custody --

Male / White / 46 Years

**DOB:** [REDACTED]

**RES:** [REDACTED]

**BIRTH PL:** Illinois

**DESCRIPTION:** 6'00,180,Blond / Strawberry Hair, Short Hair Style, Blue Eyes, Light Complexion

**OTHER IDENTIFICATIONS:** Type - Firearm Owners Identification (Foid) Card # [REDACTED]  
State - Illinois  
Type - Concealed Carry License # [REDACTED]  
State - Illinois

**IR #:** 2491992

**CB #:** 30280646

**RELATIONSHIP OF VICTIM TO OFFENDER:**

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[Redacted] No Relationship

VICTIM INJURIES

[Redacted]

Type	Weapon Used	Weapon Description
Gun Shot	Handgun	Other - Sig Sauer P938

CAUSE: Weapon ? Firearm

REASON: Other

EXTENT: Fatal  
Injured by Offender

HOSPITAL: Northwestern Memorial Hospital

INJURY TREATMENT: Pronounced At 2011 Hrs

PHYSICIAN NAME: Dr. Joung

TRANSPORTED TO:

[Redacted]

( Victim )

Transported to Northwestern Memorial Hospital  
Transport Was Authorized By Amb 74

WEAPON(S):

INV #: 15374980

Evidence

Used Displayed

Sig/S. I. G./Swiss Industrial Gesellschaft --Sz-- , Pt938 , 9 , Semi-Automatic Pistol , Automatic , 3

SERIAL #: 52E078120

MAGAZINE CAPACITY: 6

Number Of Live Rounds used in the Firearm - 5

This Firearm was seized

OWNER: [Redacted]

POSSESSOR/USER: [Redacted]

LOCATION FOUND: 60 E Monroe St

LOCATION OF INCIDENT:

60 E Monroe St  
Chicago IL 60603  
090 - Apartment  
Hallway

DATE & TIME OF INCIDENT:

14-SEP-2023 19:22

DEATH INFORMATION:

[Redacted]

( Victim )

DATE OF DEATH: 14-SEP-2023 20:11

AUTOPSY INFORMATION:

PERFORMED BY: Eckhardt

CAUSE OF DEATH: MgsW

MEDICAL EXAMINER #: 23-05553

METHOD CODE(S):

Person(S) Shot

CAU CODE(S):

DNA

FIREARM(S)

INV #: 15374980

Evidence

RECOVERED:

Sig/S. I. G./Swiss Industrial Gesellschaft --Sz-- , Pt938 , 9 , Semi-Automatic Pistol , Automatic , 3

SERIAL #: [REDACTED]

OWNER: [REDACTED]

POSSESSOR/USER: [REDACTED]

LOCATION FOUND: 60 E Monroe St

MAGAZINE CAPACITY: 6

Number Of Live Rounds used in the Firearm - 5

PERSONNEL ASSIGNED:

Arresting Officer - First

SALMERON, Joel G # 9459 BEAT: 0162C

Arresting Officer - Second

GIERUT, Frank S # 11048 BEAT: 0162C

Assisting Officer

ISLAS, Veronica C # 6785 BEAT: 0162C

Detective / Investigator

DOWLING, Daniel J # 21254

DRIZNER, Rachel M # 20955 BEAT: 5362A

Reporting Officer

WAITE, David L # 10229 BEAT: 0132

VERA, Ricardo A # 16849 BEAT: 0132

Supervisor - On Scene

WELLS, Deidra L # 1793 BEAT: 0110

GILLILAND, Timothy D # 1895 BEAT: 0167

HOWARD, Pamela K # 1918 BEAT: 0120

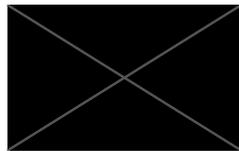
TAYLOR, Cedric F # 2191 BEAT: 0120

CRIME CODE SUMMARY:

0110 - Homicide - First Degree Murder

IUCR ASSOCIATIONS:

0110 - Homicide - First Degree Murder



( Victim )  
( Offender )  
( Offender )  
( Victim )

ASSOCIATED ARRESTS:

30280646

INCIDENT NOTIFICATIONS:

NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME: 09/14/2023:202200

REQUEST TYPE: Notification

PERSON NAME: Jose,Duran

STAR #: 20850

EMP #: [REDACTED]

NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME: 09/14/2023:201700

REQUEST TYPE: On Scene

PERSON NAME: Daniel,Dowling

STAR #: 21254

EMP #: [REDACTED]

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:000000

**REQUEST TYPE:** On Scene

**PERSON NAME:** Brian,Costanzo

**STAR #:** 20017

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:201700

**REQUEST TYPE:** On Scene

**PERSON NAME:** Sean,Driskill

**STAR #:** 20413

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:205000

**REQUEST TYPE:** Notification

**PERSON NAME:** ,Bryant

**STAR #:** 89

**EMP #:**

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:204000

**REQUEST TYPE:** Notification

**PERSON NAME:** ,

**STAR #:**

**EMP #:**

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:204400

**REQUEST TYPE:** Notification

**PERSON NAME:** Jesus,Vera

**STAR #:** 9589

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:205000

**REQUEST TYPE:** Notification

**PERSON NAME:** Alex,Aguas

**STAR #:** 8039

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:224400

**REQUEST TYPE:** On Scene

**PERSON NAME:** Hermogene,Del Toro Jr

**STAR #:** 8853

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:224400

**REQUEST TYPE:** On Scene

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**PERSON NAME:** Angel,Cahue

**STAR #:** 5005

**EMP #:** 

**NOTIFICATION DATE & TIME:** 09/14/2023:224400

**REQUEST TYPE:** On Scene

**PERSON NAME:** Dennis,Pociask

**STAR #:** 2552

**EMP #:** 

**INVESTIGATION:**

THIS IS AN AREA THREE EXCEPTIONALLY CLEARED CLOSED (OTHER EXCEPTIONAL)  
SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

**TYPE OF INCIDENT:**

0110: Homicide

**R.D. NUMBER:**

JG-424436

**LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE:**

60 E. Monroe  
48th floor (hallway)  
Chicago, IL 60603

**DAY, DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE:**

Thursday, 14 September 2023 at 1922 hours

**WEATHER & LIGHTING:**

Indoors with adequate artificial lighting

**DATE & TIME ASSIGNED:**

14 September 2023 at 1955 hours

**VICTIM (Deceased):**

  
M/1/32 oa

DOB: 

601 - 203 lbs

Arrests: None

IR # None

Social Security# 

**VICTIM CLOTHING:**

Gray bathrobe, a blue pair of underwear, and a black pair of socks

**VICTIM INJURIES:**

Gunshot wound of the right side of the chest  
Gunshot wound of the left axilla  
(2) Gunshot wounds of the abdomen  
Gunshot wound of the left forearm  
Gunshot wound of the left ring finger

**DAY, DATE, TIME OF ARREST:**

Thursday, 14 Sep 2023 at 2009 hours

**ARRESTING OFFICERS:**

Beat 161C  
P.O. SALMERON #9459  
P.O. ISLAS #6785  
P.O. GIERUT #11048

**OFFENDER:**

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

M/2/46 oa

[REDACTED]

Arrest: None  
IR# 2491992  
CB# 30280646  
IL DL# [REDACTED]  
FOID/CCL# [REDACTED] Active)

**MEDICAL EXAMINERS:**

ME# 2023-05553  
ME Investigator BRYANT #89

**TRANSPORTED TO:**

Northwestern Hospital via Chicago Fire Department ambulance #74

**PRONOUNCED:**

14 September 2023 at 2011 hours by Dr. JOUNG

**FAMILY NOTIFICATION:**

[REDACTED] brother)  
[REDACTED]

**WEAPON:**

Sig Sauer, P938, Serial [REDACTED], 9mm, Semi-Automatic pistol, 3-inch barrel, Inventory#

15374980

**MANNER/MOTIVE:**

Offender shot the victim after the victim battered two individuals.

**EVIDENCE:**

(5) 9mm fired cartridge casings (CSMs #1-5)

(1) Fired bullet (CSM# 6)

Pieces of jewelry recovered from the hallway floor (CSM#s 7-12)

Suspect red blood stain on the carpet of hallway (orange cone CSM #A)

Suspect red blood stain on the hallway wall (white and black tape CSMs #A, B, C, D, E, and F)

**Photographs:**

Overall: building (legacy hotel) located at 60 E. Monroe street

Both (overall/close up): elevator door to the 48th floor

Overall: "in situ" perspective of crime scene

Both (overall/close up): exterior of entry door to apartment 4806

Both (overall/close up): CSM 1-5: fired cartridge cases marked "9mm luger barnes +p"

Located on the floor near apartment 4806

Both (overall/close up): CSM d: suspect blood stain(s) located on the wall near Apartment 4806

Both (overall/close up): CSM e: suspect blood stain(s) located on the wall near Apartment 4806

Both (overall/close up): exterior of entry door to apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): CSM 6: suspect fired bullet located near apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): CSM 7 yellow metal chain links located on hallway floor near apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): CSM A: suspect blood stain(s) located on hallway floor near apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): CSM b: suspect blood stain(s) located on hallway wall near Apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): Suspect blood stain(s) located on hallway floorboard near Apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): CSM C: suspect blood stain(s) located on hallway wall near Apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): Damaged ceiling lamp located above csm a

Both (overall/close up): Suspect bullet impact mark located on wall near apartment 4803

Both (overall/close up): Exterior of entry door to apartment 4804

Both (overall/close up): CSM 8: yellow metal chain locking clip located on hallway floor near apartment 4804

Both (overall/close up): CSM 9: yellow metal chain link located on hallway floor near Apartment 4804

Both (overall/close up): CSM 10: yellow metal egyptian pharoah pendant located on hallway floor near apartment 4804

Both (overall/close up): Exterior of entry door to apartment 4805

Both (overall/close up): CSM 11: black stone pendant located on hallway floor near Apartment 4805

Both (overall/close up): CSM 12: yellow metal chain located on hallway floor near Apartment 4805

Overall: White post mortem bag containing decedent

Both (overall/close up): Suspect bullet impact wound about the decedent's chest area

Both (overall/close up): Name tag on post mortem bag

Both (overall/close up): Identification of photographs of decedent (XXXXXXXXXX) D.O.B



Both (overall/close up): (2) suspect bullet impact wounds about the decedent's lower abdomen  
Both (overall/close up): suspect bullet impact wound about the decedent's chest area  
Overall: Identification photographs of suspect [REDACTED] .O.B. [REDACTED]  
Both (overall/close up): The top of the suspect's [REDACTED] ea  
Both (overall/close up): The bandaged right pinky finger of suspect  
Overall: brown paper bag  
Both (overall/close up): Suspect's shirt located inside the brown bag

## Inventories:

15375046

Jewelry CSM 7 yellow metal chain links recovered from hallway carpeted floor

Jewelry CSM 8 yellow metal chain locking clip recovered from hallway carpeted floor

Jewelry CSM 9 yellow metal chain link recovered from hallway carpeted floor

Jewelry CSM 10 yellow metal egyptian pharaoh pendant

Jewelry CSM 11 black stone pendant recovered from hallway carpeted floor

Jewelry CSM 12 yellow metal chain recovered from hallway carpeted floor

15374916

gun shot residue kit, one sealed isp gun shot residue kit (23-127) administered to [REDACTED] in area 3 interview room #e @ 2043 hours

15375083 clothing / fur violet mens long sleeve shirt with suspect blood stains recovered from Area 3 Detective Division

15375125 cloth robe gry in clr

15374998 recordings - audio /visual optical disc in an envelope

15375000 recordings - audio /visual optical disc in an envelope

15464853 recordings - audio /visual optical discs in three envelopes

15412008 recordings - audio /visual optical disc in envelope of oemc return

15376602 attorney/711 visitation notification

15376602 copy of credentials

15464853 copy of receipt from Romanucci Blandin lawfirm

15375114 sealed swab box containing 2 swabs of suspect biological evidence from the firearm inv #15374980

15375124 sealed env mk'd "left fingernails (me# 2023-0555 [REDACTED] m/1/32) rec'd from dr. Eckhardt

15375039 gun: fired bullet/bullet fragment csm 6 fired bullet recovered from hallway carpeted floor

15375123 gun: fired bullet/bullet fragment sealed envs mk'd "projectile"; (me# 2023-05553 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] m/1/32) rec'd from Dr. Eckhardt

15375034 gun: fired cartridge case/shotshell csm 1-5 fired cartridge cases headstamped "barnes 9mm luger +p" recovered from hallway carpeted floor

15375120 buccal swabs sealed swab box mk'd "oral swab"; (me# 2023-05553 [REDACTED]

m/1/32) rec'd from dr. Eckhardt

15375121 blood card sealed env mk'd "dna"; (me# 2023-05553 abnerd-joseph m/1/32) rec'd from Dr. Eckhardt

15375051 blood swabs 1 swab box containing 2 swabs of suspect blood recovered from red stain located on hallway carpeted floor labeled "a"

15375054 blood swabs 1 swab box containing 2 swabs of suspect blood recovered from red stain located on hallway wall labeled "b"

Blood swabs 1 swab box containing 2 swabs of suspect blood recovered from red stain located on hallway wall labeled "f"

15374980 gun: firearm Sig Sauer, P938, 52e078120, 9mm, semi-automatic pistol, 3" barrel length, blue steel Gun: live cartridge/shotshell live 9mm round, Gun: magazine, stripper clip, moon clip silver magazine containing unknown number of live 9mm rounds, and a black holster

**NOTIFICATIONS:**

All proper notifications were made by the reporting officers.

**PERSONNEL ASSIGNED:**

Beat 5307 Detective Div. Supervisor  
Sgt KOLMAN #2000

Beat 167 Crime Scene Supervisor  
Sgt. GILLILAND #1895

Beat 120 Crime Scene Supervisor  
Sgt TAYLOR #2191

Beat 130 Crime Scene Supervisor  
Sgt HOWARD #1918

Beat 132 Reporting Officers  
P.O. Waite #10229  
P.O. Vera #16849

Beat 161C Arresting Officers  
P.O. SALMERON #9459  
P.O. ISLAS #6785  
P.O. GIERUT #11048

Beat 122 Crime Scene Protection  
VILLAREAL #11592

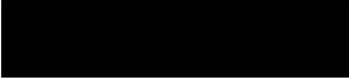
Beat 163A Crime Scene Protection Northwestern Hospital  
ALVEREZ #7861

Beat 111 Transporting Officers  
P.O. KARMA #18282  
P.O. MENDOZA #13292

Beat 5814 Evidence Technician  
CAHUE #5005



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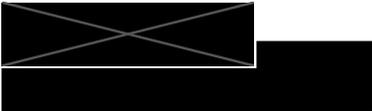


Beat 5321E Reporting Detective  
Det DOWLING #21254

Beat 5311 Assisting Detective  
Det COSTANZO #20017

Beat 5308F Assisting Detective  
Det DRISKILL #20413

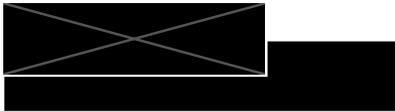
Area Technology Center Personnel:  
Det R. DRIZNER #20955 Beat 5362A  
P.O. D. SCHAFFER #15238 Beat 5362C  
P.O. T. SCHMITZ #16444 Beat 5362D



M/6/60 oa

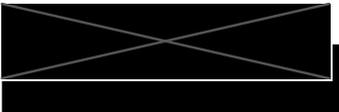
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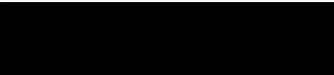


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DOB [redacted]



F/6/47 oa



M/2/75 oa



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F/2/74 oa



M/1/32 oa



F/2/35 oa



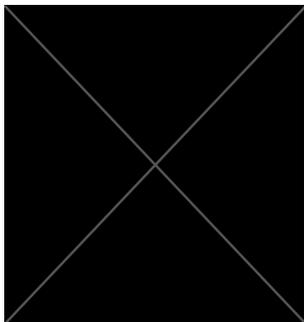
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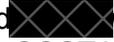


## INVESTIGATION:

This report is to be read in conjunction with all other reports generated under this Record Division Number. This report is a summarization of all reported information as well as all interviews and is not to be considered verbatim.

On 14 Sep 2023, reporting detective (R/D) was assigned the homicide investigation of Abnerd JOSEPH which occurred at 60 E. Monroe Street, Cook County, Chicago IL 60603. Sgt KOLMAN #2000 of the Area Three command assigned R/D this case. Sgt KOLMAN related an individual was shot in a condo building and the shooter called 911 reporting he had shot someone. R/D along with Sgt KOLMAN, Det COSTANZO and Det DRISKILL proceeded to the scene. This case is reported under the Chicago Police RD# JG-424436.

R/D arrived on scene and noted 60 E. Monroe St to be the Legacy Building at Millennium Park, a 72-story skyscraper, located along S. Wabash Ave. The Legacy Building is comprised of condominium units, rental apartments, as well as street level commercial retail spaces. R/D observed numerous marked and unmarked Chicago Police vehicles parked at the entrance to the Legacy Building. Beat 111, manned by P.O. KARMA #18282 and P.O. MENDOZA #13292 were assigned as the transporting officers for the offender,  was subsequently transported to Area Three Detective Division.

R/D then entered the lobby of 60 E. Monroe and was met by Beat 167 Sgt GILLILAND #1895 who directed R/D to witnesses  and . Sgt GILLILAND related two additional witnesses departed the area after the shooting (later determined to be  and ). R/D learned  is a resident of 60 E. Monroe St, and  is a door man for the Legacy Building.  and  were then interviewed independently in the office spaces of 60 E. Monroe St. R/D and Det COSTANZO interviewed staff member  while Sgt KOLMAN interviewed resident .

Below is the interview of  and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.



 related earlier in the day, on 14 Sep 2023, he was employed as "Door staff" for the Legacy Building.  was known to residents by his nicknames of   received a call at the front desk from a resident stating there was a person knocking on doors and screaming on the 29th floor.  further related the resident caller stated he did not know the person.  then called 911 and requested police assistance. Please refer to the Office of Emergency Management, audio recorded, service call event# 2325712868 at 1921 hours for a complete and accurate account of the 911 call.

 elicited the help of a custodian  after receiving multiple calls from residents of the 29th floor concerning a disturbance.  relocated to the 29th floor in an effort to

investigate the source of the disturbance. [REDACTED] was requested by [REDACTED] as [REDACTED] did not want to leave the front desk position unattended. [REDACTED] returned and related there wasn't anyone located in the 29th floor hallway. [REDACTED] explained "a married couple" (now known as residents [REDACTED]) then came to the building's front desk and reported a male Black yelling in the elevator. [REDACTED] informed [REDACTED] that a male Black was yelling while he exited the elevator on the 48th floor. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] observed the male Black as they entered the same elevator he was exiting.

[REDACTED] was then approached at the front desk by an additional resident who notified him of an individual causing a disturbance. [REDACTED] described him as "the shooter" ("the shooter" is now known as [REDACTED]). [REDACTED] said [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] all joined [REDACTED] in heading to the 48th floor in an attempt to locate the male Black who was yelling in the hallway. [REDACTED] noted [REDACTED] was a friendly resident who regularly hangs around the front lobby desk. [REDACTED] is known to help with issues arising with the computer based security camera system. [REDACTED] said the group was worried for other tenants after hearing reports of a person in the building screaming and knocking on doors.

[REDACTED] related himself, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], and [REDACTED], exited the elevator on the 48th floor, and the group immediately heard screaming and someone pounding on doors. [REDACTED] observed a male Black in a black robe say, "Hey buddy, what happened?". [REDACTED] described a feeling of relief because he believed the male Black knew someone in his group. The male Black then "rushed" [REDACTED] and struck him with a fist two to three times in the side of the head. The closed fist strikes that [REDACTED] received caused him to fall backward into the wall. [REDACTED] struck his elbow on the wall and fell into the group of people behind him. According to [REDACTED] the male Black then struck [REDACTED] in the jaw causing him to fall to the ground unconscious. [REDACTED] described [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] as being behind him when he started to back up. [REDACTED] then said, "I have a gun, I have a license." [REDACTED] stated the male Black "punched the shooter, and the shooter fired four to five shots". [REDACTED] was then observed by [REDACTED] as he began to crawl away as [REDACTED] backed up toward the elevator. [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] all relocated back downstairs to the front desk via an elevator. It was then [REDACTED] activated the Police Panic Alarm button located at the front desk. Please refer to Office of Emergency Management, audio recording, service call event# 2325713127 at 1937 hours where a third party alarm company notified 911 of a panic alarm activation.

[REDACTED] told investigators he realized he recognized the male Black as a resident he believed to be named [REDACTED].

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED].

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

Sgt KOLMAN #2000 had the occasion to interview resident [REDACTED] who witnessed this event. [REDACTED] related he went to pick up food and upon returning saw the doorman, [REDACTED], on the

phone taking a call of a disturbance on the 29th floor. [REDACTED] then requested the maintenance man check it out. [REDACTED] further related before the maintenance man returned, calls from the 48th floor began coming in of disturbance on that floor. [REDACTED], [REDACTED], an older couple, and the offender who are all residents went to investigate.

[REDACTED] said, upon arriving on the 48th floor, [REDACTED] exited first followed by [REDACTED] then the older couple (now known as the [REDACTED]) and the offender. Screaming could be heard to their right and down the hallway. [REDACTED] described the hallway having a dead end where you must turn right or left. The group walked to the end of the hallway toward the screaming and shouting and [REDACTED] encountered (the victim) [REDACTED] first and [REDACTED] asked [REDACTED], "What was wrong?" [REDACTED] then rushed toward [REDACTED] and began to strike him about the head and body. [REDACTED] tried to fend off the attack and began to retreat. At some point, [REDACTED] ended up behind [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] then struck [REDACTED] one time in the face causing him to fall to the ground. [REDACTED] believed he was "knocked out" for a bit of time.

[REDACTED] went on to describe that he heard one shot and felt someone pull him down the hallway away from [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] related he then got up off the floor under his own power and began to move toward the elevator. [REDACTED] did not see who shot. [REDACTED] did not know any witnesses involved except [REDACTED] the doorman.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED]

R/D, Sgt KOLMAN, Det COSTANZO, and Det DRISKILL relocated to the 48th floor in order to process the crime scene. R/D observed the 48th floor to be an L-shaped main hallway bisected by a bank of elevators. The L-shaped hallway was built in an east/west orientation. The west end of the main L-shaped hallway terminates with a perpendicular, smaller, unit access hallway. The crime scene was protected by Beat 0122 with yellow crime scene tape securing the section of the hallway which was located west of the elevator bank. Unit #'s 4803 4804 4805 4806 make up the western portion of the 48th floor. R/D observed a gold chain, a gold pendent, and a gold charm on the carpeted floor in front of Unit# 4804. An apparent bullet hole was located in the floor baseboard between Unit #'s 4803 and 4804. A suspected red blood stain was located just south of the intersection where the unit's hallway intersects with the main hallway. Five (5) 9mm expended shell casings were observed near the intersection of the main hallway and the unit's hallway, in a line in a north/south direction, directed toward Unit# 4806. Six small suspected red blood stains were observed on the east and west walls closest to Unit# 4806 in similar fashion to a blood spatter pattern. Please refer to the crime scene video and photos for further information.

Evidence Technicians CAHUE and DEL TORO arrived on scene, and walked the scene with R/D. R/D pointed out items of evidentiary value to CAHUE and DEL TORO. Crime scene markers, further referred to as CSMs, #1-8 and CSM A were placed. CSMs #1-5 were designated for 9mm expended shell casings. CSM# 6 highlighted a fired bullet. CSMs #7-12 were designated for the various pieces of jewelry located on the floor nearest to unit# 4804. A small orange cone denoting CSM A was placed marking the suspected red blood stain where responding police located the victim [REDACTED]. White and black tape markers labeled A, B, C, D, E, and F were then placed on the wall highlighting suspected red blood stain splatter. Suspected red blood stain markers A, B, and F were swabbed for potential biological material. Evidence was video recorded, photographed, and recovered and given

a unique Chicago Police Department inventory number.

R/D, Sgt KOLMAN, Det COSTANZO, and Det DRISKILL began to canvass the 48th floor. Unit# 4804 was occupied by [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was interviewed by Det DRISKILL while R/D was present.

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] related she heard a loud disturbance in the hallway. [REDACTED] said she looked through the peephole of her door, and observed a male Black banging on her door. [REDACTED] utilized her cell phone in order to record the incident from inside her unit. The video recording captured voices in the hallway. The video containing audio of an interaction moments before the shooting was then provided to the Area Three Technology Center and R/D via email. Please refer to inventory# 15375000 for the complete video. [REDACTED] then related she called "911" to report hearing an unknown number of shots.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED]

At 2114 hours R/D along with Det DRISKILL attempted to make contact with the occupants of Unit# 4803 to no avail. At 2120 hours R/D was then alerted to Unit# 4803 opening the door to speak with investigators. The occupant was an elderly White female who wished to not give her name or information. R/D informed the resident R/D was investigating a shooting in the hallway. The resident related she heard loud talking in the hallway but did not hear any gun shots. The female White thought the talking she heard "may have been building maintenance" personnel. The female White related she resided in the unit with her husband who was located in the bedroom sleeping, and her husband was asleep at the time of the shooting. R/D requested permission to enter her residence in order to locate the bullet that was fired into the baseboard from the hallway. R/D was granted access, and R/D with Det DRISKILL inspected the interior of the kitchen cabinets which are affixed along the condo/apartment side of the hallway wall. R/D could not locate a fired bullet inside the cabinets nor a bullet hole.

Unit# [REDACTED] was occupied by [REDACTED] and his partner [REDACTED]. R/D reviewed body worn camera footage where [REDACTED] related to responding officers that he heard a disturbance through the door and heard someone say, "I will shoot." [REDACTED] saw a "man in a work uniform for the building" and then [REDACTED] heard gunshots. [REDACTED]'s observations were memorialized via recorded body worn camera under Axon Evidence.com Det TORRES Employee #111871.

Sgt KOLMAN had the occasion to interview [REDACTED] where [REDACTED] gave essentially the same sequence of events but [REDACTED] expounded on his previous observations.

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] related he looked through the door's peephole and observed what appeared to be a person in a black vest, a doorman, retreating. [REDACTED] saw who he believed to be the shooter in a sweater, and heard three rounds being fired. [REDACTED] did not see anybody shooting a gun. [REDACTED] observed [REDACTED] call the building's front desk employee prior to the shooting to report a disturbance in the hallway.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED].

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] phoned the lobby after hearing a disturbance through the door. At 1930 hours [REDACTED] stated she heard someone say, "I'm going to fuck you up." [REDACTED] heard three gunshots then dialed "911" at 1934 hours.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED].

Sgt KOLMAN and Det DRISKILL completed the canvass of the 48th floor then continued to canvass the 29th floor. It was learned both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] lived in close proximity to each other. [REDACTED] resided in Unit# [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] resided in Unit# [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] is the resident of Unit# [REDACTED].

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] related to Sgt KOLMAN that earlier in the night he heard yelling in the hallway. [REDACTED] looked out of his door's peephole and saw his neighbor banging on his own door while yelling incoherent words. [REDACTED] was referencing Unit# 2905 being banged on. [REDACTED] called down to the front desk to report his observations. [REDACTED] then observed his neighbor going toward doors on his floor and banging on their doors as well. [REDACTED] went on to say a short time later the floor went silent. [REDACTED] did not see the shooting, and [REDACTED] never left the 29th floor.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED].

R/D along with Det COSTANZO relocated to the lobby of 60 E. Monroe and observed the [REDACTED] couple returned to their residence. R/D introduced himself and asked [REDACTED] to sit for an interview. At 2224 hours the [REDACTED] were interviewed by R/D and Det COSTANZO.

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] related he and his wife [REDACTED] were headed to dinner and pressed the elevator button to leave the 48th floor. [REDACTED] said the elevator door opened and a male Black in a blue robe starting yelling "Fucking white crackers". The male Black then exited the elevator before [REDACTED] entered. [REDACTED] described the male Black as "yelling and pounding" as he walked toward Unit# 4802. [REDACTED] along with [REDACTED] rode the elevator to the first floor.

[REDACTED] related he and his wife approached the building's front desk to inform them of the male Black on the 48th floor. [REDACTED] spoke to [REDACTED] at the front desk. [REDACTED] was concerned she may have not locked their front door and wished to go back up to the 48th floor to confirm the door was secure. It was then [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and a resident (now known as [REDACTED]) who said "I have a license to carry" all went to the 48th floor.

[REDACTED] said, "the elevator opens and we hear yelling". [REDACTED] did not know what the individual was saying. [REDACTED] stated, "the guy was pissed, angry out of his mind" when he referenced the demeanor of the male Black. [REDACTED] went on to describe the male Black attacking the group with the group falling backward into each other 'like dominos'. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] was struck and was observed to be "wobbling". [REDACTED] heard several gunshots as he was falling backwards. [REDACTED] went on to say all the residents then entered the elevator except the guy who was shot.

[REDACTED] then said he remembered, in the past, he would consistently see a Chicago Police Squad car parked around the corner from his residence. [REDACTED] then relocated to Wabash Ave and summoned the officer who was assigned a fixed post at that location. [REDACTED] spoke to Det TORRES #20806, and informed him there was a shooting and the victim was injured. Det TORRES followed [REDACTED] to the 60 E. Monroe lobby. [REDACTED] observed [REDACTED] being detained by the Chicago Police Department personnel.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED].

Below is the interview of [REDACTED] and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] related she was heading to dinner with her husband [REDACTED] when a male Black exited the elevator and walked between herself and her husband in order to walk toward Unit# 4802. When the male Black exited the elevator he said "Fucking white crackers". [REDACTED] observed the male Black wearing underwear and a robe that was open and not tied. [REDACTED] said she heard the individual yelling as he went down the hallway and she could hear pounding. [REDACTED] and her husband boarded the elevator and while heading down to the lobby [REDACTED] realized her and her husband have had a "bad habit of leaving the door unlocked" due to "letting their guard down with a door staff". [REDACTED] wished to go back upstairs to verify if her door was indeed locked.

██████████ and ██████████ informed the doorman of their observations before getting on the elevator. ██████████ said a resident (now known as ██████████) stated, "I have a licensed to carry" which she believes to be a gun permit. ██████████ her husband, ██████████, a bald guy (now known as ██████████), and ██████████ all entered the elevator.

██████████ then noted when she took the elevator back to the 48th floor she did not go toward the yelling; ██████████ instead went directly toward her residence in the opposite direction. ██████████ heard gunfire and returned to help the bald guy who was uneasy on his feet. ██████████ then asked if everyone was "okay". ██████████ observed the victim ██████████ slumped on the floor. ██████████ and the other residents then entered the elevator to return to the lobby. After police personnel arrived ██████████ then departed for dinner.

That concluded the interview of ██████████.

R/D along with Det COSTANZO proceeded to Northwestern Memorial Hospital located at 251 E. Erie in order to process the remains of the victim ██████████. At 2322 hours on 14 Sep 2023, Dets arrived and observed ██████████ secured in the morgue guarded by P.O. ALVAREZ #7861 of Beat 163A. ██████████ was unclothed, intubated, and within a human remains bag. ██████████ had sustained gunshot wounds to the right side of the chest, the left axilla, the abdomen (two times), the left forearm, and left ring finger. ETs photographed the remains of ██████████ and evidence preservation bags were placed on both hands to protect potential biological material. Please refer to Crime Scene Report# 515976 for further information concerning the Forensics Services Section processing of the 60 E. Monroe and Northwestern Hospital crime scenes.

R/D requested beat 163A summon Allied Removal service for ██████████ to be transport to the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office in order for an autopsy to be performed.

In an effort to locate next of kin, R/D enlisted the assistance of 60 E. Monroe St staff in retrieving the emergency contact information for victim ██████████. ██████████ was listed as a "Brother" for ██████████ resided at ██████████ t 0003 hours R/D along with Dets COSTANZO and DRI KILL arrived at ██████████ to interview ██████████ and give a next of kin notification.

Below is the interview of ██████████ and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

██████████

██████████ related he was a fraternity brother of ██████████ referred to ██████████ by his nickname "██████████". ██████████ stated he has known "██████████" since college. "██████████" would seek help from ██████████ with business ideas, and ██████████ said "██████████" wanted his analytical feedback. In the last two weeks ██████████ has noticed "██████████" was off" and developed an unusual way of discussing topics. ██████████ received a phone call from ██████████ in the morning hours of 14 Sep 2023 where ██████████ told ██████████ just to listen and not speak. ██████████ proceeded to talk with ██████████ about business ideas that were not grounded in reality. ██████████ said "██████████" seemed a little weird and eccentric.

██████████ said prior to the shooting he received a phone call from ██████████, a fraternity brother at Florida State University, to inform ██████████ as to ██████████'s mental state. ██████████ stated, "something was wrong with him, and he is not okay". ██████████ received the call from ██████████ requesting ██████████ conduct a well-being check because he had a close relationship with "██████████" and ██████████ was local to ██████████. ██████████ described his fear that ██████████ may "jump from the building" referencing the high rise where ██████████ resided. ██████████ said he relocated to 60 E. Monroe and saw several police and fire department vehicles parked with their emergency lights activated. ██████████ overheard police and citizens talk of a shooting. ██████████ attempted to inquire with 60 E. Monroe staff and police if ██████████ was involved in the shooting that took place. ██████████ then observed ██████████ being taken to a Chicago Fire Department ambulance via a stretcher. ██████████ then contacted ██████████ brother ██████████ and informed ██████████ that his brother had been shot. ██████████ furnished R/D with a phone number for ██████████.

That concluded the interview of ██████████.

R/D made notification of the passing of ██████████ to his brother, ██████████, via telephone at 0009 hours on 15 Sep 2023. R/D phoned ██████████ due to ██████████ living in the state of Georgia. ██████████ related there was no known mental health issues with ██████████, but ██████████ was concerned with ██████████ becoming mentally exhausted. ██████████ related ██████████ had a prescription for Adderall. ██████████ related to R/D he would get an airline ticket to Chicago as soon as possible.

R/D and Det COSTANZO returned to the Area Three Detective Division in order to interview the offender ██████████. ██████████ arrest is documented under CB# 30280646. It was then R/D learned that P.O. SALMERON #9459 of Beat 161C recovered a firearm from ██████████'s front pants pocket. The firearm recovered was found to be (1) Sig Sauer P938, Serial# ██████████, 9MM, SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL, 3" BARREL LENGTH, BLUE STEEL containing a silver magazine and live rounds. The firearm was inventoried under inventory# 15424810.

While in interview Room E ██████████ was read rights under Miranda by Det MONTALVO #21047 at 2155 hours on 14 Sep 2023 in the presence of Det STRAZZANTE #21121. Dets MONTALVO and STRAZZANTE began the interview due to R/D processing the scene and interviewing witnesses.

Below is the interview of ██████████ and is not verbatim unless otherwise noted with quotation marks.

██████████

██████████ stated he was at his home working on his computer when he heard someone trying to "bang the door down". ██████████ looked out of the peephole and observed what he believed to be a male Black with long hair due to only seeing the top of his head. ██████████ described the person as loud and very violent. ██████████ stated the individual outside his door banging said, "I'm gonna break your door down". ██████████ said he heard his door handle moving. ██████████ related he called the door man and then he called "911". ██████████ further related he "thought he was on drugs because he was talking about someone behind the mirror". ██████████ related the individual was "clearly not rational". ██████████ relocated to the lobby after the individual departed his hallway. ██████████ said he was joined by four

other people who were headed to the elevator to go the 48th floor. [REDACTED] related he didn't expect anything to go wrong with a group of people. [REDACTED] related when the elevator doors open he could hear shouting and banging on doors. [REDACTED] related to MONTALVO and STRAZZANTE that he observed the male Black on the 48th floor strike [REDACTED] with a knife or possible weapon.

After [REDACTED] struck [REDACTED], [REDACTED] described drawing his gun and [REDACTED] then striking [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] believes the elderly couple fled. [REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as he ran toward him and [REDACTED] said he backed into a dead end corner. [REDACTED] said he fired when [REDACTED] was about six feet away. [REDACTED] believes he fired three (3) rounds. [REDACTED] stopped firing because the gun was slipping from his hands. [REDACTED] related [REDACTED] fell on top of him after he fired. [REDACTED] then got up, patted the front of his body, and walked toward the opposite corner of the hallway.

R/D joined the interview with Dets MONTALVO and STRAZZANTE at approx. 0118 hours on 15 Sep 2023

[REDACTED] related much of the same account except [REDACTED] did not make mention of [REDACTED] having any possible weapons to R/D. [REDACTED] related he was concerned for his neighbors and [REDACTED] didn't want any of his neighbors to get hurt. [REDACTED] said, " he was moving toward me, I fired." [REDACTED] did not recall saying anything before firing or after firing.

At 0229 hours offender [REDACTED] requested an attorney and detectives terminated the interview at that time.

That concluded the interview of [REDACTED]

Please reference the ERI recorded video of [REDACTED] for a complete and accurate account of the interview.

R/D took photographs of the injuries to the body of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] had abrasions to both knees and his back.

On 15 Sep 2023 R/D contacted the Cook County States Attorney's Office and advised them there was an individual in custody and charges for First Degree Murder would be sought.

On 15 Sep 2023, Dr. ECKHARDT performed an autopsy on the remains of [REDACTED] and determined the cause and manner of death to be Multiple Gunshot Wounds / Homicide. An external examination revealed: Gun Shot Wound (GSW) #1 to the right upper chest, GSW #2 to the abdomen (lodged), GSW #3 entered the right abdomen and exited right flank, GSW #4 to the left axilla (lodged), GSW #5 entered and exited the left forearm, and GSW #6 entered and exited the left hand ring finger. An internal examination by Dr. ECKHARDT revealed: one projectile recovered from chest, one projectile recovered from clothing, and one projectile recovered from the spinal column. Projectiles were inventoried by Beat 5809 Evidence Technician J. CONNELL# 19974 under inventory# 15375123. [REDACTED]'s left fingernails were recovered and inventoried under inventory# 15375124. Buccal swabs, finger prints, and a blood card were administered to [REDACTED]. The robe worn by [REDACTED] at the time of the homicide was inventoried under inventory# 15375125.

R/D was notified by the Chicago Police Forensic Firearms Lab that an evaluation of the firearm recovered from [REDACTED] was conducted where a test fire confirmed the shell casings recovered from the scene at 60 E. Monroe St are consistent with having been fired from the Sig Sauer P938 fired by [REDACTED] and inventoried under inventory# 15374980.

On 15 Sep 2023, Cook County Assistant States Attorney GALLAGHER arrived in Area Three Detective Division and conducted interviews of the witnesses of this homicide. The interviews occurred in the Area Three Homicide office with no other witnesses present.

[REDACTED] was interviewed by ASA GALLAGHER with R/D being present. [REDACTED] essentially related the same facts of this case but went on to describe [REDACTED] demeanor in more detail. [REDACTED] told ASA GALLAGHER that [REDACTED] had, "vengeance in his eyes, and there was no negotiation". [REDACTED] stated to ASA GALLAGHER that, "[REDACTED] saved a lot of lives". [REDACTED] said prior to the 14th of September [REDACTED] was very cordial and would usually "fist bump" with [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] would ask [REDACTED] "how are you doing?". [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] was a "different person" when he was shot. [REDACTED] related he sought medical treatment after leaving work on the night of the 14th into the early morning hours of the 15th of Sep 2023.

ASA GALLAGHER interviewed [REDACTED] with R/D present. [REDACTED] related essentially the same version of events in this case as previously related to investigators.

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ASA GALLAGHER interviewed [REDACTED] with R/D present. [REDACTED] related essentially the same version of events in this case. [REDACTED] went on to inform ASA GALLAGHER that he sought medical treatment for a sore jaw prior to arriving at the Area Three Detective Division.

ASA Ryan GALLAGHER CI'd (continuing investigation) this case at 1845 hours on 15 Sep 2023. The offender was therefore Released Without Charging pending further investigation.

On 28 Sep 2023, at R/D's request, [REDACTED] provided R/D with an "after visit summary" of his medical treatment. R/D forwarded this document to the Cook County States Attorney's Office. R/D requested [REDACTED] provide a copy of his medical records via phone conversations and in an in person request. R/D's request of [REDACTED] medical records remained unanswered.

On 11 Dec 2023 R/D met with legal counsel representing the victim's family. At 1633 hours Attorney [REDACTED] of the law firm Romanucci and Blandin tendered an iPhone, that belonged to the victim, to R/D. The victim's iPhone was located when the family of [REDACTED] was cleaning out his apartment after his death. [REDACTED]'s family believes an audio recording captured the audio of the homicide of [REDACTED]. A memo drafted by the law firm documenting the iPhone turnover to R/D was signed by R/D. iPhone inventoried under inventory# 15424810. A data extraction was performed on the victim's iPhone and (3) Optical discs each inside an envelope along with a copy of the receipt from the law firm Romanucci and Blandin were inventoried under inventory# 15464853. A phone audio file recovered from the victim's iPhone, contains a male voice stating erratic statements and a speech which contains a high respiratory rate. The male voice went from excited, to crying, to being

paranoid of police.

On 08 Feb 2024 R/D contacted the Cook County States Attorney's Office with an update on this case.

On 01 May 2024 R/D met with Cook County Assistant States Attorney Jennifer McCarty with an update on this case.

On 03 May 2024 R/D received Toxicology results from Det ANDINO who was assigned to the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office. NMS Labs, a third party, produced work order# 23362891 where [REDACTED]'s toxicology results revealed the following substances: 11-Hydroxy Delta-9 THC, Amphetamine (Adderall etc), Benzoyllecgonine (cocaine derivative), Delta-9 Carboxy THC, and Delta-9 THC. These results were forwarded to the Cook County States Attorney's Office.

R/D made several attempts to locate witnesses to present to the Cook County States Attorney's Office. R/D attempted phone and in-person contact with [REDACTED] on six occasions. [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] were contacted by R/D via telephone/text on several occasions.

R/D scheduled interviews to be conducted on 30 May 2024 with [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] in order to be interviewed by the Cook County States Attorney's Office. R/D was contacted by [REDACTED] who related himself and his partner would not be presenting themselves to be interviewed. [REDACTED] contacted R/D on 29 May 2024 and he requested he seek legal counsel and related he would not be attending the interview on 30 May 2024.

On 06 Jun 2024 R/D requested [REDACTED] present himself at The Area Three Detective Division in order to be interviewed by the Cook County States Attorney's Office. ASA John CHAMBERS interviewed [REDACTED] where [REDACTED] related essentially the same version of events as he related to investigators. [REDACTED] further related that [REDACTED] was "talking crazy, and out of his mind".

R/D again attempted to contact witnesses [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] on several occasions. After not gaining cooperation with availability for interviews R/D drafted Grand Jury subpoenas for [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED]. R/D was able to serve subpoenas upon [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED]. R/D could not locate [REDACTED] after four attempts in person and numerous phone calls. Subsequently R/D placed a copy of the subpoena under the door of [REDACTED].

Pursuant to a subpoena, on 28 Aug 2024, witnesses [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] presented themselves to the Cook County States Attorney's Office located at 26th and California, Cook County, Chicago IL in order to be interviewed by ASA John CHAMBERS. R/D was present during the interviews of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] related the same version of events as they were related to investigators in this case except [REDACTED] recalled hearing what he describes as "a punch striking a meaty surface" before he heard shots being fired. [REDACTED] went on to voice his displeasure with a firearm being involved in a disturbance in his hallway.

After successfully being served a subpoena [REDACTED] presented himself, on 29 Aug 2024, to the Cook County States Attorney's Office located at 26th and California, Cook County, Chicago IL in order to be interviewed by ASA John CHAMBERS. R/D was present during this interview where [REDACTED] provided the same version of events previously related to investigators.

On 29 Aug 2024 [REDACTED] failed to present herself to the Cook County States Attorney's Office in order to be interviewed. On 04 Sep 2024 R/D drafted a subpoena for [REDACTED] to present herself to the Cook County States Attorney's Office. The subpoena for [REDACTED] was unable to be served due to being unable to locate [REDACTED].

On 23 Oct 2024 [REDACTED] was not present at 26th and California to be interviewed by the Cook County States Attorney's Office.

On 30 Dec 2024 R/D met with Cook County Assistant States Attorney Jennifer McCarty with an update on this case.

On 02 Jan 2025 R/D executed a search warrant for the iPhone possessed by offender [REDACTED] during the time of the shooting. The iPhone inventoried under inventory# 15374982 was hand carried by R/D to The Regional Computer Forensics Laboratory located at 610 S Canal St, Chicago, IL 60607. R/D requested a data extraction be performed. Data extraction results were pending gaining access through security features of the iPhone.

On 07 Feb 2025 R/D contacted Cook County Assistant States Attorney Jennifer McCarty with an update on this case.

On 07 Mar 2025 R/D spoke with the Cook County States Attorney's Office Assistant States Attorney Jennifer McCarty at 1354 hours who rejected Charges for First Degree Murder.

#### Summary:

On 14 Sep 2023, R/D was assigned the Homicide Investigation of [REDACTED] which occurred at 60 E. Monroe St. R/D learned [REDACTED] was shot inside the hallway of a condo building on the 48th floor, and the shooter, [REDACTED], was placed in custody on scene by Beat 161C. [REDACTED] was pronounced by Dr. JOUNG on 14 September 2023 at 2011 hours at Northwestern Hospital. R/D learned a weapon was recovered from [REDACTED]'s pocket. That weapon was found to be a Sig Sauer P938 9mm semi-automatic handgun and subsequently inventoried under inventory# 15374980. [REDACTED] was transported to Area Three Detective Division for investigation. R/D conducted a walk-through of the crime scene in the hallway of the 48th floor of 60 E. Monroe St with Evidence Technicians CAHUE #5005 and DEL TORO #8853. Within the hallway, R/D observed suspect red blood stains on the walls, an apparent bullet hole in the hallway baseboard, One (1) fired bullet, and five (5) 9mm expended shell casings. All of the evidence was subsequently recovered and inventoried by evidence technicians.

During the course of the investigation R/D spoke with residents [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and building door staff member [REDACTED] who were present during this incident. The witnesses said they left the front desk lobby area with [REDACTED] to investigate an individual banging on doors and yelling incoherent statements. [REDACTED], [REDACTED]

and [REDACTED] witnessed the incident in the hallway of the 48th floor and all gave essentially the same account of the sequence of events. The witnesses could hear yelling and banging as they exited the elevator. Witnesses related [REDACTED] struck [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with his fist, and advanced toward [REDACTED] before [REDACTED] fired his weapon. [REDACTED] fired his gun with bullets striking [REDACTED] about the hand, forearm, and chest/abdomen.

R/D and assisting detectives had the occasion to interview [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was read his Miranda rights by Det MONTALVO at 2155 hours on 14 Sep 2023. [REDACTED] waived his right to counsel and [REDACTED] related while in his condo he heard someone trying to "bang the door down". [REDACTED] described the person as loud and very violent. [REDACTED] stated the individual outside his door banging said, "I'm gonna break your door down". [REDACTED] said he saw his door handle moving. [REDACTED] related he called the door man and then he called "911". [REDACTED] further related he "thought he was on drugs because he was talking about someone behind the mirror" referencing the individual outside his door he believed to be most likely Black. [REDACTED] related the individual was "clearly not rational". [REDACTED] relocated to the lobby after the individual departed his hallway. [REDACTED] said he was joined by four other people who were headed to the elevator to go the 48th floor. [REDACTED] related he didn't expect anything to go wrong with a group of people. [REDACTED] related to Dets MONTALVO and STRAZZANTE that he observed the male Black on the 48th floor strike [REDACTED] with a knife or possible weapon.

[REDACTED] went on to describe displaying his gun and the victim then striking [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] believes the elderly couple fled. [REDACTED] said the male Black ran toward him. [REDACTED] stated he backed into a dead end corner. [REDACTED] said he fired when the male Black was about six feet away. [REDACTED] believes he fired (3) rounds. [REDACTED] stopped firing because the gun was slipping from his hands.

On 15 Sep 2023, R/D was notified by the Chicago Police Forensic Firearms Lab that an evaluation of the firearm recovered from [REDACTED] was conducted where a test fire confirmed the shell casings recovered from the scene at 60 E. Monroe St are consistent with having been fired from the Sig Sauer P938 fired by [REDACTED] and inventoried under inventory# 15374980.

On 07 Mar 2025, R/D spoke with the Cook County States Attorney's Office Assistant States Attorney Jennifer McCarty and presented the facts of this case. After reviewing the facts of this investigation, ASA McCarty Rejected Charges for First Degree Murder at 1354 hours.

R/D requests this case be placed into an Exceptionally Clear Closed (Other Exceptional) Bar to Prosecute status.

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