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SUBJECT: INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] RE; MALDEN POLICE SHOOTING

1. On Saturday March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012 while investigating the bank robbery and carjacking suspect shooting on Broadway on March 23<sup>rd</sup> I met and spoke with;

[REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] 1985  
[REDACTED], Malden, MA

at the Townline Paint Store at 483 Broadway, Malden. This business is directly across the street from the apartments at 500 Broadway. [REDACTED] is an employee there in sales and was working the day of the incident. [REDACTED] stated just before 5:00 pm on Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup> while outside standing at the north corner of the building smoking a cigarette he heard and saw numerous police cruisers from various agencies driving down Broadway towards the store. [REDACTED] stated he looked directly across the street into the front parking lot of 500 Broadway and observed three males that appeared to be in a panic. He stated they were pulling in the door handles of parked cars and it looked like they were trying to get under some cars. [REDACTED] could only describe one of the males as wearing a possible dark green shirt with a dark baseball cap. [REDACTED] stated this person jumped over the fence near Broadway and ran across the street towards the paint store holding the bottom part of his shirt. [REDACTED] stated this male then turned and ran towards the back of the Powers Oil Company (497 Broadway) building which is the next building over north of the paint store.

2. There were four oil trucks parked on the side of the oil company building which abuts a hill leading up to a small residential area. At the end of the building after the last parked oil truck is a green Dodge van MA commercial reg [REDACTED]. The male stopped behind that van and stood up on something looking through the glass out to Broadway. At this point [REDACTED] heard his boss, [REDACTED] yell "Gun!" and then heard gunshots. He ran back to the entrance of the

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Paint Store and looked again out to Broadway where he saw what he believed to be a plainclothes police officer walking with gun drawn and firing to the right. [REDACTED] stated he saw some type of badge on the front of this person and that is why he believed him to be a police officer. [REDACTED] then ran inside the store and told everyone to lock the doors and looked out the window.

3. When [REDACTED] looked out the window he stated he saw what he thought was a silver Hyundai sedan driving up Broadway to the right. [REDACTED] saw what he believed to be plainclothes police officer wearing white colored camouflage shorts firing at the silver car. [REDACTED] said he didn't see any others. He further stated he observed the silver vehicle driving slowly and then the driver slouched over as if shot and then the vehicle slowed to a stop.

Respectfully submitted,



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