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PREDICATION:

Sir, At your request the subject; Anthony Barksdale, was evaluated by the use of the Polygraph Instrument. This examination was conducted on November 24, 1997. This examination was directed at evaluating the subjects truthfulness in regards to the Homicide of Ashtabula Police Parolman William D. Glover Jr. Prior to the first polygram the subject said that he had now told the truth and the second statement that he gave the Detectives was true.

The subject was given a Polygraph waiver, which I read to him and he signed and indicated that he understood. The Subject was then read his Miranda warning which he read and signed indicated that he understood.

Prior to the first Polygram the subject related the following story. He said that On November 17, 1997, he was with his girlfriend. He said that the two of them were on Station Avenue, this was about 4:00 P.M. He said that he was talking to Rhamaud "Maudi" Hull, Toby Whitted and an Evans. He said that he then walked down the street and saw Odraye Jones and Jimmy Ruth. He said they were talking and decided to go over the tracks to the "West Side" He said that the three of them went over to W. 37th St. and then to the "Paths" that go around there. He said that the ended up on W. 43rd St. when they Glover driving by in the cruiser. He said that they then went to Flo Chapmans house and knocked on the door, but no one was home. He said they were all on the porch. He said that Ptlm. Glover turned around and came back towards the house in his car. Barksdale said that no one said anything and at that point Barksdale said he knew there was an Arrest Warrant for Odraye Jones. Barksdale said that he told Jones "You don't need to be here". He said that Glover pointed at Odraye Jones and told him to come here. Barksdale said that Odray said "What" and he said that Ptlm. Glover said come here. At this time Barksdale said that Jones eased to the side of the steps and jumped off the side. Barksdale said that Jones took off running through the driveway at Chamans on the east side of the house. He said that Glover was right behind him. Barksdale said that he saw the back of Jones coat and the back of Glovers coat. Barksdale said that he was standing on the steps when he heard the shots. He said that he did hear about four or five shots. Braksdale said there were about five or six people on the street at this time and he does not know who they are. He said that the people told him that they had seen Odraye with a green coat and someone else run away. He said that Odraye had the green coat when I asked him who the someone else was he said that he did not know. Barksdale said that at this time he walked over to the field to se what was going on. He said that he told Jimmy Ruth that he was going to go see what was going on. He said that he was just being nosy. He said that he ran on a path but on Coleman Ave to W. 39th St and he saw his girlfriend Tiffany in a car and he got in her car at W. 39th St. and Coleman. He said that he told Tiffany to take him to Teresa Lyons house so he could tell her about Odraye Jones, who is related to Odraye. He said they then went down W. 41st St., then to W. 38th St. and he said that he saw the Officer arresting Odraye Jones. He said that he went to Teresa Lyons house. They told me that I ran right past Glover but I did not see him. He said that he went to his girlfriend's house. He said that then he was with Joe Joe and they were going to Mir's house when Rich Harris from Country towing saw him he told him that a cop had been shot three times and the cops were looking for a Barksdale and a Ruth. Barksdale said that he told Rich that he was Barksdale and he said that Rich said, "I didn't know that was your name. Barksdale said that he then told Rich to take him to the Police Station and Rich said that he

would take him to Coleman Ave where all the cops were, so he did. He said that Sgt. Webber from the S.O. took him to the Police Station.

Prior to the first polygram the subject made no other statements.

The subject was asked the following Relevant Questions which he answered as Indicated.

- (3) Did you actually see Ptlm. Glover get shot? (no)
- (5) Did you fire any shots at Ptlm. Glover? (no)
- (8) Did you see Odraye Jones shoot Ptlm. Glover? (no)
- (9) Did you see Ptlm. Glover lying on the ground, in that field behind the garage? (no)
- (11) Are you telling any deliberate lies about about your involvement in this case? (no)

RESULTS:

After careful analysis of the subjects polygrams it is the examiners opinion that the subject did not tell the truth to the relevant questions set forth above. This impression is based on the physiological responses to the questions indicative of non - truth-telling responses.

When confronted with this finding the subject stated that now he was in a lot of trouble. I told him that I did not believe that he had been truthful with me. He related that he had been truthful and that he was scared. He also said that maybe he just reacted to the questions that way because he knew that Odray Jones had to be the one to shoot Ptlm. Glover because no one else was there. He went on to say that , he ran in the side yard of the house to see what the shots were about, but could not see anything and he left and never saw Odraye Jones back there or saw Ptlm. Glover.

He started crying and said that he was under a lot of stress and pressure and I did not understand. He said that Odraye Jones could have him killed. He told me that the first statement was true and that he was going to have to go with that. I would ask him if it was true and he would say yes. When I asked him if the second statement was false then he would say no. I told him I just wanted the truth and he said that he was going to have to go with the First one in which he said that he saw Odray shoot Ptlm. Glover. I picked up his first statement where Barksdale had said that Odraye had pulled a gun out of his jacket pocket. I asked him about this and he said that he did not see that. He keep going back and forth saying that the first statement was true, then he would say that the second statement was true. I told him that I wanted to take a third statement from him with the truth in it. He said that he wanted to go with the first one. I said that why didn't we just start all over and I would take a statement with the truth and he asked me if I would tear up the first two statements he would do that. I told him no way would I do that as that would be against the Law. He told me that I did not understand him and that he was in the middle. I would ask him if he saw Odray shoot Ptlm. Glover and he would say yes. Then he would turn right around and say that he did not see that. I asked him if he was in the side yard and saw Odraye shoot Ptlm. Glover and he said you cant see where they were at from where he was at. I would ask him how did he know where they were at if he did not see them. He had no answer. He drew me a map /diagram of what took place, this was in the pre-test. He said that ran by where Glover was shot at and lying. I asked him how far he ran away from Ptlm. Glover when Ptlm. Glover was lying in the snow. He said 5 to 7 feet. then he corrected it and said 5 feet. I asked him what side did he run past him at. Barksdale said that Ptlm. Glover was on his right or (east of him). I asked him if he did not see Ptlm. Glover how did he know he ran to the left of him and 5 feet away. He said that the detectives told him where Glover was and he knows where he ran, which would be 5 feet

Apart. I asked him if any footprints near Glover would come back to him and he said yes, when he ran through there. He indicated that he was in the side yard and went in another yard and a lady in a house yelled out the door to him to get out of her yard. He said that he ran back to the fence and could not get over the fence so he went east to an opening in the fence and ran across the field. Officer Glover was shot in to W. 41st & Coleman. When I asked him if when he was in this side yard he saw Odray or Pilm. Glover, he said that you can't see them from where he was at in the side yard, where Glover and Jones were. He said that he never saw him from there. I asked him how did he know where they were at if he could not see them. He said that he was in the middle and he had too much stress and I don't understand. He said that he was very upset. He was crying. He said that he did not want to talk to me anymore right now and he wanted to leave and go upstairs. I told him Ok and ended the interview.

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