



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

Report #: 1200704559 - 00014429

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 0336	INVESTIGATING OFFICER DOWNS, MICHAEL A.	BADGE NO 0502
INCIDENT ADDRESS 00012 Dickinson Drf 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.
H						<b>03 04</b>	

**INTERVIEW REPORT**

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] 03 04  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

DATE AND TIME: January 17, 2013 between 1410 hours and 1510 hours.

LOCATION: This interview was conducted in the roll call room in the basement of Troop A at 90 Lakeside Rd. Southbury, CT.

**ACTION TAKEN:**

On 01/16/13 at approximately 1000 hours, I was assigned to contact [REDACTED] 04 regarding a possible interaction with Adam Lanza. At approximately 1243 hours, I contacted [REDACTED] 04 via phone and she relayed her account of a possible phone conversation that she had with a male identified only as "Adam". [REDACTED] 04 stated that "Adam" called her in reference to an ad that she posted on Craigslist about a room for rent (see attached ad). I asked [REDACTED] 04 if she would be willing to come to Troop A to provide a written statement. [REDACTED] 04 agreed to meet me on 01/17/13 at 1400 hours.

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INVESTIGATOR SIGNATURE: <i>/TFC MICHAEL A DOWNS/</i> <i>Det M A Downs # 302</i>	INVESTIGATOR I.D.#: 0502	REPORT DATE: 01/21/2013 06:43 am 04259	SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE: <i>Sgt. [Signature]</i>
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On 01/17/13 at 1400 hours, [04] came to Troop A to provide a statement. [04] was escorted to the roll call room on the lower level for the interview. Detective Peters joined me on the interview. [04] provided a verbal account to Detective Peters and myself. I then reduced her statement to a typed statement form. The following is the written statement provided by [04]

"I am a landlord who rents property in [04]. On [04]/12, I placed an ad on Craigslist to rent a room in my house at [04, 03]. The ad ran on Craigslist until [04]/12. Sometime between those dates, I believe that I received a phone call from a male who identified himself as "Adam". He requested to rent a room at my house. When I asked him for his last name, he was reluctant to give me any additional information. Adam asked me if he could see the room. I asked Adam questions about his job and finances to determine if he was qualified to rent the room. I was asking for \$140/week for the room and require tenants to have income of at least \$500-600/week in order to qualify. Adam indicated that he is a part-time "helper" in the school system. When I asked him how much money he makes per hour, Adam did not want to disclose that information. Based on my previous experience as a paralegal in the school system, I know that the school used to only pay approximately \$9.00/hour. I also know that the school used to only authorize part-time workers to work 27 hours per week. Based on the rate and hours worked, I determined that Adam would not financially qualify to rent from me. I told Adam that I would not be able to rent to him. Adam begged me to see the room but I told him that I could not rent to him. I offered options to Adam in an effort to help him but he was not accepting. Adam indicated that his mother is driving him crazy and that if he doesn't move out of her house, he might "do something crazy". I asked him what he meant. I asked if he meant that he would hurt himself or damage someone's property. Adam stated that he might do something worse. I asked what could be worse and Adam would not tell me. I asked Adam if his mother would be willing to help. Adam indicated that the reason that he wanted to leave his house is that his mother is "cruel to him". I asked Adam what his mother did that was cruel. I asked if she abused him or something. Adam would not disclose what she did that was cruel but gave one example as she owned a lot of guns. I told Adam that many people own guns and that I didn't deem that as cruel. I tried to suggest that he talk to friends or family to try to work things out with his mother until he could find a different job and eventually be able to move out of his mother's house. I told him to call me if he needed to talk or if his situation changed. He abruptly hung up the phone before I could get any additional information.

About 20 minutes later, I called the Newtown Police and explained my conversation with Adam. I gave them the phone number that Adam called me from. The person that I talked to asked if Adam was harassing me. When I told them that he was not harassing, the person that I spoke to indicated that they would definitely call the number to check on him but they were not really able to do anything because he had not committed a crime. They stated that if he had said that he is "definitely" going to do something, then maybe they could act on it but since he stated that he "might"

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do something, the most they could do was go to his house to check on his well being and talk to the people in his house. I believe that police officers should be able to follow up on calls about people who seem to be in distress or angered, without having to put them in jail. I believe that police officers should be able to call in experts who could get these people help right away." (see attached statement)

\*\*Note--During our interview, [04] kept referring to a notebook for information. A review of the notebook showed, what appeared to be, disorganized and irrelevant notes and doodles. [04] also relayed a story about a young lady who had called to rent one of her other properties in [04] [04] indicated that she was unable to rent the property to her and also that the lady ended up getting killed. [04] stated that she felt bad that she denied these two individuals from renting her properties and then horrible things happened to them.

On 01/18/13 at approximately 0800 hours, I contacted Newtown Police Dept. to attempt to identify the date and time that [04] reported the phone conversation to them. I was also trying to identify the phone number that "Adam" called [04] from so that I can confirm that the call was indeed Adam Lanza. A check of the Newtown Police Department dispatch records show no contact with [04] during the time period in which she claims to have made the call. The dispatcher indicated that the last contact with [04] was on 01/22/12, when she called to request assistance in the eviction of her previous tenant, who [04] had identified in our interview as [04].

On 01/18/13 at approximately 1100 hours, I left a voicemail message for [04] to confirm the call to Newtown Police Dept. as well as to confirm the approximate dates of the call. At approximately 1115 hours, [04] returned my call. She confirmed that the date of her call to Newtown Police was between 02/20/12 and 04/06/12. Based on the lack of records of the phone call from "Adam" or to the Newtown Police Dept., I am unable to confirm the source of the phone call from "Adam". When I asked her if she wrote down the phone number which "Adam" called from, she indicated that she did, but was unable to locate the notebook in which she wrote it. I requested that [04] obtain a copy of her call records from her cell phone company that I could compare to Adam Lanza's phone number to determine the validity of her statement. [04] indicated that she would make to request to Verizon and email the records to me.

CASE STATUS:

This case remains ACTIVE pending further investigation.

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