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Force Investigative Unit Concludes Investigation into Officer-Involved Shooting of Isaac Holmes

Investigative Findings turned over to the St. Louis Circuit Attorney's Office

St. Louis, Mo. – The Metropolitan Police Department, City of St. Louis' Force Investigative Unit (FIU) has concluded its investigation into the January 21, 2015 shooting in the 4600 block of Cottage where Isaac Holmes was fatally wounded by two St. Louis police officers. The FIU has now turned over its investigative findings to the Circuit Attorney's Office for review.

“The FIU has a responsibility to the public to conduct thorough and comprehensive investigations into all officer-involved shootings. The investigative findings relative to the shooting that occurred on January 21 are now in the hands of the Circuit Attorney's Office,” Chief Sam Dotson said. “Once that office has reviewed the findings and a decision rendered, all the findings permissible under the Sunshine Law will be released.”

The FIU was established in September 2014 as the entity responsible for the criminal investigation of all officer-involved shootings. The FIU investigates all officer-involved shootings occurring within the City of St. Louis involving commissioned officers of the Metropolitan Police Department, as well as commissioned officers of any other jurisdiction.

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