

Marysville Police Department

Use of force Report

Incident Details

Date Received 07/23/2022

Entered By Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis - 0133

Date/Time of Occurrence 07/23/2022 16:25

Date/Time Entered 08/05/2022 08:07

Record ID Number 2211

Case No —

IA No 22UOF-030

Marysville PD [Pending assignment]

BlueTeam Assigned

Investigator

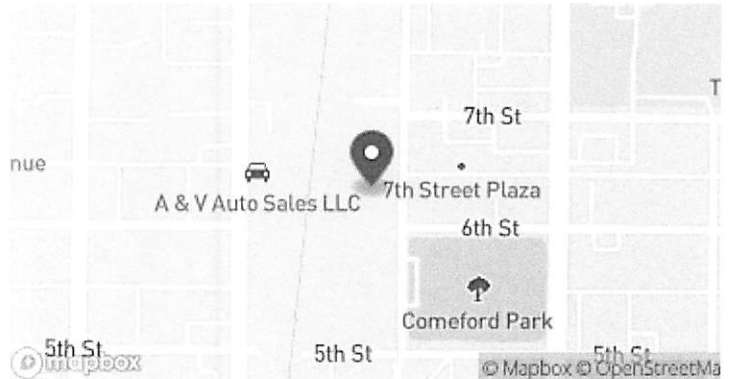
IAPro Assigned Un-assigned

Investigator

Incident Location

Location of Occurrence Marysville Jail

601 Delta Avenue
Marysville, WA, 98270
-122.17905, 48.05394



Incident Summary

Show of force (taser)/Use of force restraint chair

Use of Force Details

More Than 1 Citizen Involved	No	Reason For Using Force	Passive Resistance
Citizen Arrested	No	Distance to Citizen	Contact
Officer(s) Injured	No	Citizen Injured	No
Officer(s) Taken to Hospital	No	Citizen Taken to Hospital	No
Service Being Rendered	—	Citizen Build	Medium
Weather Condition	—	Citizen Height	5'7" to 5'9"
Light Condition	—	Citizen Influence Assessment	Mentally unstable

Reporting/Involved Citizen

Sara Rae Buckles

Date of Birth	07/17/1994	Gender	Female
Race	White	Ethnicity	Non-Hispanic
Role	—		
Address	17329 Smokey Point Drive Arlington, WA, 98223	Phone Numbers	[None Entered]

Type of Resistance Passive Resistant
Citizen Used Against
Officer

Injuries Sustained By Citizen

—

Involved Officers

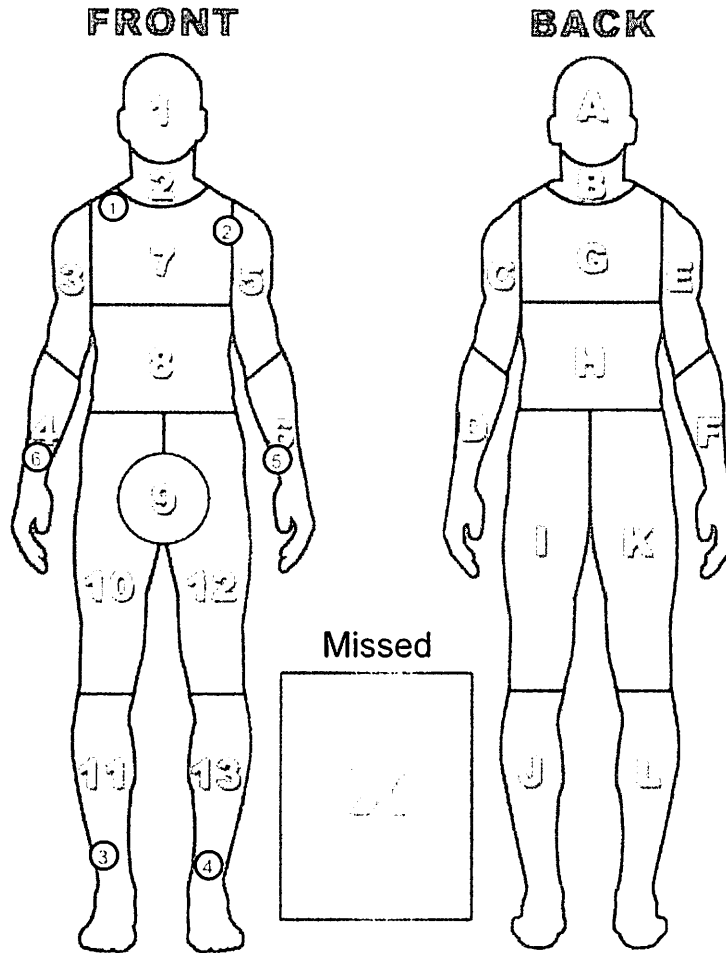
Custody Officer Marlyn Anderson - 0165

Assignment Custody Officer Administrative Services/Custody
at time of
incident

Role —

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

- o Restraint Chair - Force Effective: Yes — Points: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible —
Points:

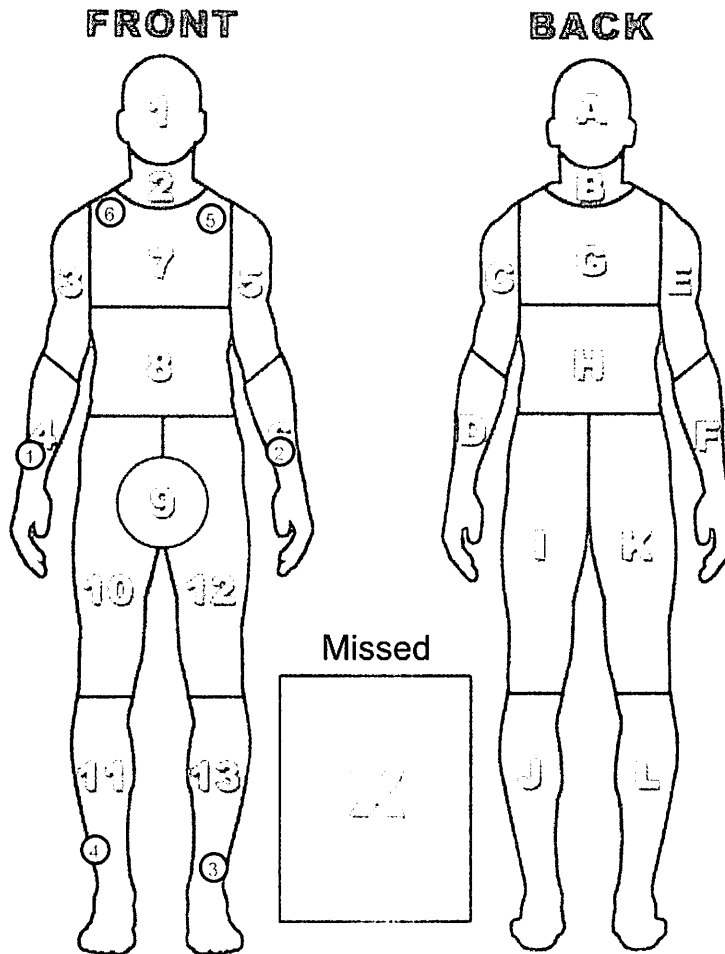
Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis - 0133

Assignment at time of incident Custody Corporal Administrative Services/Custody/Supervisor

Role —

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

- o Restraint Chair - Force Effective: Yes — Points: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible —
Points:

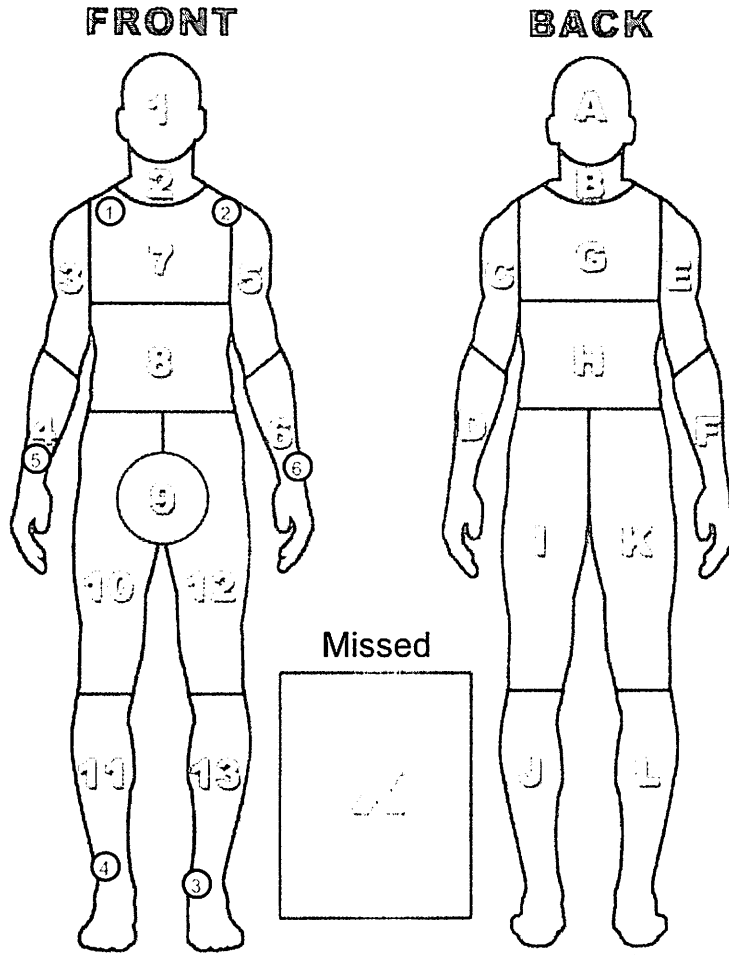
Custody Corporal Megan Maner - mmaner

Assignment at time of incident Custody Officer Administrative Services/Custody

Role —

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

- Restraint Chair - Force Effective: Yes — Points: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible —
Points:

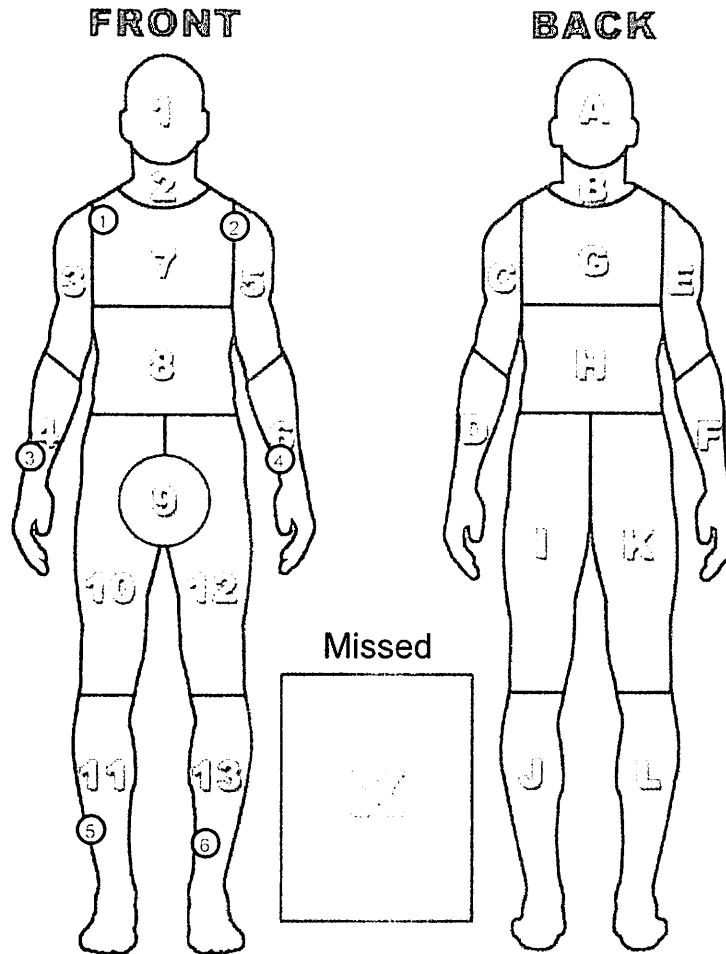
Custody Officer Rebekah Gibbs - 0190

Assignment at time of incident Custody Officer Administrative Services/Custody

Role —

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

- o Restraint Chair - Force Effective: Yes — Points: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible —
Points:

Citizen Witnesses

RAE BOYD

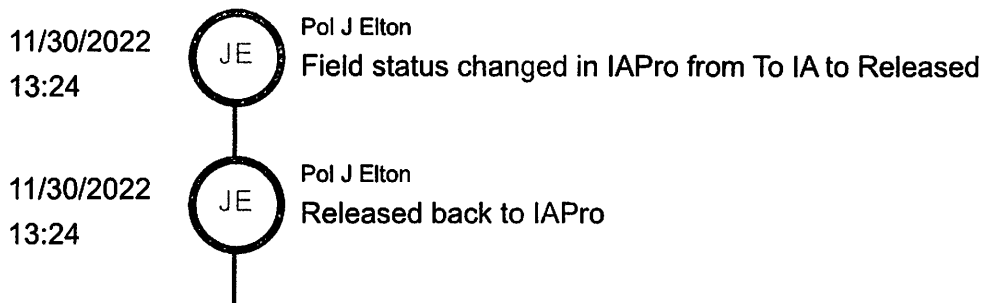
Date of Birth	Unknown	Gender	Female
Race	Asian	Ethnicity	Non-Hispanic
Role	—		
Address	[None Entered]	Phone Numbers	[None Entered]

Attachments

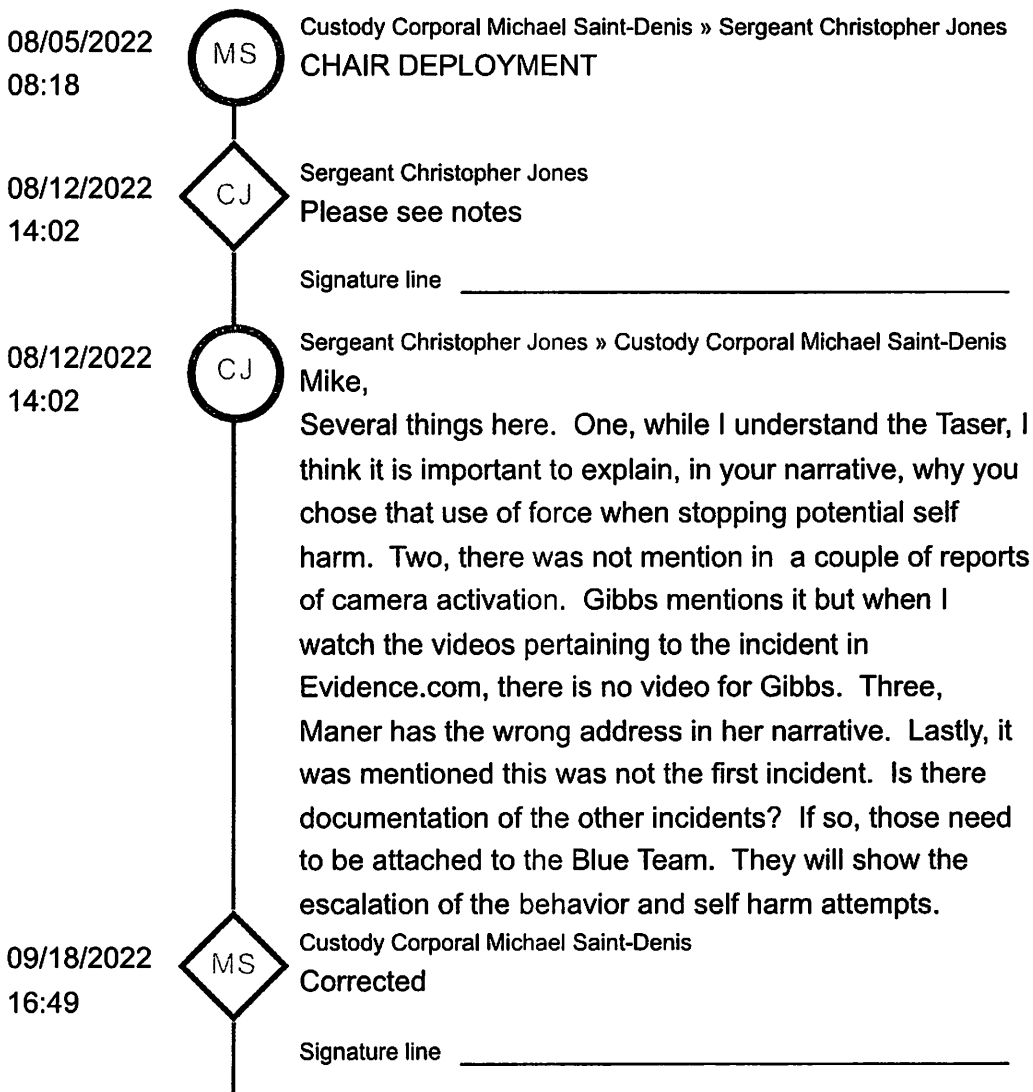
Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Type
11/21/2022	Maner Narrative	pdf

Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Type
11/21/2022	Anderson Narrative	pdf
09/18/2022	Buckles Restraint chair 072322	doc
11/21/2022	Gibbs Narrative	pdf
10/24/2022	Buckles initial incident 072322	doc

Assignment History



Chain of Command History



09/18/2022
16:49

MS

Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis » Sergeant Christopher Jones
Gibbs uploaded video under a different #. I have emailed
her to correct to reflect the number everyone else
entered. Otherwise should be good to go as far as
everything else was concerned.

09/23/2022
11:58

CJ

Sergeant Christopher Jones
Please see attached for corrections....

Signature line _____

09/23/2022
11:58

CJ

Sergeant Christopher Jones » Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis
Mike,
Couple of corrections still needed here.
Anderson- Writes "body warn" instead of "body worn";
Was his camera on?
Saint- Denis- Wrong address for the jail in "Initial" report
Gibbs- Why was camera not on?
Maner- Writes "body warn" instead of "body worn" when
talking about BWC

11/21/2022
11:01

MS

Thank you.
Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis
edits complete

Signature line _____

11/21/2022
11:01

MS

Custody Corporal Michael Saint-Denis » Sergeant Christopher Jones
edits complete

11/25/2022
11:08

CJ

Sergeant Christopher Jones
After several revisions by staff, the report is complete.
Actions were within policy and with intent to prevent
injury to the inmate involved.

Signature line _____

11/25/2022
11:08

CJ

Sergeant Christopher Jones » Police Commander Mark Thomas
For your review.

11/28/2022
13:01

MT

Police Commander Mark Thomas
Ready for PSU Review

Signature line _____

11/28/2022
13:01



Police Commander Mark Thomas » Police Commander Jonathan Elton
Ready for PSU Review

11/30/2022
13:15



Police Commander Jonathan Elton
[Ready for IAPro by Police Commander Jonathan Elton]

Signature line _____

Assigned Investigator Signature Line

[Pending assignment]

**Marysville Police Department
Custody Officer M. Anderson / MP0165**

CASE#: MP2022-00000836

SUSPECT/INVOLVED:Buckles,Sara DOB 07/17/94

Subject Number: 586132

INCIDENT/CRIME: Self Harm

DATE OF OFFENSE/REPORT: 07/23/22

AUTHORITY:

I, Marlyn Anderson, am a Custody Officer with a limited commission by the City of Marysville, WA.

ASSIGNMENT:

- I am currently assigned to the Detention Division of the Marysville Police Dept.
- During this incident, I was wearing an approved Custody Officer uniform, including department patches, badge and Custody insignia.
- On the above date, I was working within the Marysville Jail located at 601 Delta ave within the city limits of Marysville, Snohomish County, Washington.
- Self-Worn Body Camera

ELEMENTS OF CRIME/INCIDENT:

On 07/23/22, at approximately 1625 hours, Buckles, Sara D.O.B 07/17/94 was seen by the nurse for placing her right finger tips in the door jamb of the safety/holding cell at the Marysville Jail. After being seen by the nurse and the door was closed Buckles asked to use the phone and was told not at this time. Seconds later she stated that she was going to hurt herself, which led Officer Gibbs to look through the window of the door. As Officer Gibbs looked through the window she observed Buckles taking a spork and scratching her face with it creating self-harm. Officer Gibbs opened the door and Corporal Saint-Denis displayed his Taser and directed her to drop the spork and lay face down on the floor with her hands out. Buckles did not comply with the first directive which led Corporal Saint-Denis giving the directive again. Buckles complied and laid face down on the floor with her hands out. Corporal Saint-Denis directed me get the restraint chair. Officer's Gibbs and Maner placed Buckles in hand-cuffs then assisted her to the restraints chair. Corporal Saint-Denis and Officer's Gibbs and Maner and I applied the restraints of the chair so Buckles was secured from self-harming herself. Buckles was then escorted to the other safety cell where she was placed on 15 minute checks for her safety.

END OF REPORT

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I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington the foregoing is true and correct (RCW 9A.72.085) and I am entering my authorized user ID and password to authenticate it.

***Custody Officer M. Anderson, MP0165
Marysville Police Department
Date: 07-23-22***

**Marysville Police Department
Custody Officer R. Gibbs / MP0190**

INMATE#: 2022-00000836

SUSPECT/INVOLVED: BUCKLES, SARA RAE

INCIDENT/CRIME: USE OF THE RESTRAINT CHAIR

DATE OF OFFENSE/REPORT: 07/23/2022

AUTHORITY:

I, Rebekah Gibbs, am a Custody Officer with a limited commission by the City of Marysville, WA.

ASSIGNMENT:

- I am currently assigned to the Detention Division of the Marysville Police Dept.
- During this incident, I was wearing an approved Custody Officer uniform, including department patches, badge and Custody insignia.
- On the above date, I was working within the Marysville Jail located at 601 Delta Ave within the city limits of Marysville, Snohomish County, Washington.

ELEMENTS OF CRIME/INCIDENT:

On the listed date at approximately 16:20 BUCKLES, SARA was housed in intake padded cell one. She was brought a dinner meal by Officer Maner and requested some water. I brought Sara two full cups of water and Officer Anderson opened and held the door of the cell for me while I gave the cups to Sara. Once Officer Anderson shut the door and we heard Sara yelling about her fingers, saying they were stuck in the door. We opened the door back up and Sara showed us her fingers, which had small indentations and looked red. Corporal Saint Denis came to the open door and shined his flashlight to get a better view of her hand and asked her why she put her hand in the door jamb. She said she didn't know but that she wanted to go back to A pod and thought she was told no. She was advised by Officer Maner that this was self-harm behavior and she could be put into the restraint chair or The Wrap if she continued to hurt herself. Sara said that might be a good idea and maybe could harm herself, but eventually said that she would not do anything else and that her hand was fine. The nurse Rae Boyd was brought up to inspect Sara's hand. Rae determined that it seemed ok for now, and that we should just monitor her hand for swelling. Rae said she would return tomorrow to reassess Sara's hand. Sara was asked to move away from the door, which she complied, and the door was shut. Once the door was shut Sara screamed out that she was going to scrape her face. I pulled back the window covers to look in and saw Sara scraping her face with her plastic dinner Spork. I yelled at Sara to stop it immediately and she did not comply. Corporal Saint Denis pulled out his Taser and I unlocked the cell door. At this time my body worn camera was activated automatically by Corporal Saint Denis turning on his Taser. Prior to this, routine jail operations were being conducted (meals, medical visits) that did not require activation of my body worn camera. Corporal Saint Denis instructed Sara with the Taser pointed on her to drop

the Spork and lie on her stomach to which she complied. Officer Maner went in and handcuffed Sara behind the back and Corporal Saint Denis decided to put Sara into the restraint chair for her own safety. Officer Anderson brought out the restraint chair and myself and Officer Maner helped Sara into the chair and secured her feet and waist with the restraints. Officer Anderson and Corporal Saint Denis secured Sara's shoulders. Sara was moved into intake padded cell 2 which was empty and clean and placed on 15 minute suicide watch/restraint chair checks. At this time my body worn camera was turned off.

STATEMENTS:

OFFICER ACTIONS:

DISPOSITION:

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***Custody Officer R. Gibbs, MP0190
Marysville Police Department
Date: 07/23/2022***

**Marysville Police Department
Custody Officer M. Maner, MP0202**

CASE#: 2022-00000836

SUSPECT/INVOLVED: BUCKLES, SARA

INCIDENT/CRIME: TASER BRANDISHING AND RESTRAINT CHAIR

DATE OF OFFENSE/REPORT: 07/23/2022

AUTHORITY:

I, Megan Maner, am a Custody Officer with a limited commission by the City of Marysville, WA.

ASSIGNMENT:

- I am currently assigned to the Detention Division of the Marysville Police Dept.
- During this incident, I was wearing an approved Custody Officer uniform, including department patches, badge and Custody insignia.
- On the above date, I was working within the Marysville Jail located at 601 Delta Ave within the city limits of Marysville, Snohomish County, Washington.

ELEMENTS OF CRIME/INCIDENT:

On July 23rd, 2022 at approximately 1622 hours, Officer Gibbs witnessed Inmate Buckles, Sara (booking Number 2022-00000836) cutting her face with a spork. The cell door was opened and Corporal Saint-Denis pointed his department issued Taser at Inmate Buckles. Corporal Saint-Denis gave Inmate Buckles directions to put her food and Spork down and then to lay on the floor face down. I entered the cell and directed Inmate Buckles to put her hands behind her back. Inmate Buckles complied with directives and I handcuffed her. I directed Inmate Buckles to roll onto her side and get her feet up underneath her to stand. Officer Anderson brought the restraint chair to us and Inmate Buckles was compliant with sitting in the chair. I applied the left leg restraint and the waist restraint around Inmate Buckles in the restraint chair. Our medical provider Nurse Boyd was on site and witnessed the self-harming event, Nurse Boyd also looked at Inmate Buckles face and determined there was no need at this time for further medical care. Inmate Buckles was wheeled into another padded cell and the door was closed without further incident. Note that this is the 3rd self-hard attempt from Inmate Buckles during this shift today, she was earlier seen intentionally hitting her own head on the wall and had also intentionally put her finger in a closing door. The use of the restraint chair at the last self-harm attempt was used after less restrictive means had been attempted to keep Inmate Buckles safe. Incident captured on my department issued body worn camera and uploaded to Evidence.com.

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Custody Officer M. Maner, MP0202

Marysville Police Department

Date:

**Marysville Police Department
Custody Corporal M. Saint-Denis / MP0133**

CASE#: 2022-

INMATE #: 2022-0000836

CITATION#

SUSPECT INVOLVED: BUCKLES, SARA R 07/17/94

INCIDENT/CRIME: MEDICAL/BEHAVIORIAL

DATE OF OFFENSE/REPORT: 07/23/22

AUTHORITY:

I, Michael Saint-Denis, am a Custody Corporal with a limited commission by the City of Marysville, WA.

ASSIGNMENT:

- I am assigned to the Detention Division of the Marysville Police Dept.
- During this incident, I was wearing an approved Custody Officer uniform, including department patches, badge and Custody insignia.
- On the above date, I was working within the Marysville Jail located at 601 Delta Ave within the city limits of Marysville, Snohomish County, Washington.
- I have been a Custody officer for 13 years and have worked for Lynnwood City Jail as well as Marysville City Jail during that time.

ELEMENTS OF CRIME/INCIDENT:

On 07/23/22 at approximately 1325 hrs I was the Jail supervisor on duty, Officer Parrish who was the inmate housing unit officer came to me and said "just so you know a girl in A pod claims she fell and hit her head in her cell on the table". I asked her what cell and she stated A104, I pulled up the video of A104 and reviewed the recorded video footage and found that at approximately 1312hrs inmate Buckles sat on her bunk turned around towards the wall side of her bunk and began smacking her forehead against the wall, several times.)

I responded back to A104 with Officer Parrish and asked Buckles why she hit her head and she stated to me "I fell and hit the table" I again asked her why she hit her head she looked at me for a moment and again stated "fell and hit the table" I told her I was giving her one last chance to be honest with me or I would consider charging her with false and misleading statements why she hit her head on the wall and she just stared at me and said something to the effect of "I wanted to make the pain go away". Buckles has been in jail for 4 days as of this date and is going through drug withdrawals, she is also on medication which at the time I was initially dealing with her I did not know exactly what it was for. She said she wanted to see the nurse again and I told her smacking her head was not going to make the nurse show up any faster, she then stated "I just want to hurt myself". At this point I decided to move her to booking to an iso cell where I could put her on camera and keep her on watch. I directed her to come out of her cell and follow directions to go back up to booking which she complied with. Once in

booking I had her sit in iso cell 1 when she was sitting down I stated to her that this was not the way to go about seeing the nurse and that hurting herself wasn't going to make her issues go away, I followed up by asking how she planned on hurting herself and she stated "hit my head against the wall". Based off my training and experience I did not feel her comment resulted in a full suicide watch rather keep an eye on her with routine checks and monitored on security camera.

Shortly after I walked away from her cell I observed her smack her head against the rubber wall of the cell then she laid down and began to scream. After a few moments she then began to state she was having chest pains, after a second time of stating it I responded back to the cell and asked what her issue was now. She stated she has high blood pressure which I initially assumed she was not being truthful about I informed her I would contact Nurse Boyd and verify that. I contacted Nurse Boyd while reviewing her intake medical sheet and confirmed she does claim to have high blood pressure and is supposed to be on medication which Nurse Boyd verified she ordered for her and her dose was started early this morning. I consulted with Nurse Boyd who stated Buckles told her that she doesn't normally take her medications because of her drug use. I determined it would be safe to have Aid dispatched to the Jail to conduct an evaluation of Buckles. I summoned Aid via my radio through dispatch, a short time later they arrived and I informed them of my interactions with Buckles and handed them her intake medical sheet. Buckles was brought out to the booking floor and seated in a chair where they proceeded to take her blood pressure, they then advised her and me that it was normal as a precaution they also took a mobile CT scan of her heart as they stated and also determined there were no immediate irregularities that caused them concern or need to go to the hospital. I informed Aid that Nurse Boyd would follow up with Buckles this evening when she comes in, Buckles refused to sign the Aid crews document for no need to transport to which myself and Officer Anderson signed as witness' to her refusal.

Buckles was placed back into the iso cell pending visitation from Nurse Boyd later today.

Aid evaluation was captured by my Department issued bodycam and uploaded to evidence.com.

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Custody Corporal M. Saint-Denis, MP0133

Marysville Police Department Date: 07/23/22

**Marysville Police Department
Custody Corporal M. Saint-Denis / MP0133**

CASE#: 2022-

INMATE #: 2022-0000836

CITATION#

SUSPECT INVOLVED: BUCKLES, SARA R 07/17/94

INCIDENT/CRIME: MEDICAL/BEHAVIORIAL/TASER DISPLAY/RESTRAINT CHAIR

DATE OF OFFENSE/REPORT: 07/23/22

AUTHORITY:

I, Michael Saint-Denis, am a Custody Corporal with a limited commission by the City of Marysville, WA.

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ELEMENTS OF CRIME/INCIDENT:

On 07/23/22 at approximately 1615 hrs I was the Jail supervisor on duty, I overheard from my office Officer Anderson and Gibbs giving out dinner for the holding cell inmates, Buckles being one of them. Buckles had also recently seen Nurse Boyd for the previous medical incident I documented earlier today. After Buckles accepted her meal Officer Anderson proceeded to close the cell door, at some point Buckles stuck her fingers in the door jam of the cell door as the door was secured, she then screamed "ouch my fingers" Officer Anderson opened the door I was walking up to the cell when he did so and saw her fingers which appeared to have an indentation on the top she stated "I think they are broken". Myself and Officer Maner explained to her that she needed to stop playing games and doing things to intentionally hurt herself.

When asked why she was doing this she did not immediately respond and just stared at Officers when asked if she just wanted to die she stated yes when asked how she would do this she said "choke myself or something" when advised that she was going to be moved back to her cell after dinner she then said "I was told no" I responded by informing her that she was told "maybe, not No" she then said "ok ill stop, I'm fine see" as she squeezed her fingers into a fist and released it, she was directed to scoot back from the door which was then closed. Around 1620hrs I went to talk to Nurse Boyd who was still present in medical and she came up front to

check on Buckles fingers. Nurse Boyd advised that if her fingers begin to swell she would like to re-examine them.

While myself, Officers Anderson, Gibbs, Maner and Nurse Boyd were standing outside of the isolation cells talking about the door jams which we realized had a gap between them and discussing the likelihood of there being a serious injury to one's fingers was minimal from being closed on them I heard Buckles scream "I'm going to scratch my fucking face off". Officer Gibbs looked in the iso cell and saw Buckles using her dinner spork to scratch her face, Officer Gibbs opened the door and I immediately drew and pointed my Taser at Buckles and told her I was going to tase her and to drop the spork which initially she didn't I stated it again and she did drop it, she was still holding her dinner tray which I directed her to drop also which she did, I instructed her to turn around and get on her stomach which she complied with, Officer Maner entered and placed handcuffs on Buckles. I chose to display my Taser at buckles vs going immediate hands on with her because I was unsure of her capabilities even with the plastic spork in her hand. I did not want to risk any injury to myself or other officers and felt that by displaying my Taser at Buckles this would hopefully result in compliance which it did. Officer Anderson retrieved the restraint chair as directed by myself and Officer Maner and Gibbs stood Buckles up and seated her into the chair where ankle straps, waist strap and shoulder straps were applied and double checked for tightness. Nurse Boyd visually inspected Buckles at some point and stated she was ok and did not see any obvious signs of injury. Buckles was left in handcuffs for a short period and later moved to the arm straps at 1651hrs. Both the Spork incident and strap adjustment were captured by my bodycam.

This incident was captured by my Department Issued Body Cam and uploaded to Evidence.com.

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***Custody Corporal M. Saint-Denis, MP0133
Marysville Police Department Date: 07/23/22***