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WOBINQURN DISTRICT COURT
NO. 18 INQ 001

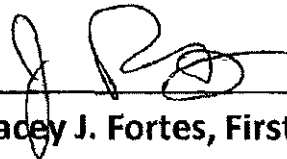
IN RE: INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF ALAN GREENOUGH

ADDITIONAL FINDINGS PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 38, §10

The Court does not credit Officer Drauschke's testimony that he was facing a deadly threat and had no choice other than to shot Alan Greenough. If Officer Drauschke believed Mr. Greenough was armed with a pole, he could have waited for backup from officers who were already on scene prior to approaching him.

The Court also finds that Officer Drauschke could have used a lower level of force. The evidence indicating he was equipped with a duty baton, pepper spray and mace.

The court does not find that Officer Drauschke acted with malice, but based on evidence presented took an unnecessary risk. His actions were wanton and reckless and amounted to criminal negligence.



Stacey J. Fortes, First Justice

2/7/20