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**INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION**  
**Confidential Taped Statement**  
**Investigator BARRY RENNA / #15038**

**Interview Date:** March 17, 2010  
**IAD #:** 2010-B-0004  
**Complainant:** Portland Police Bureau

**Interviewed:** DIOSDADO AGUAS

**AGUAS:** Hello.

**RENNA:** Hi, I'm looking for Mr. AGUAS.

**AGUAS:** Yes, speaking.

**RENNA:** Hi, Mr. AGUAS. My name is BARRY RENNA, investigator for the Portland Police Bureau.

**AGUAS:** Yes, sir.

**RENNA:** And I was hoping if you had a minute or two to talk to you about the shooting that happened out at the apartment complex on Sandy Blvd.

**AGUAS:** Yes, sir. I was, I guess, I thought I talked to you before, did I?

**RENNA:** No, you talked to Detective BENIGA. And then you came down and talked to the grand jury.

**AGUAS:** Yes, sir.

**RENNA:** I work for the Internal Affairs Unit for the Police Bureau.

**AGUAS:** Yes, sir.

**RENNA:** Um, do you have a few minutes that I could talk to you about it?

**AGUAS:** Yes, sir, yes, sir.

**RENNA:** Okay, all right. You went over to the apartment complex in order to give Ms. FIVECOATS a ride?

**AGUAS:** Yes, yes.

**RENNA:** Okay, and when you first got there, was there anything going on in the parking lot?

**AGUAS:** Yeah, there was a few police officers. They were just kind of standing there and I noticed there was a gun, but like I said I was only trying to pick up NICOLE for like a minute just take her to Vancouver to her grandma's and see her dad.

**RENNA:** Uh-huh.

**AGUAS:** That was it and then the next thing I know I was stuck there forever.

**RENNA:** Yeah, right, you went inside the apartment and if I read the reports correctly when you really did try to leave, the officers there said that you couldn't because things had gotten to a point where they didn't want you in the parking lot?

**AGUAS:** Um, well they didn't want anybody around, yes sir, because they said there's a guy with a gun. That's all they said and I said okay. They told me it wasn't going to take long so I waited and...

**RENNA:** Okay.

**AGUAS:** ...it was longer than what I expected.

**RENNA:** Okay.

**AGUAS:** Not a problem.

**RENNA:** Um, so you went back to the apartment, were inside the apartment with NICOLE, correct?

**AGUAS:** Yes.

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50 **RENNA:** Okay. Um, which window were you looking out of when you looked out into the parking  
51 lot?  
52 **AGUAS:** We were on NICOLE's window.  
53 **RENNA:** On which window?  
54 **AGUAS:** On NICOLE's room window.  
55 **RENNA:** In her bedroom?  
56 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir.  
57 **RENNA:** Okay, and was NICOLE standing with you?  
58 **AGUAS:** Yes, she was kind of, well she was kind of getting ready also in and out and just, you know,  
59 or just waiting to get out basically.  
60 **RENNA:** Okay, when things finally did start to happen, did you hear the officers? Were they trying to  
61 contact the person inside the apartment?  
62 **AGUAS:** Well, you know, to be honest with you, I was kind of, I was just kind of in and out. I was  
63 watching TV and going out there just to see what's going on, but I did hear them, you know, when it  
64 lasted four or five hours and that's when I heard them, you know, saying to start backing up and so the guy  
65 was kind of backing up and like we can just hear and, you know, and keep going and the next thing I  
66 knew the guy tried to run and then that's when they shot him.  
67 **RENNA:** Okay, when you started to hear the officers say to start backing up, what were you doing  
68 when you first heard that?  
69 **AGUAS:** Well, we were just kind of standing there, I mean you know, waiting to see what happened.  
70 If, if, I go, this guy is going to surrender so we should be out of here. So, by then he tried to run and  
71 they shot him.  
72 **RENNA:** Okay, when you saw Mr. CAMPBELL backing up, at any point did you see him facing the  
73 officers or did the first time you see him was he backing up towards the officers?  
74 **AGUAS:** He was just backing up toward the officer, behind the officers sir, and he had his hands  
75 behind his, you know, behind his back, I mean his head, behind his head. He was wearing a cap and so  
76 he just had it behind his, above his head in the back and backing up.  
77 **RENNA:** Okay, were his fingertips touching could you tell?  
78 **AGUAS:** Oh, I couldn't tell, sir. It was a little bit dark, so I just noticed his hands was on the back of  
79 his...  
80 **RENNA:** Okay, did you hear what the officers were telling him to do?  
81 **AGUAS:** All I could hear was kind of just, you know, keep backing up. It didn't really make sense. I  
82 know they were talking, but the window was closed because the officer when I came out I saw some  
83 people, they had the window open and I heard the officer when I was outside, of course I could hear it  
84 then, and they just said, you know, close all your windows. So, when we were in NICOLE's room just  
85 kind of watching it, you know, we closed the window so you can't really, you know, hear exactly what  
86 they're saying.  
87 **RENNA:** Okay, all right. How fast was Mr. CAMPBELL backing up towards the officers?  
88 **AGUAS:** Oh, very slow. He was just kind of backing up, you know, a step at a time. He wasn't doing  
89 anything drastic.  
90 **RENNA:** Okay, did you see him looking around at all, Mr. CAMPBELL?  
91 **AGUAS:** No, sir, I couldn't tell. All I know is he was backing up.  
92 **RENNA:** Okay, did the officers have their flashlights or any spotlights or anything on Mr.  
93 CAMPBELL do you remember?

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94 **AGUAS:** I don't remember that. I just noticed I was looking at Mr. CAMPBELL and the officer.  
95 They were, you know, they had their guns pointed at him and that's all.  
96 **RENNA:** Okay. Did you get the impression that Mr. CAMPBELL was doing everything that the  
97 officers said?  
98 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir, I believe so because like I said he wasn't doing anything crazy at all. He was just  
99 backing up but before they shot him, that's when he was trying to, you know, like you kind of jerk, you  
100 know, when you're kind of horsing around you kind of jerk and then that's all he did but nothing too  
101 drastic. But then, of course, when I saw him I run I said oh crap, you know. It's like that's when they  
102 shot him.  
103 **RENNA:** Okay. Now, Mr. CAMPBELL got to a point in the parking lot. Did you ever see him stop  
104 or did he just keep walking backwards to the officers?  
105 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir, he just kept backing up to the officers very slow.  
106 **RENNA:** Okay, and how about when it came time to, when the officer first shot was Mr. CAMPBELL  
107 still backing up or was he stopped?  
108 **AGUAS:** Uh, he was almost into a running position.  
109 **RENNA:** Okay, but had he stopped moving backwards?  
110 **AGUAS:** Oh, I couldn't tell after that because like I said it was dark and, you know, we can only see  
111 so far from NICOLE's window.  
112 **RENNA:** Okay, so you couldn't tell if he was standing still or not?  
113 **AGUAS:** No, sir.  
114 **RENNA:** Okay, what did Mr. CAMPBELL, did he do anything just prior to the officer firing the  
115 weapon?  
116 **AGUAS:** Um, well when he was backing up and then they shot him and then we couldn't tell anymore  
117 because we just know that he was down, but I didn't know because I was kind of (indecipherable)  
118 direction, you know. I saw the gunfire and I saw Mr. CAMPBELL run and then I couldn't see any  
119 more after he dropped or where he dropped. I just know that, you know, he got shot and I knew he  
120 dropped after that.  
121 **RENNA:** Okay, that first shot that you heard, what was Mr. CAMPBELL doing right prior to that?  
122 **AGUAS:** Um, I know he was ready, I mean he ran.  
123 **RENNA:** You said that he was getting ready to run?  
124 **AGUAS:** Yeah, he kind of jerked and then they didn't do anything but then when he took off that's  
125 when they shot him.  
126 **RENNA:** Okay, so you saw Mr. CAMPBELL start running before the first shot?  
127 **AGUAS:** Uh, you know, I'm not exactly sure exactly, but I know when he tried to run, you know, it's  
128 kind of like, you know, they told him to stop and then he kept going.  
129 **RENNA:** Okay.  
130 **AGUAS:** They were saying something because there was a vocal saying.  
131 **RENNA:** Okay, there was some vocal saying?  
132 **AGUAS:** Well, you know, it's almost like they told him to stop or something like that.  
133 **RENNA:** Okay, and where were Mr. CAMPBELL's hands at that point?  
134 **AGUAS:** They were still on his head, behind his head.  
135 **RENNA:** Okay, did he start running, were his hands still on his head when he started running?  
136 **AGUAS:** That's what I thought, yes sir.  
137 **RENNA:** Okay, and then what happened to his hands? Did you see where they went?

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138 **AGUAS:** Oh, I don't know. After he ran, like I say we can only see so far and can't see anymore  
139 because I'm not sure he even dropped right there or how far away from there.  
140 **RENNNA:** Okay, how far did you see Mr. CAMPBELL run?  
141 **AGUAS:** Not very much. The minute they shot him and then like I said I couldn't tell if he dropped  
142 right there, but I couldn't see any more after that...  
143 **RENNNA:** Okay.  
144 **AGUAS:** ...after the shot.  
145 **RENNNA:** How many shots do you remember hearing?  
146 **AGUAS:** Oh, I heard like four or five of them at least.  
147 **RENNNA:** Okay, and on the first shot that you heard and then the last shot when you said you saw him  
148 drop, how far do you think he ran?  
149 **AGUAS:** Not very far I don't think after he got shot.  
150 **RENNNA:** Okay.  
151 **AGUAS:** Like I said I couldn't see any more and to be honest with you I really couldn't tell, sir, how  
152 he could run because, you know, I was just watching both directions and then I saw him kind of  
153 running. I can still remember him taking a step and then I looked at the officer, when I looked back at  
154 him he was already down somewhat.  
155 **RENNNA:** Okay. Before you heard the first shot, was Mr. CAMPBELL looking around, was he trying  
156 to look over his shoulder, was, you indicated to the detectives that it appeared that Mr. CAMPBELL  
157 was looking for to either run or escape.  
158 **AGUAS:** Oh, I just saw him running. I couldn't really tell because like I say he had his hands behind  
159 his back, sir.  
160 **RENNNA:** Uh-huh.  
161 **AGUAS:** And that's all I can remember and when he was running all I could see was, you know, he  
162 took a step forward then that's when the shot him, so I couldn't really tell if he was looking above any,  
163 you know, both sides.  
164 **RENNNA:** Okay, did you hear the officers yelling anything while Mr. CAMPBELL was running?  
165 **AGUAS:** Yeah, there was some yelling.  
166 **RENNNA:** Okay, could you tell what they were saying?  
167 **AGUAS:** I couldn't tell, sir. Like I say it was, between the gunfire and that all I can, you know, it's  
168 almost like they wanted him to stop or something.  
169 **RENNNA:** Okay.  
170 **AGUAS:** I could not, I'm not positive.  
171 **RENNNA:** Okay, and while Mr. CAMPBELL was running, could you tell where his hands were?  
172 **AGUAS:** Still above his head.  
173 **RENNNA:** Well, he...  
174 **AGUAS:** Behind his head.  
175 **RENNNA:** The whole time that he was running?  
176 **AGUAS:** Yeah, when I saw him run, yes. His hands were still above his head.  
177 **RENNNA:** Okay, because if I read the reports correctly it indicated you couldn't see where his hands  
178 went.  
179 **AGUAS:** Oh, I can see his hands when they shot him, it's still behind his back. I told em, yeah, I  
180 never saw his hands down at all. He was, when he was running he still had his hands behind his back,  
181 behind his head, I'm sorry.

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182 **RENNA:** While he was running?  
183 **AGUAS:** Yes.  
184 **RENNA:** Okay, let me see. Did you see that while he was backing up or just before the first shot, did  
185 you see officers pointing at him...  
186 **AGUAS:** Yes.  
187 **RENNA:** ...as if they were giving him directions, pointing like with their fingers?  
188 **AGUAS:** Not with their fingers. I just saw the, you know, the people, the officers had their guns kind  
189 of pointing at him but I couldn't see the rest of the officers because I was just kind of looking, you  
190 know, I could see Mr. CAMPBELL when he was backing up and the officers and that's all I can  
191 remember.  
192 **RENNA:** Okay, had you ever met Mr. CAMPBELL before?  
193 **AGUAS:** No, sir.  
194 **RENNA:** Okay. Did it appear that Mr. CAMPBELL did anything suspicious before the first shot?  
195 **AGUAS:** I don't think so, sir. All I could see him was walking back.  
196 **RENNA:** Okay, all right. Did you see a police dog there that night?  
197 **AGUAS:** Oh, I don't remember seeing anything.  
198 **RENNA:** You don't remember seeing a police dog?  
199 **AGUAS:** No, sir.  
200 **RENNA:** Okay. Did you hear Mr. CAMPBELL say anything to the officers?  
201 **AGUAS:** Not at all.  
202 **RENNA:** Okay, I'm just looking at my notes here to make sure that I covered all the questions  
203 (indecipherable).  
204 **AGUAS:** Not a problem. Not a problem.  
205 **RENNA:** So, do you, in looking back on it, your recollection of events, was Mr. CAMPBELL  
206 standing still when you heard the first shot or had he started running?  
207 **AGUAS:** He had started running, yeah, when, like I said, it's kind of like, you know, you're horsing  
208 around you kind of move your head forward. I saw him do that and then he took off. That's why they  
209 shot him or, you know, something like that.  
210 **RENNA:** Okay, okay. How far away from Mr. CAMPBELL do you think you were when you were  
211 standing in the window?  
212 **AGUAS:** Oh, I would say 15, I was almost, I was gonna say at least 15 feet or 20 feet, somewhere  
213 around there. I can't estimate just, you know, we were not that far because I can see when he was  
214 backing up.  
215 **RENNA:** Okay, and did NICOLE come over and stand next to you and look out the window while  
216 this was going on?  
217 **AGUAS:** Well, we were just kind, you know, yeah we just kind of watching it because when  
218 somebody was, you know, like I said we were looking in and out because I was watching TV at the  
219 same time and we just kind of heard them saying, you know, he is surrendering or something like that  
220 because the window was partly open so that way we can leave because my car is parked right there  
221 where the officers blocked me.  
222 **RENNA:** Okay, well it was partly open and then did you close it while this was going on?  
223 **AGUAS:** Um, well in and out. Not the whole time, but we were watching a, you know, when he was  
224 surrendering, yes. But the other time I was kind of going to the living room and watching TV because,  
225 you know, I just wanted to leave.

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226 **RENNA:** Okay, well sure I understand you were delayed for a long time trying to do a good deed and I  
227 understand that.

228 **AGUAS:** Yeah, and she was ready to just go because like I said her dad was ill and she just wanted to  
229 go see her grandma so she can go see her dad.

230 **RENNA:** Okay, all right. Um, and is there anything that I haven't asked you about that incident that  
231 you think was important that you haven't been asked, that you saw or heard that you would like add?

232 **AGUAS:** Um, not really, sir. I think, you know, like I said I was kind of innocent about the whole  
233 thing and I really don't have much comments except for, you know, what do you call it, I feel bad  
234 about what the whole situation because, you know, it's sad that it had to happen in this kind of  
235 situation that's about all.

236 **RENNA:** Okay, I understand. You were interviewed by some people from the District Attorney's  
237 office when you went to grand jury, is that correct?

238 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir.

239 **RENNA:** Have you been interviewed by any other attorneys?

240 **AGUAS:** No, sir, not at all.

241 **RENNA:** Anybody other than police officers?

242 **AGUAS:** Not at all, sir.

243 **RENNA:** Okay, and have you talked to anybody else that was a witness to this incident other than  
244 NICOLE?

245 **AGUAS:** No, sir, because I didn't know anybody else except for NICOLE that night.

246 **RENNA:** Okay, and I don't remember, did I ask you if you knew Mr. CAMPBELL prior to that day?

247 **AGUAS:** Yeah, you did ask me.

248 **RENNA:** Okay.

249 **AGUAS:** I don't know him at all.

250 **RENNA:** And you didn't know him?

251 **AGUAS:** No, sir, not at all.

252 **RENNA:** Okay, um, I don't know if you're in a position to write down my telephone number in case  
253 you remember something else or if it shows up on your cell phone. If it doesn't, I'd be happy to give  
254 you my phone number if you think of anything else.

255 **AGUAS:** Yes, please, sir.

256 **RENNA:** Okay, let me know when you're ready.

257 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir, I'm ready.

258 **RENNA:** Okay, and it's, my phone number is 503-823...

259 **AGUAS:** Did you say 823?

260 **RENNA:** Yes.

261 **AGUAS:** 823.

262 **RENNA:** ...0583. Again, my name is BARRY, B-A-R-R-Y, RENNA.

263 **AGUAS:** Can you spell your last name?

264 **RENNA:** It's R-E-N-N-A. And if you think of anything else, please give me a call and if I don't  
265 happen to be at my desk if you leave a message I'll get back to you as quickly as I can.

266 **AGUAS:** Yes, sir, thank you very much. And I hope that was enough help for you for me to, you  
267 know, the information that you need.

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268 **RENNA:** Well, I thank you for your patience because I know you've gone over this numerous times,  
269 but I just thought I would talk to you one more time to see if you remembered anything else. So, I  
270 appreciate your time.

271 **AGUAS:** It's not a problem and thank you and you have a good day, sir.

272 **RENNA:** Thank you. You too.

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