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UPDATE – INVESTIGATION INTO OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING OF WILLIAM CHAPMAN II COMPLETE – REVIEW IN PROGRESS

PORTSMOUTH, VA – The investigation into the fatal officer-involved shooting of William Chapman in the City of Portsmouth that occurred April 22, 2015 is now complete. The Commonwealth's Attorney's Office has received a report from the Virginia State Police along with the results of additional investigative work requested by the Commonwealth's Attorney and has also received the report from the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

Additionally, the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office received items from the Department of Forensic Science on Thursday, August 20, 2015 and reports from the Department of Forensic Science on Friday, August 21, 2015. All evidence is being reviewed and final prosecutorial determination will follow.

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