



**STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY-
INVESTIGATION REPORT (DPS-302-E) (REVISED 2/3/06)**

Report #: 1200704559 - 00003250

Report Type: Initial Report: Prosecutors Report: Supplement: Re-open: Assist: Closing:

Attachments: Statements: Teletype: Photos: Sketchmap: Evidence: Other:

CFS NO 1200704559	INCIDENT DATE 12/14/2012	TIME 09:41	INCIDENT DATE 12/14/2012	TIME	PRIMARY OFFICER JEWISS, DANIEL E.	BADGE NO 0034	INVESTIGATING OFFICER VAN NESS, RACHAEL	BADGE NO 1431
INCIDENT ADDRESS 00012 Dickinson Dr/ Newtown 06482					APARTMENT NO	TOWN CD	TYPE OF EXCEPTIONAL CLEARANCE Not Applicable	CASE STATUS Active

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

STATUS	NAME	SEX	RACE	D.O.B.	TELEPHONE	ADDRESS	OP STATE & NO.
W						04, 03	

Interviewee:

04, 03
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

Interview:

On 1/3/13, this Detective and Mudry #824 responded to the Newtown Starbucks restaurant and met with 04, 03, regarding the ongoing investigation.

During the interview, 04 stated, in part, the following:

That she is a bus driver for All Star Transportation and normally operates 04, which transports students from Sandy Hook Elementary School, in addition to 01 02 03 12. That on 12/14/12, she had finished her a.m. transportation shift and had then run several personal errands with 04 in her personal vehicle. 04 stated that she was driving on Riverside Road when she observed a group of small children to be running along the side of the road in front of the fire house. 04 stated that she thought it was strange to see the children running along the road, and thought that perhaps it was a gym class from the school, but then slowed her vehicle as she approached, as she did not see an adult in attendance with the children.

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INVESTIGATOR SIGNATURE: /TFC RACHAEL VAN NESS/	INVESTIGATOR I.D.#: 1431	REPORT DATE: 01/04/2013 01:53 pm 02791	SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE <i>Sgt. John P. [Signature]</i>	SUPERVISOR I.D.#: 30



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04 stated that none of the children had coats or belongings with them, and that she observed one of the children, a young boy, to be crying and calling to her for help. 04 stated that she put her vehicle's hazard lights on and pulled into the fire house parking lot, exiting her vehicle and yelling to the children to "Stop!" and "Come Back!" and that she was going to help them.

04 stated that some of the children farther ahead, 5 to be exact, continued running and she later learned that they were picked up by another parent and were taken to the police station. 04 stated that four of the children, two boys and two girls, had followed her directives and ran to her, telling her that there was a man in the school shooting people. 04 stated that she asked the children three times to tell her what happened as she could not comprehend what they were saying.

04 stated that the children were all crying and upset, and that a neighbor that lives alongside the fire house came out and saw them all down at the end of his driveway and took them all inside his home. 04 stated that all of the children wanted to contact their parents or have 04 drive them home, and that along with the man's help, they asked the children for their phone numbers, which they all knew, and she and the man called each of the telephone numbers. 04 stated that they made contact with a parent at three of the four telephone numbers, and that ultimately those parents responded to the address and claimed their children. 04 stated that the fourth child, a girl, remained with them, and that they walked her over to the fire house where she was ultimately reunited with a parent.

04 stated that she knew that the children's names were 01 02 03 12, 04 stated that she is unsure as to what time exactly it was when she first observed the children on the street, but knows that it was before 10 a.m. 04 stated that she believes that it was approximately 9:40 or 9:45 a.m., based upon how long it took her to run her errands and be on her way back home.

04 stated that the children had told her that when the man had come into their classroom, they had run out of the room, and ultimately the school. The children stated that the man had "a shotgun," and one of the boys told her that the man had a mask. The children stated that they had seen their teacher get shot in the foot, and stated that they had seen "murdered" people.

04 stated that she did not observe any of the children to have blood on them, and none appeared to be injured, but that one of the girls had an accident and had wet her pants.

See attached written statement, prepared and notarized by this Detective, witnessed by Detective Mudry #824 and signed and sworn to by 04

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The status of the case remains actively under investigation.

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