



Neptune City Police Department

106 W Sylvania Ave NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753 (732)775-1615

Individual Arrest Report

Name: LIAM PATRICK

MCATASNEY (89173)

Street Address: 12 BRADLEY ST

Date of Birth: 07/29/97

City, State Zip: NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753

Social Security: [REDACTED]

Local ID Numbers:

State ID Number: 674174G

Attorney:

Place of Birth:

Sex: M

Height: 6'02"

Hair Color: BLN

Drivers License: [REDACTED]

Marital Status:

Home Phone: [REDACTED]

Employer:

Alias For:

FBI number: NPV5R1CPR

Occupation:

State:

Race: W

Weight: 190

Eyes Color: BLU

State: NJ

Work Phone: () -

Scars, Marks, and Tattoo Information

Arrest/Offense Information

Booking Number: 17BK01513

Arrest Reference Number: W2017000411335

Time/Date Arrested: 19:30:00 02/01/17

Arresting Officer: Vollbrecht, M

Arresting Agency: P35

Age at Arrest: 19

Statute: 2C:11-3, Murder

Class: 1D

Court: 1300

Offense: HOMI, Homicide

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:15-1, Robbery

Class: 1D

Court: 1300

Offense: RSMC, Robbery, Strong-Arm, Misc

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:22-1(A), Unlawfully disturbs, moves or
conceals human remains

Class: 2D

Court: 1300

Offense: OBST, Obstructing Justice

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:29-3, Hinder Apprehension

Class: 3D

Court: 1300

Offense: OBST, Obstructing Justice

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:5-2, Conspiracy
Offense: CONS, Conspiracy
Offense Refrnc: W2017000411335

Class:
Counts: 1
Related Incident: 16NC10196

Court: 1300
OTN:

Report Includes:

All dates arrested, All booking numbers matching '17BK01513', All arresting agencies, All arresting officers, All arrest types, All arrest area codes, All judicial age statuses, All inmate name numbers, All offense codes, All statute codes, All alcohol/drug codes, All crime class codes, All law jurisdictions, All court codes, All entry codes, All custody flags,



Neptune City Police Department

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Individual Arrest Report

Name: PRESTON O TAYLOR

(203513)

Street Address: 704 MARSHA DR

City, State Zip: NEPTUNE TWP, NJ

07753-2814

Date of Birth: 05/28/97

Social Security: [REDACTED]

Local ID Numbers:

State ID Number:

FBI number:

Attorney:

Occupation:

Place of Birth:

State:

Sex: M

Race: W

Height: 6'05"

Weight: 0

Hair Color:

Eyes Color: BLU

Drivers License: [REDACTED]

State: NJ

Marital Status:

Home Phone: [REDACTED]

Work Phone:

Employer:

Alias For:

Scars, Marks, and Tattoo Information

Arrest/Offense Information

Booking Number: 17BK01515

Arrest Reference Number:

Time/Date Arrested: 00:32:55 02/02/17

Arresting Officer: Vollbrecht, M

Arresting Agency: P35

Age at Arrest: 19

Statute: 2C:22-1(A), Unlawfully disturbs, moves or
conceals human remains

Class: 2D

Court: 1300

Offense: N/A, N/A

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:5-2, Conspiracy

Class: 3D

Court: 1300

Offense: CONS, Conspiracy

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

Related Incident: 16NC10196

Statute: 2C:29-3, Hinder Apprehension

Class: 3D

Court: 1300

Offense: OBST, Obstructing Justice

Counts: 1

OTN:

Offense Refrnc:

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Offense Refrnc: W2017000411335

Class: Court: 1300
Counts: 1 OTN:
Related Incident: 16NC10196

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For Date: 12/03/2016 - Saturday

Call Number	Time	Call Reason	Action	Priority	Duplicate
16-21175	0339	Phone - MISSING PERSON	Investigated / Offense R 1		
Call Taker: B895 - Coppola, Dawn					
Primary Id: B153 - Mahoney, John					
Call Closed By: B328 - Williams, William 12/03/2016 1838					
Call Modified By: B328 - Williams, William					
Location: [BEL 45] HIGHWAY 35 BRIDGE					
Jurisdiction: Belmar					
Fire District: Town Wide					
Party Entered By: 12/03/2016 0347 B895 - Coppola, Dawn					
Modified By: 12/03/2016 2131 B144 - Desserich, Gregory					
Involved Party: STERN, SARAH L @ 78 RIDGE TC - NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753					
CallBack Number: [REDACTED]					
SSN: [REDACTED] DOB: 03/24/1997 Race: U Sex: F					
Party Entered By: 12/03/2016 0419 B895 - Coppola, Dawn					
Calling Party: STERN, MICHAEL @ ***UNKNOWN*** - BELMAR, NJ 07719					
CallBack Number: [REDACTED]					
Party Entered By: 12/03/2016 0434 B895 - Coppola, Dawn					
Modified By: 12/03/2016 2131 B144 - Desserich, Gregory					
Involved Party: MCATASNEY, LIAM P @ 12 BRADLEY ST - NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753-6722					
SSN: [REDACTED] DOB: 07/29/1997 Race: U Sex: M					
ID: B161 - Hawkins, Nichole					
Disp-03:43:16 Arvd-03:43:17 Clrd-07:15:47					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B144 - Desserich, Gregory					
Disp-03:45:22 Arvd-03:45:23 Clrd-06:53:37					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B137 - Lynch, Christopher					
Disp-04:43:19 Arvd-04:43:20 Clrd-06:53:35					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
EMS Unit: BFA1-Belmar First Aid 1					
Disp-05:04:04 Enrt-05:04:05 Arvd-05:04:06 Clrd-12:44:24					
InQrtsUnavl-12:44:24 InSrvce-12:44:24					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B153 - Mahoney, John					
Disp-05:18:06 Arvd-05:18:08 Clrd-13:03:30					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B155 - Steneck, Anthony					
Disp-07:27:40 Clrd-07:28:11					
Dispatched By: B328 - Williams, William					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B153 - Mahoney, John					
Disp-13:03:35 Arvd-13:03:36 Clrd-18:38:05					
Dispatched By: B328 - Williams, William					
Arrived By: B328 - Williams, William					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
ID: B155 - Steneck, Anthony					
Disp-16:03:20 Clrd-16:03:31					
Dispatched By: B328 - Williams, William					
Cleared By: B328 - Williams, William					
Vehicle Entered By: 12/03/2016 0500 B895 - Coppola, Dawn					
Modified By: 12/03/2016 0805 B328 - Williams, William					
Vehicle: SIL 1994 OLDS 4D D88 Reg: [REDACTED] VIN: 1G3HY52L0RH329196					
Owner: STERN, LILLIAN J @ 78 RIDGE TER - NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753-6633					
Insurance Co:					
Policy No:					
Narrative: 12/03/2016 0346 Coppola, Dawn					
Modified By: 12/03/2016 0426 Coppola, Dawn					
Neptune pd had an abandoned vehicle on the rt 35 bridge, vehicle was towed and spoke to the driver's father who said its not like her to just leave her car with the keys. Driver is Sarah Stern.					
Narrative: 12/03/2016 0424 Coppola, Dawn					
Modified By: 12/03/2016 0435 Coppola, Dawn					
County called back with updates- 1949 hrs- driver's phone was pinged to 84 Field st Avon.					

within .21 miles west south west direction.
1354 hrs- phone pinged to lat/long 40.19751 74.02213

Neptune city checking 12 Bradley st for a Liam Mcatasney who
was possibly with her.

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0442 Coppola, Dawn**
Gene Scholz from water rescue contacted
Per Capt Cox Detective Mahoney is coming in.

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0449 Coppola, Dawn**
first aid and water rescue requested

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0452 Coppola, Dawn**
Sheriffs dept dive team requested

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0453 Coppola, Dawn**
water rescue 1 in service

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0456 Coppola, Dawn**
Neptune towed vehicle to East Coast Auto Body
Case number- 16NT30115 at 0246 hrs

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0458 Coppola, Dawn**
second request for first aid and water rescue

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0504 Coppola, Dawn**
57- first aid standing by the building, water rescue in
service.

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0509 Coppola, Dawn**
third request for water rescue

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0522 Coppola, Dawn**
first aid staged at L st Beach

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0525 Coppola, Dawn**
137- Coast Guard checking the water

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0526 Coppola, Dawn**
Water rescue command post is L st Beach

Narrative: **12/03/2016 0629 Coppola, Dawn**
153 going with Neptune City to check the vehicle that was
towed.

Narrative: **12/03/2016 1008 Williams, William**
Neptune PD stayed in contact with Verizon in ref the mp cell
phone there was no movement since last ping, no activity on
phone since and the phone is now powered off

Narrative: **12/03/2016 1427 Williams, William**
All water operations complete in Belmar Marina as per Belmar
Water Rescue

Refer To Incident: 16BEL-21175-OF

04/10/17
14:15

Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office
CAD Master Call Table:

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Long-Term Call ID 16-540555
Active Call Nature MOTORIST ASSIST Type 1 Priority
Addresso?SR 35 BRIDGE SB City 34 NEPTUNE TWP
S SR 35 & SR 35 S
Zones b b b Determinant Alarm
Directions

Contact ANON
Address 1631 MAPLEWOOD ROAD
Info (See below)
License Plate State

Tel [REDACTED]

Callsb25+ Duplb 0 Namesb 0 w/Alrtsb 0 Wantsb 0 Premb 0 Adrb 0

How Rcvd 9 911 Line Occurred between 02:43:59 12/03/16
Rcvd by Mackenzie, J and 02:44:04 12/03/16
Hld Until : : / / When Rptd 02:46:05 12/03/16

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INVOLVEMENTS:

Type	Record #	Date	Description	Relationship
LW	16NT30115	12/03/16	GENERAL PD	*Initiating Call

Call Taker Comments:

OLDER MODEL TAN SEDAN APPEARED TO BE DISABLED / ABANDONED ON THE BRIDGE -- RT 35 SOUTH SIDE

02:54:14 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R - From: Leaming, S
attach [REDACTED]

02:55:05 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
tow being requested

02:55:23 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
see if you can get any info on a number for the r.o.

02:56:00 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
atlantic towing ntft 10-15 min eta

02:58:07 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
the only number i found was [REDACTED] trying to call it again

02:58:38 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
att to call again and it went right to vm

03:17:55 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
as per 34190 if we can get in contact with r.o. the veh will be in east coast
autobody

03:19:36 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
as per p35124 out at the register owners residence- they found an open door and
are going to check the interior at this time

03:21:02 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
as per 34190 the only key in the veh was the ignition key

03:24:06 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
received a call from a joe milano (neptune first aid captin) who advised that
the driver of the veh should be sara stearnd and that he believes the r/o of
the veh is staying at the aunts house / he does not have contact info for
either / he will have the uncle michael call back from FL
03:34:16 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
spillman number 165780- sara stern
03:34:23 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
34190 wants the phone pinged
03:45:40 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
belmar with pd 34 units
03:51:10 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
12 bradley [REDACTED] bar tender by stop and shop / liam mcatasney /no answer
on phone msg was left
03:52:50 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
bradley
03:54:59 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
as per 34190 this incident is in belmar- give them the lat and long- having
neptune city go out to the liam mcastasney's house to see if they can locate
her
03:56:15 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
19:49 Hrs: 84 field st, avon st ph pinged 0.21 miles west south west direction
03:56:27 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
lat: 40.19751 Long: -74.02213
03:56:49 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
lat/ long last pinged 13:54hrs
03:57:50 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
callers daughter sara cell [REDACTED] / possibly with a liam / grand son of
john mcglouchin / has not been able to get in contact with her since yesterday
/ liam lives at 12 bradley st in neptune city / 19 yoa / not normal for her to
be out / sister shirley longo and lillian are enrt to neptune city address /
michaels cell is who is sar [REDACTED] / liam lives with his mother megan
mcgloughlin / john is megans father /
03:59:18 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
34190 is clear / turned over to belmar
03:59:52 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
belmar checking the water by the marina by the docks
04:01:46 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
35058 now out at 11 holly in ref to this incident
04:02:36 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
13:54 ping shows ph in the area of milwood between Steiner ave and Laird Ave
04:05:55 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
belmar was updated
04:18:29 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R
spillman number 89173

04/10/17
14:16

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Long-Term Call ID 16-540564
Active Call Nature MUTUAL AID - PD Type 1 Priority
Addresso?78 RIDGE TER City 35 NEPTUNE CITY
RIDGE PL & MCANENY ST, EVERGREEN AVE
Zones b b b Determinant Alarm
Directions

Contact P34190 Tel () -
Address
Info (See below)
License Plate State

Callsb 6 Duplb 0 Namesb 0 w/Alrtsb 0 Wantsb 0 Premb 0 Adrb 0
How Rcvd T Telephone Occurred between 03:06:12 12/03/16
Rcvd by Baker, G and 03:06:12 12/03/16
Hld Until : : / / When Rptd 03:07:21 12/03/16

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INVOLVEMENTS:

Type	Record #	Date	Description	Relationship
LW	16NC10195	12/03/16	MUTUAL AID - PD	*Initiating Call

Call Taker Comments:

att to contact owner of attached veh / veh is abandoned on sr 35 bridge sb
03:19:39 12/03/2016 - Baker, G - From: Hindes, B
checking interior of residence / open door
03:23:58 12/03/2016 - Baker, G
received a call from a joe milano (neptune first aid captin) who advised that
the driver of the veh should be sara stearnd and that he believes the r/o of
the veh is staying at the aunts house / he does not have contact info for
either / he will have the uncle michael call back from FL
03:32:57 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
attempted to contact Sarah Stern [REDACTED] went to voicemail which was not
set up
03:38:04 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
contacting verizon to ping phone
03:48:55 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
AT 19:49 hrs the phone pinged off tower 0.21 miles west south west direction
from 84 field st, avon. last lat/long was at 13:54hrs : lat: 40.19751
Long: -74.02213. Device is inactive (powered off or battery dead).
03:54:56 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am

19:49 Hrs: 84 field st, avon st
03:57:04 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am
19:49 Hrs: 84 field st, avon st

04:03:33 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am

1354 ping shows ph in the area of milwood between steiner ave and laird ave



Belmar Police Department
Incident Report

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04/04/2017

Incident #: 16BEL-21175-OF
Call #: 16-21175

Date/Time Reported: 12/03/2016 0339
Report Date/Time: 12/03/2016 2106
Occurred Between: 12/02/2016 1600-12/03/2016 0246
Status: No Crime Involved

Reporting Officer: Sergeant Gregory Desserich
Approving Officer: Captain Thomas Cox

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

EVENTS (S)

LOCATION TYPE: Highway/Road/Alley/Street Zone: Town Wide
HIGHWAY 35 BRIDGE

BELMAR NJ 07719

1 Missing Person

#	VICTIM(S)	SEX	RACE	AGE	SSN	PHONE
1	STERN, SARAH L 78 RIDGE TC NEPTUNE CITY NJ 07753 DOB: 03/24/1997 ETHNICITY: Unknown RESIDENT STATUS: Non Resident VICTIM CONNECTED TO OFFENSE NUMBER(S): 1 CONTACT INFORMATION: CallBack Number (Primary) [REDACTED]	F	W	19	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

#	PERSON(S)	PERSON TYPE	SEX	RACE	AGE	SSN	PHONE
1	MCATASNEY, LIAM P 12 BRADLEY ST NEPTUNE CITY NJ 07753-6722 DOB: 07/29/1997	OTHER	M	W	19	[REDACTED]	
2	MCATASNEY, MEGAN E 12 BRADLEY ST NEPTUNE CITY NJ 07753-6722 DOB: 06/29/1977	OTHER	F	W	39	[REDACTED]	
3	STERN, MICHAEL L 78 RIDGE TC NEPTUNE CITY NJ 07753 DOB: 06/19/1955	PARENT	M	W	61	[REDACTED]	
4	DRAPER, ROBIN D 75 RIDGE TC NEPTUNE CITY NJ 07753 DOB: 03/16/1962	OTHER	F	W	54	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

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Incident #: 16BEL-21175-OF
Call #: 16-21175

#	PERSON(S)	PERSON TYPE	SEX	RACE	AGE	SSN	PHONE	
5	MILANO, ANDREA 405 N RIVERSIDE DRVIE NEPTUNE NJ 07753 DOB: 09/07/1982	OTHER	F	W	34			
6	BAHR, MEAGAN 114 HILLCREST AVE NEPTUNE NJ 07753 DOB: 05/14/1988	OTHER	F	W	28	NOT AVAIL		
#	VEHICLE(S)	YEAR	MAKE	STYLE	COLOR1	COLOR2	REG	VALUE
1	D88	1994	OLDS	4D	SIL			

STATUS: Impounded
VIN: 1G3HY52L0RH329196

DATE: 12/03/2016

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NARRATIVE FOR SERGEANT GREGORY DESSERICH

Ref: 16BEL-21175-OF

Entered: 12/03/2016 @ 2135 Entry ID: B144
Modified: 12/04/2016 @ 0127 Modified ID: B144
Approved: 12/04/2016 @ 0127 Approval ID: B144

On 12/03/2016 at approximately 0339hrs, PO Nichole Hawkins was dispatched to the southbound side of the Hwy 35 bridge. She was advised by dispatch that Neptune Township officers were requesting Belmar officers, in reference to an abandoned vehicle. I also responded to that location, arriving the same time as her.

Once on scene we met with Neptune Township Officer Leaming #34190. He advised us that at about 0246hrs, their agency received a call about an abandoned motor vehicle on top of the Hwy 35 bridge, on the southbound side. Officer Leaming stated that he came upon the silver 1994 Oldsmobile [REDACTED] at the top of the bridge, right next to the "Red Signal Ahead" sign. The vehicle was parked with the driver's side tires on or near the pedestrian line, almost in the right lane of traffic. The operator was nowhere to be found and the keys to the vehicle were found to be inside. Officer Leaming stated that they had the vehicle towed to East Coast Auto body.

While on scene, Sergeant Brad Hinds of the Neptune City Police arrived. He informed me that Neptune Township contacted Neptune City Police and asked them to make contact with the registered owner, a 96 year old named Lillian Stern, who resides at 78 Ridge Terrace. Sgt. Hinds stated that he found the home unlocked and unoccupied. He was able to find that the owner's granddaughter, Sarah Stern, is the operator of the vehicle. They had not been able to contact Sarah. They also tried to have her cell phone pinged, with no success. The last known locations of her phone was in Avon and Neptune City, earlier in the night. PO Leaming stated that his supervisor told him that the vehicle was actually on the Belmar side of the bridge and to contact us, notify us of what they had done up to that point, and to turn over the incident to us. PO Leaming stated that because of the possibility that Sarah could have jumped, their officers had walked the marina on Seaview Island, looking in the water, and had not located anything. I advised PO Leaming to contact us if they received any new information and we would do the same.

PO Hawkins and I then responded to the Belmar Marina and walked along the water, under the bridge. We also located nothing, but visibility was limited due to the darkness. I returned to headquarters. There I was advised by dispatch that Sarah's father was on the phone. He had called Neptune Township PD and they transferred him to our headquarters. I then spoke with Michael Stern on the phone. He told me that he was in his car, in Orlando, FL, driving back to New Jersey. He had spoke with Sarah the day prior and she seemed fine. He had told he would be returning today.

Next I spoke with Sgt. Hinds again, this time on the phone. He advised me that he spoke with a neighbor (NFI) of Sarah's, who stated that she was close with her. The neighbor said that Sarah had been feeling depressed lately and was not happy that her father was coming back, as her relationship with him had become strained. Sarah's mother had died two years ago. Sarah was close with her mother and not happy with her father's new relationship. Also Sarah had boxed up some of her mother's belongings and given them to the neighbor yesterday. Sgt. Hinds also spoke with Sarah's friend/boyfriend, Liam McAtasney. he had not seen her since around 4:00pm, when he had to go to work.

At this point I contacted Det/Capt Tom Cox. I informed him that Sarah's car was found at the top of the bridge with the keys in it, she was not home and Neptune had not been able to ping her phone recently, and the fact there were friends saying she had been depressed, and had recently gave away prized possessions. Capt. Cox advised me to call in Det. John Mahoney and to activate our water rescue team, as at this time all evidence pointed to that fact Sarah could have jumped from the bridge.

After contacting our water rescue, they requested that we have the county dive team also respond. The head of Belmar water rescue, contacted the Coast Guard. Det. Mahoney arrived on scene and I advised him of all the details. The incident was then turned over to him.

New Jersey State Police Operations Report**V530-2016-00460R**

02/10/2017

General Information

Station Case Number: V530-2016-00460R

Date of Incident: 12/03/2016

Time of Incident: 06:42

Day of Week: Saturday

Date Reported: 12/03/2016

Time Reported: 06:42

Incident: Search And Rescue Operation

Station/Unit: V530 / POINT PLEASANT STATION

County/Municipality: Monmouth / Neptune Twp.

Other Location: Shark River @ Rt. 35 Bridge

Vehicle Information

N/A

Persons Involved

Victim Name (First, Middle, Last): Sara Stern

DL Number:

State:

S.S.N.: NONE

Area Code & Phone:

Address (Number-Street-Municipality-State & Zip Code) 222 Lincoln Ave Avon By The Sea Boro, New Jersey 07717

D.O.B

Age

Sex

Race

14-MAR-97

19

Female

1B

Businesses Involved

N/A

Assisting Troopers

Badge #: 5043

Name: LT. R C CRUTCHLEY

5766

SSGT. P J PFEIFER

6011

SSGT. P R RODEMANN

6469

SGT. D L PEARCE

Other Supporting Agencies

N/A

Related Cases

N/A

Narrative**December 3, 2016 (Saturday)**

On this date, Troopers from the Point Pleasant Station were detailed to the Shark River in the area of the Rt. 35 Bridge in Belmar Boro, Monmouth County in reference to a search and rescue operation. Belmar Boro Pd was investigating a suspicious incident where a motor vehicle was found abandoned at the top of the Rt. 35 Bridge in Belmar Boro. The location of the female operator, Sara Stern, was unknown at this time. Due to information discovered by Belmar PD Detectives it is believed that the victim may have committed suicide by jumping from the bridge. Multiple agencies were on scene including the United States Coast Guard, Monmouth County Sherrif's Department, Belmar Search and Rescue, Belmar Police Department, Neptune City Police Department and the A.N.S.W.E.R. Search and Rescue team. Upon arrival dive operations were underway around the base of the bridge and met with negative results. Point Pleasant Station Commander Lt. R. Crutchley #5043, NJSP T.E.A.M.S. and NJSP Aviation arrived on scene. NJSP Sidescan Sonar was then deployed from vessel 2906 and a thorough search of the area was conducted and met with negative results. Upon completion of the sonar detail, local agencies resumed dive operations and were again met with negative results. All units subsequently completed operations and departed the scene. Further investigation by Belmar Boro Police Department is pending.

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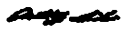
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Narrative

No Further Action.....

Rank/Name TPR. II A G GUIDO # 7115 Signature: 	Date of Report 12/04/2016 Status Pending ☐ Completed ☒	Reviewer & Badge Number SFC R R GOODSON # 5702 Signature: 
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Avon By The Sea Police Department

301 Main Street AVON BY THE SEA, NJ 07717 (732)502-4500

Officer Report for Incident 16AV05300

Nature: MUTUAL AID - PD

Address: 222 LINCOLN AVE

Location: P86

AVON BY THE SEA NJ 07717

Offense Codes:

Received By: Baker, G **How Received:** O **Agency:** P86
Responding Officers: Alaimo, M
Responsible Officer: Alaimo, M **Disposition:** 12/03/16
When Reported: 06:34:51 12/03/16 **Occurred Between:** 06:34:51 12/03/16 and 06:34:51 12/03/16

Assigned To:

Detail:

Date Assigned: **/**/**

Status:

Status Date: **/**/**

Due Date: **/**/**

Complainant:

Last: **First:** **Mid:**
DOB: **/**/** **Dr Lic:** **Address:**
Race: **Sex:** **Phone:** **City:** ,

Offense Codes

Reported:

Observed:

Circumstances

Responding Officers:

Unit :

Alaimo, M

P86107

Responsible Officer: Alaimo, M

Agency: P86

Received By: Baker, G

Last Radio Log: 06:35:06 12/03/16 C

How Received: O Ofcr. Initiated

Clearance: NR No Report

When Reported: 06:34:51 12/03/16

Disposition: **Date:** 12/03/16

Judicial Status:

Occurred between: 06:34:51 12/03/16

Misc Entry:

and: 06:34:51 12/03/16

Statute:

Description :

Method :

Involvements

Date	Type	Description	
12/03/16	Name	STERN, SARAH L	Victim
12/03/16	Cad Call	06:34:51 12/03/16 MUTUAL AID - PD	Initiating Call

Narrative

----- (lwmain06354912032016)

Sgt. Isascson requests patrols check the above address for a missing person out of there town, Sarah Stern. NCPD believed Ms. Stern lived in Neptune City however, her drivers license had an Avon address. Myself and Ptlm Garrity checked the residence. Same was secured and appeared to be vacant, run down and has not been lived in a while. However, there was mail in the mail box for a Michael Stern (Sarah's Father) Patrols were not able to make entry.

NCPD was notified of our findings....

~~~~~ (lwmain06354912032016)~~

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**Name Involvements:**

**Victim :** 165780

**Last:** STERN

**DOB:** 03/24/97

**First:** SARAH

**Dr Lic:** [REDACTED]  
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**Mid:** L

**Address:** 78 RIDGE TERRACE

**Race:** W

**Sex:** F

**Phone:** ( ) -

**City:** NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753 6614

**New Jersey State Police Operations Report****V530-2016-00463R**

02/10/2017

**General Information**

Station Case Number: V530-2016-00463R

Date of Incident: 12/06/2016

Time of Incident: 09:06

Day of Week: Tuesday

Date Reported: 12/06/2016

Time Reported: 09:06

Incident: Search And Recovery Operation

Station/Unit: V530 / POINT PLEASANT STATION

County/Municipality: Monmouth / Belmar Boro

Other Location: Shark River In The Area Of The Rt  
35 Bridge**Vehicle Information**

N/A

**Persons Involved**

Victim Name (First, Middle, Last): Sara L Stern

DL Number: [REDACTED]

State: New Jersey

S.S.N.: [REDACTED]

Area Code &amp; Phone:

Address (Number-Street-Municipality-State &amp; Zip Code) 222 Lincoln Ave Avon By The Sea Boro, New Jersey 07717

D.O.B

Age

Sex

Race

14-MAR-97

19

Female

1B

**Businesses Involved**

Business Name: Point Pleasant Station

Owner's Name (First, Middle, Last): Tpr. I V Mancuso #6002

Phone: (732) 899-5051

Owner's Address (Number-Street-Municipality-State &amp; Zip Code): 2001 Loveland Pl Point Pleasant Boro, New Jersey 08742

**Assisting Troopers**

Badge #: 5766

Name: SSGT. P J PFEIFER

6866

TPR. I W C MUNYON

7344

TPR. A J STEPHANIC

**Other Supporting Agencies**

N/A

**Related Cases**

Case Number(s): V530-2016-00460R

**Narrative**

December 6, 2016 at approximately 09:06 am (Tuesday)

On this date, SSGT. P. Pfeifer #5766 and I were detailed to the Shark River in the area of the Rt. 35 Bridge in Belmar Boro, Monmouth County in reference to a search and recovery operation. NJSP Aviation also assisted with the surface search. A search of the area was met with negative results. Surface searches will be continued on a future date.

Search and recovery to be continued...

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| Rank/Name<br>TPR. I V MANCUSO<br># 6002<br>Signature:  | Date of Report<br>12/06/2016<br><br>Status<br>Pending <input type="checkbox"/><br>Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Reviewer & Badge Number<br>SSGT. P J PFEIFER<br># 5766<br>Signature:  |
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| TROOP                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  | UNIT/STATION V530 - POINT PLEASANT STATION - SQUAD 4 |           |
| TPR. II A G GUIDO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  | DATE 12/03/2016                                      | TIME 0642 |
| SUBJECT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  | LOCATION                                             |           |
| Search and Rescue Operation<br>CAD #V530-2016-00977142                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  | SHARK RIVER @ RT 35 BRIDGE                           |           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  | COUNTY: MONMOUTH<br>MUNI: BELMAR BORO                |           |
| RELATED CASES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |                                                      |           |
| V530201600460R                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |                                                      |           |
| PERSONNEL INVOLVED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |                                                      |           |
| LT. R C CRUTCHLEY BADGE# 5043 Station V530<br>SSGT. P J PFEIFER BADGE# 5766 Station V530<br>SSGT. P R RODEMANN BADGE# 6011 Station V530<br>SGT. D L PEARCE BADGE# 6469 Station V530<br>- BELMAR BORO POLICE DEPARTMENT<br>- NEPTUNE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT<br>- BELMAR BORO SEARCH AND RESCUE<br>- NEPTUNE FIRE DEPARTMENT<br>- UNITED STATES COAST GUARD                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |                                                      |           |
| SUSPECTS - ACCUSED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  | IDENTITY OF DECEASED OR INJURED                      |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HIDTA Deconfliction Completed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |                                                      |           |
| NJSP UNITS / AGENCIES INVOLVED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |                                                      |           |
| NJSP AVIATION / NJSP MARINE SERVICES / NJSP TEAMS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |                                                      |           |
| SUMMARY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |                                                      |           |
| The following synopsis is based on preliminary information. Complete details regarding this incident will be documented in an official New Jersey State Police or allied law enforcement agency report.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |                                                      |           |
| December 3, 2016 (Saturday)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |  |                                                      |           |
| <p>On this date, Troopers from the Point Pleasant Station were detailed to the Shark River in the area of the Rt. 35 Bridge in Belmar Boro, Monmouth County in reference to a search and rescue operation. Belmar Boro Pd was investigating a suspicious incident where a motor vehicle was found abandoned at the top of the Rt. 35 Bridge in Belmar Boro. The location of the female operator, Sara Stern, was unknown at this time. Due to information discovered by Belmar PD Detectives it is believed that the victim may have committed suicide by jumping from the bridge. Multiple agencies were on scene including the United States Coast Guard, Monmouth County Sheriff's Department, Belmar Search and Rescue, Belmar Police Department, Neptune City Police Department and the A.N.S.W.E.R. Search and Rescue team. Upon arrival dive operations were underway around the base of the bridge and met with negative results. Point Pleasant Station Commander Lt. R.</p> |  |                                                      |           |



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Crutchley #5043, NJSP T.E.A.M.S. and NJSP Aviation arrived on scene. NJSP Sidescan Sonar was then deployed from vessel 2906 and a thorough search of the area was conducted and met with negative results. Upon completion of the sonar detail, local agencies resumed dive operations and were again met with negative results. All units subsequently completed operations and departed the scene. Further investigation by Belmar Boro Police Department is pending. Lt. K. Ryan #5643 was notified.

FBS approved by SSGT. P Rodemann #6011

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|---------------|-------------------|--------|-----------------------|
| Submitted On: | Submitted by:     | Badge: | Division Case Number: |
| 12/03/2016    | TPR. II A G GUIDO | #7115  | V530-2016-00046Q      |



# NEPTUNE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

25 NEPTUNE BLVD NEPTUNE TWP , NJ 07753 (732)988-8000

Officer Report for Incident 16NT30115

**Nature:** GENERAL PD  
**Location:** P344

**Address:** SR 35 BRIDGE SB  
BELMAR NJ 07753

**Offense Codes:** POLI

**Received By:** Mackenzie, J

**How Received:** 9

**Agency:** P34

**Responding Officers:** Mattia, D, Leaming, S, Crawford, C

**Responsible Officer:** Leaming, S

**Disposition:** CLO 12/04/16

**When Reported:** 02:46:05 12/03/16

**Occurred Between:** 02:43:59 12/03/16 and 02:44:04 12/03/16

**Assigned To:**

**Detail:**

**Date Assigned:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Status:**

**Status Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Due Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

## Complainant:

**Last:**

**First:**

**Mid:**

**DOB:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Dr Lic:**

**Address:**

**Race:**

**Sex:**

**Phone:**

**City:** ,

## Offense Codes

**Reported:**

**Observed:** POLI Police Information

**Additional Offense:** POLI Police Information

## Circumstances

LT13 Highway, Road, Alley

## Responding Officers:

**Unit :**

Mattia, D

P34170

Leaming, S

P34190

Crawford, C

P34189

**Responsible Officer:** Leaming, S

**Agency:** P34

**Received By:** Mackenzie, J

**Last Radio Log:** 04:17:59 12/03/16 C

**How Received:** 9 911 Line

**Clearance:** RR Report Required

**When Reported:** 02:46:05 12/03/16

**Disposition:** CLO **Date:** 12/04/16

**Judicial Status:** AAT

**Occurred between:** 02:43:59 12/03/16

**Misc Entry:**

**and:** 02:44:04 12/03/16

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| <b>Statute:</b> | <b>Description :</b> | <b>Method :</b> |
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**Involvements**

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Type</b> | <b>Description</b>                |                   |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 12/03/16    | Name        | STERN, SARAH L                    | Involved          |
| 12/03/16    | Vehicle     | SIL 1994 HOLD D88 NJ              | Vehicle           |
| 12/03/16    | Cad Call    | 02:46:05 12/03/16 MOTORIST ASSIST | Initiating Call   |
| 02/08/17    | Evidence    | One DVD-R containing MVR foota    | Evidence Incident |
| 02/08/17    | Evidence    | One DVD-R containing MVR foota    | Evidence Incident |

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**Narrative**

On 12/03/2016, I was dispatched to the area of SR 35 and the Belmar Bridge for a report of an disabled vehicle, called in by a passing motorist. I arrived and located NJ registration [REDACTED] on the SR 35 bridge. I checked the area of the bridge for occupants with negative results. I looked in the windows of the vehicle and did not note anything suspicious about the vehicle's interior or exterior. The vehicle was cool to the touch and several miscellaneous items were in the interior. I did not note any personal items in the interior. The exterior was dented, scratched and in poor condition.

I then asked dispatch to contact the registered owner Lillian Stern who resided at 78 Ridge Terrace in Neptune City.

Dispatch advised they attempted phone contact and made contact with a male who hung up on the dispatcher and did not answer upon call back. I then advised dispatch to contact a tow truck due to the busy nature of SR 35 and high speed vehicle traffic.

I advised dispatch to also send a Neptune City unit to the home to make contact with the Lillian so we could ascertain the reason the vehicle was on the roadway.

Due to the vehicles location on the roadway, the busy nature of SR 35, the limited visibility due to the crest of the bridge and the late dark hour. I advised dispatch to have a tow truck remove the hazardous vehicle to avoid a traffic accident.

Atlantic Towing arrived shortly after dispatch and towed the vehicle to East Coast Auto Body to remove the traffic hazard. The vehicle was later entered into the NTPD Tow Log.

Dispatch later advised that Neptune City arrived at 78 Ridge Terrace and found an unlocked door. They cleared the home and no one was located in the home.

Dispatch advised they received a call from Joe Milano (NTEMS) who stated that Sara Stern should be operating the vehicle. I advised dispatch to attempt call Stern. Dispatch stated they could not make contact with Stern via phone. I then advised dispatch to ping Stern's phone to get her location.

Due to not being able to make any contact with the owner or operator, and the open door at 78 Ridge Terrace. I also checked the area on Sea View Island under the bridge and the waters surrounding the bridge.

I informed Sgt. Arce and Sgt. Webb of the incident details, and that the operator could not be located and was possible missing. Sgt. Arce and Sgt. Webb advised where the vehicle was found was in fact Belmar PD's jurisdiction.

I then advised dispatch to have Belmar Police meet me on scene but to continue the phone ping. Belmar Police Sgt. Desserich arrived as well as Sgt. Hinder from Neptune City Police. I advised Sgt. Desserich of the incident and that Stern was not at her home address and could not be located. We had attempted phone contact with negative results, and had started a phone ping for Stern. Sgt. Desserich advised he would handle the missing persons and was notifying USCG to check the waters of Shark River in case of a possible suicide attempt. Reference Belmar PD case number 16-21175 for more information.

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I cleared scene and continued to check for Stern. Later Sgt. Hinds NCPD and I conducted a check of 1420 7th Avenue Neptune for Stern. We spoke with Robert Stamand who stated that he last talked to Stern around 12Pm on 12/02/2016, and she was in good spirits. Sgt. Hinds forwarded this information to Belmar PD.

P/O Gullestad and I periodically searched the Shark River Marina and surrounding areas with negative results.

**Supplement**

04:18:00 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R

CAD Call info/comments

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OLDER MODEL TAN SEDAN APPEARED TO BE DISABLED / ABANDONED ON THE BRIDGE -- RT 35  
SOUTH SIDE

02:54:14 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R - From: Leaming, S  
attach wa337s nj

02:55:05 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
tow being requested

02:55:23 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
see if you can get any info on a number for the r.o.

02:56:00 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
atlantic towing ntft 10-15 min eta

02:58:07 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
the only number i found was [REDACTED] trying to call it again

02:58:38 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
att to call again and it went right to vm

03:17:55 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
as per 34190 if we can get in contact with r.o. the veh will be in east coast  
autobody

03:19:36 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
as per p35124 out at the register owners residence- they found an open door and  
are going to check the interior at this time

03:21:02 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
as per 34190 the only key in the veh was the ignition key

03:24:06 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
received a call from a joe milano (neptune first aid captin) who advised that  
the driver of the veh should be sara stearnd and that he believes the r/o of  
the veh is staying at the aunts house / he does not have contact info for  
either / he will have the uncle michael call back from FL

03:34:16 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
spillman number 165780- sara stern

03:34:23 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
34190 wants the phone pinged

03:45:40 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
belmar with pd 34 units

03:51:10 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
12 bradley [REDACTED] bar tender by stop and shop / liam mcatasney /no answer  
on phone msg was left

03:52:50 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
bradley

03:54:59 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
as per 34190 this incident is in belmar- give them the lat and long- having  
neptune city go out to the liam mcastasney's house to see if they can locate  
her

03:56:15 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am  
19:49 Hrs: 84 field st, avon st ph pinged 0.21 miles west south west direction

03:56:27 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am  
lat: 40.19751 Long: -74.02213

03:56:49 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am  
lat/ long last pinged 13:54hrs

03:57:50 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
callers daughter sara cell [REDACTED] / possibly with a liam / grand son of

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john mcglouchin / has not been able to get in contact with her since yesterday  
/ liam lives at 12 bradley st in neptune city / 19 yoa / not normal for her to  
be out / sister shirley longo and lillian are enrt to neptune city address /  
michaels cell is who is sar [REDACTED] / liam lives with his mother megan  
mcgloughlin / john is megans father /  
03:59:18 12/03/2016 - Baker, G  
34190 is clear / turned over to belmar  
03:59:52 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
belmar checking the water by the marina by the docks  
04:01:46 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
35058 now out at 11 holly in ref to this incident  
04:02:36 12/03/2016 - Farrell, Am  
13:54 ping shows ph in the area of milwood between Steiner ave and Laird Ave  
04:05:55 12/03/2016 - McClintock, R  
belmar was updated

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**Vehicles****Vehicle Number:**

253798

**License Plate:**

State: NJ

**Vehicle Year:** 1994**Make:** HOLD Holden**Color:** SIL /**Vehicle Type:** 01 Car/Station

Wagon/Minivan

**License Type:** PC Regular Passenger Automobile**Expires:** 04/30/17**VIN:** 1G3HY52L0RH329196**Model:** D88**Doors:** 0**Value:** \$0.00**Owner:****Last:** STERN**First:** LILLIAN**Mid:** J**DOB:** 12/28/19**Dr Lic:**

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**Address:** 78 RIDGE TR**Race:** W**Sex:** F**Phone:** ( )-**City:** NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753**Agency:** P35 Neptune City Police Department**Date Recov/Rcvd:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\***Officer:** Hindes, B**Area:****UCR Status:****Wrecker Service:****Local Status:****Storage Location:****Status Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\***Release Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\***Comments:**

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**Name Involvements:**

**Involved :** 165780

**Last:** STERN

**DOB:** 03/24/97

**First:** SARAH

**Dr Lic:** [REDACTED]

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**Mid:** L

**Address:** 78 RIDGE TERRACE

**Race:** W

**Sex:** F

**Phone:** ( ) -

**City:** NEPTUNE CITY, NJ 07753 6614