Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Protect Others

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Unknown

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: Yes

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: Yes

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 5'10" to 6'0"

Involved citizen:

### **Tyre D Nichols**

Role: Suspect

Resistance(s):

Resisted Arrest Fighting Non-Compliance Fled

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Resisting/Evading Arrest

Linked address(s): Home address:

**Employees involved:** 

# POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphill [13941]

# Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 13941 Role: Contact Officer

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Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 26 Years of employment: 4 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: No

Use(s) Of Force:

Taser (CEW): Not Effective Less-lethal/CED force-related Accidental discharge: No Device was displayed only: No Arc display: No Citizen painted with laser: Yes Direct/drive stun contact: No # of drive stuns: 0 Injury caused: No Location of injury: Projectile/probe contact: Yes # air cartridges used: 1 # cycles through probes: 1 # dart hits: 0 Total # darts fired: 2 Injury caused: No Darts penetrated subject's skin: No Subject wearing heavy clothing: Yes Location of projectile/probe contact:

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

### Employee witnesses:

### POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

### Summary:

Detectives initiated at traffic stop at the intersection of Ross Rd and Raines Rd on a Nissan Sentra with TN Tag BJL2458 that was driving at a high rate of speed traveling W/B on Raines Rd. While detectives were attempting to detain the driver he then started to resist with Detectives. The suspect was given loud verbal commands to stop resisting but continued to ignore detectives and attempted to grab detective Martin's duty weapon and was taken to the ground. The Suspect was still resisting and still continued to ignore the detective's verbal commands. The suspect then was sprayed with chemical agent by Detective Haley, but still

continued to resist. The suspect was able to stand back up and started fighting with me before he started to fight with Detective Martin while still ignoring the verbal commands. At that point I pulled out my city issued taser and pointed both the red lasers on the suspect's left upper torso and pulled the trigger to deploy the taser once. The taser had no effect on the suspect, and he then ran on foot S/B Ross Rd when I lost sight of him.

## When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:29

Incident location: Ross Road and East Raines Road Memphis TN 38115 Precinct: 924 Ward Home address: County: Sheipy County

### Linked files:

# 2301003691ME (PDF) 01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx)

### Auto-linked incidents (Linked through common Related CAD or Case #)

P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	IIO
P230072328:	Response to Resistance

- P230072328: Response to Resistance
- P230072328: Response to Resistance
- P230072328: Internal Affairs

### Status/assignment information:

Status: Initial

Opened: Assigned: Due: Completed:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

## Organizational component(s):

Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## BlueTeam chain routings

Jan 08, 2023 01:28: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphill [13941] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854]

Instructions:

## Forwarding for your approval

Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:13

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

I was unable to access the Waston report or BWC due to the TBI investigation. I cannot make a determination at this time

Jan 09, 2023 15:13: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

Instructions:

Major, the available documents were submitted for your review.

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:43

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphill [13941] on Jan 07, 2023 at 22:38

Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Effect Arrest

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Combative

Citizen was injured: Yes

Citizen was taken to hospital: Yes

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: Yes

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

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Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 6'1" to 6'3"

## Involved citizen:

### **Tyre Nicholas**

Role: Suspect

Resistance(s):

Fighting

Injuries/conditions:

\*Critical

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Resisting/Evading Arrest

Linked address(s): Home address:

Employees involved:

# POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 14730 Role: Contact Officer Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division:

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Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 30 Years of employment: 0 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: No

Use(s) Of Force:

Chemical Agent: Not Effective

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

#### Employee witnesses:

## POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

### **Employee current info:**

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphill [13941]

## Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

#### Summary:

Detectives were in the area of Riverdale/Winchester Ave when detectives observed a Blue Nissan Sentra driving reckless (in and out lanes without using turn signals at a high rate of speed). The Blue Nissan Sentra continued to drive recklessly (driving into oncoming traffic W/B on E Raines Rd). Detectives conducted a traffic stop where the vehicle came to a rest at E Raines Rd/Ross Rd. Detectives made contact with driver (Tyre Nicholas) and gave suspect Nicholas multiple directives to step out the car. Suspect Nicholas ignored all directives. Detectives used soft hands in effort to remove suspect Nicholas from the vehicle for detectives safety. As detectives were removing suspect Nicholas from the car suspect Nicholas snatched away and swinging his arms while stating "Why yall fucking with me"? Detectives tried to restrain suspect for a 2nd time, but suspect Nicholas ignored all directives and at that point suspect Nicholas was seen grabbing detective Martin duty weapon while detective Martin stated, "Let my Gun Go". Suspect Nicholas restrain but was unsuccessful. Suspect Nicholas continued to fight detectives. Detectives Haley next saw suspect Nicholas running S/B on Ross Rd. Detective Haley tried to give chase, but the chemical agent prevented detective Haley from seeing.

When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:29

Incident location: E Raines Road/Ross Road Memphis TN 38141 Precinct: 924 Ward Home address: County: Shelby County

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## Linked files:

01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx)

### Auto-linked incidents (Linked through common Related CAD or Case #)

P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	IIO

P230072328: Response to Resistance

P230072328: Response to Resistance

P230072328: Response to Resistance

P230072328: Internal Affairs

## Status/assignment information:

Status: Initial

Assigned: Completed: Opened: Due:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

## Organizational component(s):

**Division: Special Operations** Workstation: SCORPION Unit

#### BlueTeam chain routings

Jan 08, 2023 00:57: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854]

Instructions:

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Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 09, 2023 at 13:24

Decision:

## Reviewer comment:

I was not able to make a determination at this time because the Offense Report and video were limited due to TBI investigation.

Jan 09, 2023 13:24: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

### Instructions:

Major, the available documents were submitted for your review.

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:28

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730] on Jan 07, 2023 at 23:04

Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Effect Arrest

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Combative

Citizen was injured: Yes

Citizen was taken to hospital: Yes

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: Yes

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 6'1" to 6'3"

### Involved citizen:

### **Tyre D Nichols**

Role: Suspect

Resistance(s):

Fighting Verbal Resistance Non-Compliance Fled Resisted Arrest Punched

Injuries/conditions:

\*Critical

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Traffic Assault Resisting/Evading Arrest

Linked address(s): Home address:

Employees involved:

POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

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# Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 13985 Role: Contact Officer Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit : Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 30 Years of employment: 4 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: No

Use(s) Of Force:

Physical Force: Not Effective

Physical Force: Not Effective

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

## Employee witnesses:

# **POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730]**

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphili [13941]

### **Employee current info:**

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

# Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711]

**Employee current info:** 

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

# Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

### Summary:

On 1/07/23, Detective E. Martin 13985 observed a blue 2017 Nissan Sentra baring TN BJN2458 driving recklessly at a high rate of speed at the Intersection of Riverdale/Winchester, jumping from lane to lane with without using the proper signal. Detectives observed the Nissan going w/b on Raines Rd, swerving into oncoming e/b traffic. Detective E. Martin conducted a traffic stop at E Raines/Ross Rd. Detectives made contact with the driver, Tyre Nichols. Detectives gave verbal commands to exit the vehicle. Tyre Nichols refused to get out of the vehicle after verbal commands were given. Detectives had to use soft hands to remove Tyre from the vehicle. While detaining Tyre, He began actively resisting detectives by snatching and swinging. Detectives gave verbal commands for him to stop resisting. While detectives were giving command to stop resisting, Tyre Nicols grabbed Detective E. Martin's duty weapon, attempting to take it out of the holster. Detectives used hard hands to prevent suspect Tyre Nichols from taking Detectives Martin's duty weapon, but that was unsuccessful. While still trying to get suspect Tyre into custody, he was still actively resisting by yanking, swinging, and swinging at detectives. Detectives gave verbal commands, but Tyre refused. Detective Hemphill, deployed his taser, but that as unsuccessful as well. Suspect Tyre Nicols then fied on foot, s/b on Ross Rd. Detectives were able to locate Tyre on Bear Creek Lane, still giving foot pursuit. Detectives attempted to detain Tyre, but he again became actively resistant. Detectives were able to get into custody.

When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:29

Incident location: Bear Creek Lane Memphis TN 38141 Precinct: 923 Ward County: Shelby County

Linked files:

01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx) 2301003691ME (PDF) PII Martin BWC () PII Martin BWC ()

# Auto-linked incidents (Linked through common Related CAD or Case #)

P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	ILO
P230072328:	Response to Resistance
P230072328:	Response to Resistance

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P230072328: Response to Resistance

P230072328: Internal Affairs

## Status/assignment information:

Status: Initial

Opened: Assigned: Due: Completed:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

## Organizational component(s):

Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### BlueTeam chain routings

Jan 08, 2023 02:02: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854]

Instructions:

See attachment

Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 08, 2023 at 10:16

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

I observed no policy violations after reviewing the BWC

Jan 08, 2023 10:16: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

Instructions:

Major, all documents have been submitted for your review

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:27

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985] on Jan 07, 2023 at 22:35

Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Effect Arrest

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Combative

Citizen was injured: Yes

Citizen was taken to hospital: Yes

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: Yes

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 5'10" to 6'0"

# Involved citizen:

# Tyre D Nichols

Resistance(s):

Resisted Arrest Non-Compliance Verbal Resistance Fled

Injuries/conditions:

Abrasion

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Traffic Felony Assault

> Linked address(s): Home address:

# Employees involved:

# POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 14711 Role: Contact Officer Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit : Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 24 Years of employment: 0 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: No

Use(s) Of Force:

Physical Force: Not Effective

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

### **Employee witnesses:**

### POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999]

### **Employee current info:**

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730]

## Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

# Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

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### Summary:

On 01/07/2023 Detective T. Bean (14711) with Scorpion Team 1 responded to a call for help at Ross Rd/ E Raines Rd where an individual fied from the scene from officers after resisting being detained despite taser and chemical agent being deployed. Detectives T. Bean and D. Mills observed a Male/Black with a camouflage Hoodie in hand fitting the description given by Detectives near Castlegate and Bearcreek. Detective T.Bean and D. Mills then observed the male/black actively wiping something off his face. Detectives then attempted to speak with the male black fied from Detectives on foot. Detectives were able to apprehend the suspect at Castlegate/ BearCreek in which the Suspect Tyre Nicholas actively resisted officers verbal and physical commands refusing to follow detectives commands. After struggling with the suspect Detective T.Bean utilized soft hands techniques with a closed hand which was not effective. The suspect continued to resist officers , in which additional officers made the scene to place the suspect into custody. Memphis Fire Department unit #28 and engine #55 made the scene for treatment Tyre Nichols was transported to St Francis Hospital.

### When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:32

Incident location: Castlegate Lane/ BearCreek Memphis TN 38141 Precinct: 923 Ward County: Shelby County

## Linked files:

PII Bean BWC () PII Bean BWC () 01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx) 2301003691ME (PDF)

Auto-linked incidents (Linked through common Related CAD or Case #)

P230072328:	Response to Resistance

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- P230072328: Response to Resistance
- P230072328: Response to Resistance

P230072328: Internal Affairs

### Status/assignment information:

Status: Initial

Opened: Assigned: Due: Completed:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

Organizational component(s):

Division: Special Operations Workstation: SCORPION Unit

# BlueTeam chain routings

Jan 08, 2023 02:14: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854] Instructions:

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Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 08, 2023 at 10:02

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

I reviewed PII Bean's BWC and observed no Policy Violations

Jan 08, 2023 10:02: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

Instructions:

Major, the required documents are being submitted for your review

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:23

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711] on Jan 08, 2023 at 01:33

Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Effect Arrest

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Combative

Citizen was injured: Yes

Citizen was taken to hospital: Yes

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: Yes

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 6'1" to 6'3"

## Involved citizen:

## **Tyre D Nichols**

Role: Suspect

Resistance(s):

Non-Compliance Fled

Injuries/conditions:

Abrasion

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Resisting/Evading Arrest Felony

> Linked address(s): Home address:

Employees involved:

# POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999]

## Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 13999

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Role: Backup Officer Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 28 Years of employment: 4 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: No

Use(s) Of Force:

Chemical Agent: Not Effective

Physical Force: Not Effective

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

## Employee witnesses:

# POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Demetrius Haley [14730]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Preston Hemphill [13941]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

### Summary:

On 01/07/2023 Detectives J.Smith (13999) with Scorpion Team 1 answered a call for help at Ross Rd/ E Raines Road where individual active resisting officer and fled on foot from the scene. Detective J. Smith began checking the area and observed male black later identified as Tyre Nichols being taken to the ground by an officer. Suspect Tyre Nichols began actively resisting officers verbal and physical commands refusing to place his hands behind his back. After struggling with the above suspect, Detective J.Smith utilized soft hands technique with a closed hand which was not effective. Detective J. Smith then utilized his department issued chemical agent standing approximately 3 feet away into Tyre Nichols eyes which was still not effective, he continued to actively resist officers. Tyre Nichols was eventually place into custody after additional unit made the scene to assist. Memphis Fire Department unit #28 and engine #55 made the scene for treatment. Tyre Nichols was transport to St. Francis Hospital.

### When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:29

Incident location: Castlegate Lane and Bear Creek Lane Memphis TN 38141 Precinct: 923 Ward County: Shelby County

# Linked files:

01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx)

Status/assignment information:

Status: Initial

Opened: Assigned: Due: Completed:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

### Organizational component(s):

Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## **BlueTeam chain routings**

Jan 08, 2023 00:50: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854]

Instructions:

For your Review

Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 09, 2023 at 14:26

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

I was unable to make a determination at this time due to the TBI investigation, I had limited access to Watson and BWC

Jan 09, 2023 14:26: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

Instructions:

Major, the available documents were submitted for your review.

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:29

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999] on Jan 07, 2023 at 23:06

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Type of service being performed at time of incident: Arresting

Reason for use-of-force: Effect Arrest

Employee assessment of citizen condition: Combative

Citizen was injured: Yes

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Citizen was charged/arrested in relation to the incident: No

Citizen was injured: No

Citizen was taken to hospital: No

Distance employee was from Involved citizen: 1 feet to 3 feet

Involved citizen: Medium

Involved citizen Height: 6'1" to 6'3"

## Involved citizen:

### **Tyre Nichols**

Role: Suspect

Resistance(s):

Fled Fighting Resisted Arrest

Injuries/conditions:

Abrasion

Charges against citizen in relation to the incident:

Traffic Felony Resisting/Evading Arrest Assault

Linked address(s): Home address: 6

## Employees involved:

### POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678]

### Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

IBM: 13678 Role: Contact Officer Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit : Rank/title: POLICE OFFICER II Age: 32 Years of employment: 5 Years with unit: 0 Off duty: No Off duty employed: Yes

Use(s) Of Force:

Baton/Expandable Baton: Not Effective

Chemical Agent: Not Effective

Injuries/conditions:

No injuries noted or visible

#### Employee witnesses:

### POLICE OFFICER II Tadarrius Bean [14711]

**Employee current info:** 

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

### Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Justin L Smith [13999]

Employee current info:

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured POLICE OFFICER II Emmitt Martin [13985]

**Employee current info:** 

Division: Workstation: SCORPION Unit

Snapshot - employee information at time of incident:

Body worn camera: BWC Video - Captured

#### Summary:

On 01/07/2023 at approximately 2026 hours the following occurred. Officers stopped a vehicle that was driving in oncoming traffic. Officers made contact, and Suspect Tyre Nichols began to fight officers. The Suspect Nichols ran Southbound on Ross. A broadcast went out. Officers Mills and Bean observed Suspect Nichols walking southbound on Ross, matching the description that was put out, also wiping his face as if he was wiping something off of his face. Officer Mills and Bean said "Hey" to Suspect Nichols and Suspect Nichols immediately began evading on foot. Officers Mills and Bean began to chase on foot. Officer Mills put out a broadcast of the location using Ross and Castlegate. Once Officer Mills told Suspect Nichols that Officer Mills was going to spray him. Officer Mills deployed Chemical Agents. Suspect Nichols continued to resist Officers Bean and Smith aggressively. Once Officer Mills saw

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that the Suspect Nichols continued to resist, Officer Mills used his baton and strike Suspect Nicholas on his right arm. Suspect Nichols still continued to resist after the baton strike. Suspect Nichols was eventually put into custody.

When/where:

Date/time occurred: Jan 07, 2023 20:26

Incident location: Ross and castlegate lane, memphis TN Memphis TN 38141 Precinct: 923 Ward Home address: County: Shelpy county

Linked files:

2301003691ME (PDF) PII Mills BWC () 01-07-2023 Use of Force Raines & Ross (docx)

Auto-linked incidents (Linked through common Related CAD or Case #)

P230072328:	Response to Resistance	
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P230072328:	Response to Resistance	
P230072328:	Response to Resistance	
P230072328:	Internal Affairs	
Status/assignment information:		

Status: Initial

Completed: Opened: Assigned: Due:

Disposition:

Unit assigned: Un-assigned Handled at field/unit level: No Investigator assign: Un-assigned Supervisor assign: Un-assigned Source of information:

## Organizational component(s):

Workstation: SCORPION Unit

## BlueTeam chain routings

# Jan 08, 2023 02:44: Sent from POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678] to Smith, Dewayne M LIEUTENANT [2854]

Instructions:

Mills Blue Team

Reviewed by LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] on Jan 08, 2023 at 09:49

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

I reviewed the BWC and observed no Policy Violations

Jan 08, 2023 09:49: Sent from LIEUTENANT Dewayne M Smith [2854] to Mathena, Willie W Major [5671]

Instructions:

Major, all documents have been submitted for your review

Reviewed by Major Willie W Mathena [5671] on Jan 09, 2023 at 15:20

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

Access to video and reports is limited due to the TBI investigation. Currently unable to decide.

Entered via BlueTeam by: POLICE OFFICER II Desmond Mills, Jr. [13678] on Jan 08, 2023 at 01:47