


San Bernardino County Sheriff - Coroner Division

Coroner Investigation

1	MODE	Homicide	CASE #	701509084	Sub File To	701509083	
	STATUS	Post	DEPUTY	Loretta Ynojos			

CASE INFO							
REPORTED BY ****	AGENCY San Bernardino Co. Sheriff's Dept. (SBCSD)		DATE 12/02/2015	TIME 1641	Call Back Phone ****		
NEWS RELEASE ****	NAME RELEASABLE ****	ROLL-OUT? Yes	# OF PHOTOS ****	MEDIUM ****	SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES Officer Involved		

DECEDENT INFO							
1 NAME (FIRST) Syed		2 (MIDDLE) Rizwan		3 (LAST) Farook			
AKA		DOE TYPE/NUMBER			PHONE		
20 ADDRESS ****				21 CITY Redlands		25 STATE CA	23 ZIP 92373
6 SEX Male	14 RACE Other	4 DOB 06/14/1987	5 AGE 28 yrs	RELATED CASE NUMBERS Yes			
BODY BAG # 5209023		TOE TAG 35165	10 SS # *****	HEIGHT 71.5 in	WEIGHT 166.0 lbs	HAIR Black	EYES Brown
DRIVER'S LIC # ****	STATE	HOW IDENTIFIED	Subject positively identified as Farook, Syed R., date of birth 06/14/1987, to CII# [REDACTED]. Also positive to CDL [REDACTED] /// from Cal-ID, Herrera, Emilia M.				

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NAME [REDACTED]		RELATIONSHIP Mother	DOB/AGE	DATE/TIME NOTIFIED	NOTIFIED BY		
ADDRESS				21 CITY	25 STATE	23 ZIP	
PHONE ****		ALTERNATE PHONE #					

PLACE/DEATH OCCURRED							
7 DATE 12/02/2015	8 TIME 1508	DAY OF DEATH Wednesday	PRONOUNCED BY PD confirmed at 1520				
101 PLACE OF DEATH City Street				102 IP-ER/OP-DOA	FAC OTHER THAN HOSPITAL Other		
105 FACILITY ADDRESS OR LOCATION WHERE FOUND 1800 block of San Bernardino Ave					106 CITY San Bernardino		

INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY	ADDITIONAL NARRATIVE ATTACHED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
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On Wednesday, December 2, 2015, at 1508 hours, several local law enforcement agencies were fired upon by two suspects who were traveling in a black Ford Expedition. Multiple rounds of gunfire were fired at the officers, who also returned gunfire. Both suspects suffered gunshot wounds and were pronounced dead at the scene at 1520 hours. The suspects were later identified as Syed Rizwan Farook (driver) and Tashfeen Malik (passenger in rear of vehicle). The decedents were suspects in a shooting that occurred at the Inland Regional Center.

Associated case: 701509083.

NOTE TO PATHOLOGY

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MEDICAL

TRANSPORTED FROM N/A	ADMITTED TO? N/A	DATE	TIME	M/R ORDERED No	MED REC #	BLOOD ORDERED
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CAUSE OF DEATH

107 CAUSE (A) Multiple gunshot wounds	TIME INTERVAL Seconds	109 BIOPSY PERFORMED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
DUE TO (B)		110 AUTOPSY PERFORMED? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
(C)		AUTOPSY # A1630-15 CC EXAM #
(D)		INDIGENT #

112 OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN 107

None

113 WAS OPERATION PERFORMED FOR ANY CONDITION IN ITEM 107 OR 112? IF "YES" LIST TYPE OF OPERATION & DATE.

No

ATTENDING PHYSICIAN N/A	PHONE	DATE LAST ATTENDED	CAUSE GIVEN BY Chanikarn Changsri
115 PHYSICIAN TO SIGN D.C. Coroner	ADDRESS	PHONE	DATE 12/14/2015 TIME 0000

INJURY

119 SPECIFY MODE Homicide	123 PLACE OF INJURY City Street	120 AT WK? No	121 DATE 12/02/2015	122 HOUR 1508
125 LOCATION (include Zip Code) 1800 block of San Bernardino Avenue San Bernardino 92408				
DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED Shot by law enforcement during intervention.				

PROPERTY

PROPERTY? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	PROP RLS'D? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
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LAW ENFORCEMENT

AGENCY San Bernardino Co. Sheriff's Dept. (SBCSD) San Bernardino Police Department (SBPD)	AGENT Sgt. R. Radeleff Det. W. Flesher	REPORT NUMBER H-2015-016
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AUTOPSY

ORDERED BY LY	DATE 12/03/2015	TOX ORDERED 12-14-2015	TOX RECEIVED 02/04/2016	AGENT(S) TO ATTEND ****
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DISPO OF REMAINS

PRESENT LOCATION ****	MORGUE STATUS ****	VEHICLE TOWED BY			
TRANSPORTED BY ****	NOTIFIED BY ****	DATE ****	TIME ****	ARRIVED ****	
44 MORTUARY ****	PHONE OF MORTUARY ****				

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12/03/2015 22:11

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ASSIGNMENT:

On Wednesday, December 3, 2015, at 0203 hours, I was assigned Coroner incident number 48 regarding an officer involved shooting in the 1800 Block of San Bernardino Avenue in San Bernardino, where two assailants were shot and killed by law enforcement personnel. The decedents were suspects in a shooting that occurred at the Inland Regional Center (Related master file case number 7015009087).

I responded from the Coroner Central Office and arrived at approximately 0218 hours.

STATEMENT FROM SGT. JASON RADELEFF (SBCSD Homicide Detail):

At approximately 0220 hours, I spoke with Sgt. Radeleff while on scene. The following is a summary of his statement.

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SCENE:

See Deputy Coroner Joe Hernandez's supplemental report.

BODY ASSESSMENT:

I began the body assessment at approximately 0248 hours. I rolled the body at approximately 0305 hours.

Body Position:

The body was prone on the westbound number two lane of San Bernardino Avenue. The head was orientated to the north and the legs were to the south. The feet were inward and were touching at the toes. The hands were handcuffed to the back.

Clothing:

The body was clad in a black tee-shirt with a white tank top underneath, a pair of black pants with a black belt, a pair of green plaid briefs and a pair of black socks. The pant legs appeared to be ripped upwards. The tee-shirt also appeared to be ripped. The clothing, including the socks, had multiple tears and circular defects. The clothing was soiled with dry and wet blood.

Identification:

See Deputy Coroner Dave McCarthy's supplemental report.

Physical Description:

The decedent was a 28 year old male. He had dark, short hair. He had a mustache and a full facial beard. He was 6 feet tall and weighed 160 pounds.

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Trauma:

Trauma on the body consisted of a small, irregular wound underneath the bottom lip. The wound was obscured with facial hair and blood. There was no obvious soot or abrasion collar. I felt crepitus upon palpation of the jaw. The face was covered in wet blood. A small, irregular wound was on the back, right, bottom of the neck. There was no obvious soot or abrasion collar. A large, irregular wound was on the abdomen. There was no soot or abrasion collar. There appeared to be stippling on both arms. An irregular wound with a slight abrasion collar was on the inner thigh. A large wound with avulsion was on the left, upper thigh. There was no obvious soot or abrasion collar. A large, irregular shape wound was on the right, lower leg. There was no obvious soot or abrasion collar. A circular wound was on the right, posterior and interior foot. I felt crepitus upon palpation of the foot. The clothing may have obscured other injuries.

Gunshot Residue Kit (GSR):

On Wednesday, December 3, 2015, at 1745 hours, a GSR kit was completed SBCSD Forensic Technicians.

Post Mortem Changes:

The body was cool to the touch. Rigor mortis was present and was difficult to manipulate. Lividity with demarcation was present and was consistent with the body being prone.

PHOTOGRAPHS AND BODY REMOVAL:

I took 37 digital photographs of the body and scene. I affixed toe tag number 35165 to the great right toe. I placed the body in a yellow body bag. I secured the bag with pouch lock number 5095175. The body was transported to the morgue facility by All Caring Solutions.

DISPOSITION:

Submitted to Pathology for autopsy.

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Coroner Supplemental Report

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DEPUTY: D. MCCARTHY

ASSIGNMENT/ARRIVAL AT SCENE:

On Wednesday, 12/02/2015, I was assigned as a Deputy Coroner Investigator with the Coroner Division of the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD). At approximately 1635 hours, I was assigned to respond to the officer involved shooting (OIS) scene by Supervising Deputy Coroner Investigator (SDCI) M. Sutcliffe. The scene was located at San Bernardino Ave. and Mt. View Ave., in the City of San Bernardino. I had a coroner computer-aided dispatch (CAD) call created and assigned to me at 1641 hours. It was reported that there were two deaths at the location and I had Coroner case numbers 701509083 and 701509084 assigned to the call on Police Incident #CO153360048.

I responded from the Coroner's Central Station at 1642 hours, and arrived on-scene at 1655 hours. I eventually cleared the scene at approximately 2043 hours.

INFORMATION FROM SERGEANT J. RADELEFF-SBSD:

On Wednesday, 12/02/2015, at approximately 1700 hours, I met with Sergeant (Sgt.) J. Radeleff from the SBSD Homicide Detail, and he told me that he wanted the bodies printed for positive identification.

INVESTIGATION:

On Wednesday, 12/02/2015, at approximately 1730 hours, I took initial overall scene photographs that included the vehicle that the two decedents had been in, the debris on the ground around the scene, including weapons and the bodies. This was done to document the initial scene findings and body positions.

There was a body of what appeared to be a male adult, later identified as Syed Farook, lying supine in the number two lane of westbound San Bernardino Ave., in front of 1830 East San Bernardino Ave., San Bernardino. The head pointed north and the feet pointed south. The hands were handcuffed to the rear of the body. The original positions of the arms and body are described in this report and were digitally photographed by me.

At approximately 1746 hours, I rolled the body into a prone position and Crime Scene Specialist (CSI) H. Radeleff conducted a gunshot residue (GSR) test on the hands of Farook, which remained handcuffed. At approximately 1750 hours, I obtained fingerprints via Integrated Biometric Identification System (IBIS). I did not receive an immediate identification return. The IBIS print information was sent electronically to Cal-ID for positive identification.

I took two sets of inked rolled fingerprints and delivered them to Cal-ID. At approximately 1845 hours, I received notification via cell phone that the male had been positively identified as Syed Rizwan Farook, to DOB: 06/14/1987, and CII # [REDACTED] and CDL # [REDACTED] per E. Herrera from Cal-ID.

PHOTOGRAPHS:

I took 27 digital photographs of the body and scene and later uploaded them into CCMS.

DISPOSITION:

Attach to original report.

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Investigator: Joe Hernandez Coroner Case #701509084:

SCENE DESCRIPTION:

The scene extended east from the 1700 block to the 1800 block of San Bernardino Avenue. San Bernardino Avenue is an east/west, 4 lane, asphalt paved roadway, located in a residential district. The lanes were 12' in width. A 9' median divided the east and westbound lanes. The median was designated by a solid yellow painted line to the outside and a striped yellow painted line to the inside. The two east and westbound lanes were divided by a striped white painted line.

Over 600 shell and shotgun casings along with rifle and gun magazines were scattered from the 1700 block to the 1800 block of San Bernardino Ave.

The suspect vehicle was a black Ford Expedition, bearing Utah license plate # [REDACTED]. The vehicle was approximately 9' north of the south curb of San Bernardino Ave. across from 1822 San Bernardino Ave. and approximately 183' east of the east prolongation of Shedden Dr. The Expedition was in the eastbound number two lane facing eastbound. The Expedition was riddled with bullet holes on the rear, driver, and passenger side. The front and rear windshields were shattered out. The tires on the driver side of the vehicle were flat. There were two semi-automatic rifles and two semi-automatic handguns on a blanket next to the driver side of the vehicle. There was a metal ammunition box containing magazines of .223 and 9mm rounds. There were approximately 1700 rounds of ammunition around the vehicle. There was also a nylon bag of what appeared to be bomb making material.

A Sheriff's marked patrol Ford Crown Victoria, bearing California license plate # [REDACTED] was approximately 24' south of the north curb of San Bernardino Ave. and approximately 114' east of the east prolongation of Shedden Drive. The Sheriff's unit was in the number one westbound lane facing eastbound. There were bullet holes on the front passenger side quarter panel and passenger door along with the hood of the vehicle. The front windshield had several bullet holes and the rear windshield and driver side window were shattered out. The rear driver side tire was flat. There were .223 and 9mm casings along with several shotgun casings on the asphalt on the driver's side of the Sheriff's unit.

A Sheriff's marked patrol Ford Crown Victoria, bearing California license plate # [REDACTED] was approximately 6' south of the north curb of San Bernardino Avenue. The rear of the vehicle was at the east prolongation of Shedden Drive. The Sheriff's unit was in the number two lane facing eastbound. There was no visible damage on the unit. There were .223 casings on the asphalt along the driver side of the vehicle.

A gray Dodge Caravan, bearing California license plate # [REDACTED] was approximately 6' south of the north prolongation of San Bernardino Ave. at the Intersection of Shedden Drive. The van was in the number two lane facing eastbound. There were three bullet holes on the front windshield.

A Redlands Police Department marked patrol Ford Explorer, bearing California license plate # [REDACTED] was approximately 15' north of the south curb of San Bernardino Avenue. The front end of the vehicle was at the west prolongation of Shedden Drive facing eastbound in the number one lane. There were .223 casings on the asphalt on both the driver and passenger side of the vehicle. There was no visible damage on the vehicle.

A gray Hyundai Sonata, bearing California license plate # [REDACTED] was approximately 25' south of the north curb of San Bernardino Ave. and approximately 10' west of the west prolongation of Shedden Drive. The Sonata was in the center median facing westbound. The front passenger tire was flat.

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The male suspect was prone on the asphalt with his hands handcuffed behind his back. His head was oriented to the north and his feet to the south. The male was dressed in dark clothing. There was a large blood pool around the head. The head of the suspect was approximately 3' south of the north curb of San Bernardino Avenue and approximately 207' east of the east prolongation of Shedden Drive. The suspect was in the street in front of 1830 San Bernardino Ave. There was an AR-15 on the north curb of San Bernardino Ave. approximately 4' east of the suspect. A bandoleer containing .223 magazines and two magazines taped together and a single magazine was approximately 6' west of the suspect.

The female suspect was prone on the asphalt. Her head was oriented to the west and her feet to the east. Her arms extended straight out, perpendicular to the torso. Her legs extended straight in line with the torso. The female was dressed in dark clothing. The female was approximately 18' north of the south curb of San Bernardino Avenue and approximately 187' east of the east prolongation of Shedden Drive. She was approximately 9' north of the suspect vehicle.

PHOTOGRAPHS:

I took 80 photographs of the scene.

DISPOSITION:

Attach to original report.