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Assistant Sheriff Christopher Darcy Discusses September 6, 2020 OIS

Assistant Sheriff Christopher Darcy provided additional details of the officer involved shooting that occurred on September 6, 2020 at a residence located in the 10300 block of Timber Willow Avenue. The LVMPD received a call from a psychiatrist stating that one of his clients, later identified as 40-year-old Seth Holliday, was becoming aggressive and was a danger to his spouse.

The LVMPD Communications Center also received a 911 call from the same residence where a female was heard screaming. During the call, the female was heard saying that her husband, Holliday, had stabbed himself and that he was trying to kill her. Sergeant Douglas King arrived and walked up to the front door of the residence. As he approached, Sgt. King observed Holliday standing behind a security door holding a knife to a female. The security door was locked, and Sergeant King gave Holliday verbal commands to drop the knife. Sergeant King fired one round through the security door striking him. Medical responded and pronounced Holliday deceased at the scene.

Holliday's wife was transported to the hospital for stab wounds, where she was listed in stable condition.

A video of the briefing can be viewed by clicking on the following link:

https://youtu.be/acL_q5k2czM

This is the 14th officer involved shooting of 2020. The LVMPD Force Investigation Team is conducting the investigation into the officers use of force in this incident. The findings will be forwarded to the Clark County District Attorney's Office for review.

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An examination of this incident is being conducted by the LVMPD Critical Incident Review Team. This review focuses on policy, tactics and training as it relates to this use of force.

This is an ongoing investigation. Anyone with any information about this incident is urged to contact the LVMPD Force Investigation Team at 702-828-8452. To remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 702-385-5555, or on the internet at www.crimestoppersofnv.com.

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