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Office of the Medical Examiner
In the County of Dallas
State of Texas

AFFIDAVIT

This affidavit is in compliance with Texas Rules of Criminal Evidence, Rule 902(10b).

Case No. IFS-14-02096 in the matter of
Crews, Jonathan Michael, deceased.

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Janice Braggs, who being duly sworn, deposed as follows:

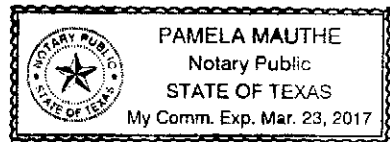
My name is Janice Braggs. I am over 21 years of age, of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and personally acquainted with the facts herein stated:

I am the Deputy Custodian of Records of the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office. Attached hereto are 4 pages of records and XX photographs from the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office. These said 4 pages of records and XX photographs are kept by the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office in the regular course of business, and it was the regular course of business of the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office for an employee or representative, or a doctor permitted to practice in the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office, with personal knowledge of the act, event, condition, opinion or diagnosis, recorded to make the record or to transmit information thereof to be included in such record; and the record was made at or near the time or reasonably soon thereafter. The records attached hereto are the original or exact duplicates of the original.

Janice Braggs

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on October 09, 2014

Pamela Mauthe



Notary Public in and for Dallas County, Texas
My commission expires

(By statute, the original records are retained by the Dallas County Medical Examiner's Office. See Art. 49.25, Sec. 11, Vernons Texas Statutes, CCP.)



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Office of the Medical Examiner
Autopsy Report

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Case: IFS-14-02096 - ME

Decedent: Crews, Jonathan Michael 27 years White Male DOB: 06/10/1986

Date of Death: 02/02/2014 (Actual)

Time of Death: 11:45 PM (Estimated)

Examination Performed: 02/03/2014 01:15 PM

ORGAN WEIGHTS:

Brain: 1,460 g	Right Lung 400 g	Right Kidney: 190 g
Heart: 400 g	Left Lung: 530 g	Left Kidney: 200 g
Liver: 1,800 g	Spleen: 180 g	

EXTERNAL EXAMINATION

When first viewed, the decedent's hands are bagged. The decedent is clad in sweatpants and a long-sleeve pullover shirt. Encircling the neck is a cord necklace with a white metallic anchor medallion.

The decedent is a well-developed, well-nourished, white man whose appearance is compatible with the recorded age of 27 years. His body, when nude, weighs 196 pounds and is 71 inches long. The body is cool, rigor is fully-developed, and posterior lividity is partially-fixed.

The scalp hair is 2 inches long, brown, and straight. The irides are hazel and there are no petechiae of the bulbar or palpebral surfaces of the conjunctivae. The ears, nose, and lips are unremarkable. There is beard stubble on the upper lip, chin, and cheeks. The teeth are natural and in good condition. The neck is unremarkable. The chest and breasts are symmetrical. The abdomen is flat and unremarkable. The penis is circumcised and the testicles are descended into the scrotum. The extremities are well-developed and symmetrical. The back contains injury to be described presently.

IDENTIFYING MARKS AND SCARS

A tattoo of a Keltic cross is located over the upper mid back.

EVIDENCE OF INJURY

There is a single gunshot wound of the trunk.

A. ENTRANCE WOUND:

A 1/4 x 3/8 inch gunshot wound of entrance is located in the left mid chest the center of which is located 2 inches left



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of midline, 19 inches below the top of the head. Soot is located surrounding the entrance wound measuring 3/8 inch from the margin from the 12 to 3 o'clock position with the remainder of the margin containing a 1/4 inch area of soot. At the 2 o'clock position a 1/8 inch abrasion is located 1 inch from the margin. The wound is also located 2-3/4 inches medial to and 2 inches below the left nipple.

After perforating the skin and subcutaneous tissue, the bullet sequentially perforates underlying musculature, perforates the left fifth intercostal space and left sixth rib adjacent to the sternum, enters the pericardium perforating the right ventricle of the heart, exits the pericardium perforating the lower lobe of the right lung, the right hemidiaphragm grazing the superior aspect of the right lobe of the liver, perforates and exits the right chest through the ninth intercostal space and exits the right back through a 3/8 inch circular defect located 4 inches to the right of midline 20 inches below the top of the head containing a slightly shored abrasion measuring 1/16 inch from the 4 to 8 o'clock position and 1/8 inch from the 1 to 4 o'clock position. Associated with this gunshot wound there are 2000 cc of liquid and clotted blood in the right chest cavity, 50 cc of liquid blood in the left chest cavity, and 250 cc of liquid and clotted blood in the pericardial sac. Additionally, there is a marked amount of hemorrhage in the pericardial soft tissues and mediastinal tissues.

The bullet went from front to back and left to right without significant variation in its vertical axis.

These injuries, having been once described, will not be repeated.

INTERNAL EXAMINATION

BODY CAVITIES: See previous description. The thoracic and abdominal organs are in their normal anatomic positions.

HEAD: The scalp, subscalpular area, and skull are unremarkable. The dura and dural sinuses are unremarkable. There are no epidural, subdural or subarachnoid hemorrhages. The leptomeninges are thin and delicate. The cerebral hemispheres are symmetrical, with an unremarkable gyral pattern. The cranial nerves and blood vessels are unremarkable. Sections through the cerebral hemispheres, brainstem, and cerebellum are unremarkable. There are no hemorrhages in the deep white matter or the basal ganglia. The cerebral ventricles contain no blood. The spinal cord, as viewed from the cranial cavity, is unremarkable.

NECK: The soft tissues and prevertebral fascia are unremarkable. The hyoid bone and laryngeal cartilages are intact. The lumen of the larynx is not obstructed.

CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM: See previous description. The intimal surface of the abdominal aorta is free of significant atherosclerosis. The aorta and its major branches and the great veins are normally distributed and unremarkable. The pulmonary arteries contain no thromboemboli. The endocardium is smooth, glistening, and unremarkable. There are no thrombi in the atria or ventricles. The foramen ovale is closed. The coronary arterial system is free of significant atherosclerosis. The atrial and ventricular septa are intact. The cardiac valves are unremarkable. The myocardium is dark red-brown and firm.

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM: See previous description. The upper airway is unobstructed. The laryngeal mucosa is smooth and unremarkable, without petechiae. The pleural surfaces are smooth and glistening. The major bronchi are unremarkable. Sectioning of the lungs discloses a red-pink, moderately congested parenchyma.



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HEPATOBIILIARY SYSTEM: See previous description. The liver is covered by a glistening capsule. The parenchyma is pale red-brown and minimally congested. The gallbladder contains approximately 5 cc of light green bile, with focal cholesterolosis.

GASTROINTESTINAL SYSTEM: The esophageal mucosa is gray, smooth, and unremarkable. The stomach contains 330 cc of partially-digested food. There are no tablets or capsules. The gastric mucosa has normal rugal folds, and there are no ulcers. The small and large intestines are externally unremarkable. The appendix is present. The pancreas is unremarkable externally and upon sectioning.

GENITOURINARY SYSTEM: The capsules of both kidneys strip with ease to reveal smooth and slightly lobulated surfaces. The cortices are of normal thickness, with well-demarcated corticomedullary junctions. The calyces, pelves, and ureters are unremarkable. The urinary bladder contains 15 cc of yellow clear urine. The mucosa is gray, smooth, and unremarkable. The prostate gland is unremarkable externally and upon sectioning.

ENDOCRINE SYSTEM: The thyroid and adrenal glands are unremarkable externally and upon sectioning.

LYMPHORETICULAR SYSTEM: The spleen is covered by a smooth, blue-gray, intact capsule. The parenchyma is dark red. The cervical, hilar, and peritoneal lymph nodes are unremarkable.

MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM: See previous description. The clavicles, sternum, pelvis, and vertebral column have no fractures.

TOXICOLOGY:

Evidence Submitted:

The following items were received by the Laboratory from the Office of the Medical Examiner:

- 006: Biohazard Bag
- 006-001: Blood, femoral - gray top tube
- 006-002: Blood, femoral - gray top tube
- 006-003: Blood, femoral - gray top tube
- 006-004: Blood, femoral - gray top tube
- 006-005: Blood, femoral - red top tube
- 006-006: Urine - red top tube
- 006-007: Vitreous - red top tube
- 006-008: Skeletal muscle - plastic tube

Blood, postmortem

Acid/Neutral Screen (GC/MS)
negative (Item# 006-003)

Alcohols/Acetone (GC)
negative (Item# 006-002)

Alkaline Screen (GC/MS)
negative (Item# 006-004)

Vitreous

Alcohols/Acetone (GC)
negative (Item# 006-007)

