

INNOCENT MAN

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SPRINGFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Month Day Year

GENERAL REPORT FORM

WRONGFULLY CONVICTED

Type of Report, Specify:

Special to Commissioner W. Fitchet

(E. ARREST, OPEN DOOR, B & E, ETC.)

DETAILS OF REPORT

Sir,

On 04/30/2011 at about 1204 hours, while working as the extra job supervisor, I responded to the area of Cambridge and Burr Streets (the rear of 46/48 Burr Street) to assist Lt. Ayala and Officer Raul Gonzalez with detaining possible suspects in a shooting which took place at 946 State Street. Upon arrival I observed Officer Gonzalez at the rear of a gray motor vehicle. This vehicle's trunk was partially open and I could hear Officer Gonzalez shouting several verbal commands for the subject in the trunk to show his hands. I then observed the trunk open, at which time I heard several shots coming from the trunk of the vehicle. It was at this time Officer Gonzalez began firing his service weapon into the trunk of the vehicle. Officer Gonzalez continued this action until as he was backing up from the vehicle. The suspect, who was later identified as Tamik Kirkland (dob 06/08/1986) was struck several times and as a result stopped his assault. Suspect Kirkland was then secured.

I was then notified by Officer Gonzalez that he had been shot, at which time I checked on him and it was determined that he was hit in his vest. After providing medical treatment to Officer Gonzalez, I then assisted Lt. Ayala with medical treatment for suspect Kirkland. I then remained on scene and assisted with crime scene control.

After the scene was secured, I took custody of Officer Gonzalez' service weapon. I was relieved of my crime scene responsibilities by Lt. E. Geler. I was then sent to Baystate Medical Center to assist with crowd control. Once on scene I met with Deputy Chief Barberi and given instructions as to securing the emergency room and parking lot.

Service Weapon and Magazine Tagged 327219 and 327008

Post No.
Car No.
Sector No.

Reported for Duty 1130
Reported off Duty 1530

Sgt. David Martin

Sergeant David Martin  
Reporting Officer  
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Employee #