



Florida Department of Corrections
 Office of the Inspector General
 Report of Investigation
 Jeffery T. Beasley, Inspector General



Case Number: 12-4-3441

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Facility: Dade Correctional Institution

Classification of Incident: [REDACTED]

Field Office/Region: Ft. Lauderdale/ Region IV

Incident Date: 06/23/12

Time: 21:30

Inspector: Carrie Ryan

Date of Report: 08/23/12

Case Type: A

- Case of Special Interest
- Confidential Medical Information
- Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Number (if applicable)
- Department of Corrections presented to State Attorney Declined Accepted
- Use of Force (UOF) Number (if applicable)
- Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)
- Addendum
- Wing Video Camera(s) Present in the Area of Incident

SUMMARY OF ALLEGATIONS:

On June 23, 2012, Officer Clarke reported that while doing a security check he observed Inmate Darren Rainey [REDACTED] on the floor of a shower cell. Inmate Rainey [REDACTED] he was later pronounced deceased [REDACTED]. This information was reported via MINS on June 25, 2012 and assigned for investigation on June 24, 2012.

SUMMARY OF DISPOSITION/JUSTIFICATION FOR DOWNGRADE/EXONERATION:

As a result of this investigation, the exact cause of death has not been determined by the Medical Examiner. Upon receipt of the autopsy report, it will be included in the investigative file. Should administrative matters arise as a result of the medical examiner's report, they will be addressed under a new Inspector General case number.

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	Name	Title / DC #	D.O.B.	Employee ID # or Non-Employee Contact Information
Complainant:	Roland Clarke	Correctional Officer	[REDACTED]	63259
Victim:	Darren Rainey	Inmate/060954	01/12/1962	
Witness(es):	Conrelius Thompson	Correctional Officer	[REDACTED]	62584
	Jonathan Fan-Fan	Sergeant	[REDACTED]	52354
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	49285
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	39600
	F. Ramos	MDPD	Unknown	5839
	W. Sanchez	MDPD	Unknown	3135
Subject(s):	Darren Rainey	Inmate/060954	01/12/1962	

Arrest: Employee Inmate Other

Addendum Pending

Charges:

Felony Misdemeanor Date of Arrest:

Date Reported:

Final Court Action(s):

Other Agency Case Number: PD120623238979

FINDINGS:

Miami Dade Police Department Offense-Incident Report completed by Officer F. Ramos (5839) indicated that he responded to Dade Correctional Institution in reference to an Inmate [REDACTED]. Upon arrival, Lieutenant Lopez [REDACTED] pronounced Inmate Darren Rainey deceased at 22:07 hours.

Officer Ramos reports that Officer Clarke stated that Inmate Rainey [REDACTED] who was escorted to the shower at 20:00 hours. Officer Clarke advised that a security check was performed [REDACTED]. The first security check was performed by him at [REDACTED] and Inmate Rainey had not showered and had feces all over his body. Inmate Rainey asked Officer Clarke for soap. Officer Clarke got him soap between 20:35 and 20:40 hours. [REDACTED] Officer Thompson performed the second security check. Officer Thompson advised that Inmate Rainey still had not showered and still had feces on his body. [REDACTED] hours, Officer Clarke performed a security check and found Inmate Rainey [REDACTED] on



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the floor of the shower over the drain. Officer Clarke radioed for assistance. When assistance arrived, Inmate Rainey was pulled from the shower cell [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-1)

In his Incident Report dated June 23, 2012, Officer Roland Clarke indicated the following:

On June 23, 2012, while conducting a security check at approximately [REDACTED] he observed Inmate Darren Rainey [REDACTED] in the shower. He notified [REDACTED] and him, Officer Thompson and Sergeant Fan-Fan, along with [REDACTED] Inmate Rainey [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-2)

In his Incident Report dated June 23, 2012, Officer Cornelius Thompson indicated the following:

On June 23, 2012, he responded to [REDACTED] to assist with Inmate Darren Rainey [REDACTED]. He assisted by taking Inmate Rainey out of the shower [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-3)

In his Incident Report dated June 23, 2012, Sergeant Jonathan Fan-Fan indicated the following:

On June 23, 2012, he received a radio call from Officer Clarke who was conducting a security check. When he arrived in [REDACTED] where Officer Clarke was, he observed Inmate Rainey [REDACTED] in the shower cell. [REDACTED] was notified. Inmate Rainey [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-4)

In her Incident Report dated June 23, 2012, [REDACTED] indicated the following:

On June 23, 2012, Officer Thompson entered [REDACTED] and advised [REDACTED]. Upon arrival to the shower on the second floor of [REDACTED] she observed Inmate Darren Rainey lying on his back on the shower floor. Inmate Rainey [REDACTED] downstairs by Officers Clarke and Thompson [REDACTED] Sergeant Fan-Fan [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-5)

In her Incident Report dated June 23, 2012, [REDACTED] indicated the following:

On June 23, 2012, [REDACTED] were advised by Officer Thompson that they needed [REDACTED] who was in the second floor shower in [REDACTED]. Upon arrival, she observed Inmate Darren Rainey lying on his back, [REDACTED]. She retrieved [REDACTED] and Officers Clarke and Thompson [REDACTED] by Sergeant Fan-Fan who was [REDACTED].

(Exhibit A-6)



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Florida Department of Corrections [REDACTED] for Inmate Darren Rainey dated June 23, 2012, reflects that at approximately 9:30 pm, Officer Thompson advised [REDACTED] Inmate Rainey. Upon arriving at the cell, Inmate Rainey was found lying on his back on the shower floor. Inmate [REDACTED] Inmate was removed from the cell by officers [REDACTED] Inmate [REDACTED] Inmate Rainey continued [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(Exhibit A-7)

The fixed wing video for [REDACTED] were obtained. The recording for [REDACTED] showed Officer Clarke escorting Inmate Darren Rainey from his cell to the exit door between 19:34-19:35 hours. While watching the recording for [REDACTED] Officer Clarke and Inmate Rainey enter the wing at approximately 19:38 and proceed to go up the stairs to the second level where the shower is located. The shower was not visible from the camera's angle. However, at this time Windows Media Player malfunctioned causing damage to the disc and the remainder of the video could not be viewed. A new copy of the disc has been requested.

On August 16, 2012, Detective Wilbert Sanchez from Miami Dade Police Department Homicide Bureau contacted me reporting that the Medical Examiner's Office has not ruled on this case yet, but will contact me as soon as he is notified.

On August 21, 2012, I contacted Miami Dade County Medical Examiner's Office and was informed that the case is still open.

Once the Medical Examiner's Office rules on a cause of death, this information will be added to the investigative file and IGLOGS will be updated.



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 Inspector

08/23/12

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 Lead Inspector

 Date

Kathleen Howell

 Lead Supervisor

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 Deputy Inspector General / _____
 Chief of Investigations Chief of Special Operations

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 Inspector General

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EXHIBIT/ATTACHMENTS SECTION

A. EXHIBIT(s) - attached:

1. MDPD Offense Report dated 6/23/12
2. Incident Report from Officer Clarke
3. Incident Report from Officer Thompson
4. Incident Report from Sergeant Fan-Fan
5. Incident Report from [REDACTED]
6. Incident Report from [REDACTED]
7. [REDACTED] for Inmate Rainey

B. EXHIBIT(s) - not attached:

None