
Fourth Judicial Circuit



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MELISSA NELSON
STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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Sent via Electronic Mail

Sergeant Marc Musser
Jacksonville Sheriff's Office
501 E. Bay St.
Jacksonville, FL 32202

Re: The Officer-Involved Shooting Investigation of Leah Baker
CCR #2020 239653

Dear Sgt. Musser:

This letter is to advise you that our review of the death investigation of Leah Baker is now complete. After full review by our Officer Involved Incident team, we have concluded that the death of Leah Baker was justified under applicable Florida law. We will be providing a detailed report of our review to you in the near future. We are notifying you of our legal opinion now, though, so that you can take any internal or administrative actions that may be necessary.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Otherwise, we will forward to you our full written report once final.

Best Regards,



Mark Caliel

cc: Phillip Vogelsang, Esq., Attorney for Officers E. Mechling and J. Nobles
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