

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser**



Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice

April 3, 2024

Hon. Brooke Pinto  
Chairperson  
Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Councilmember Pinto,

This letter is to notify you of a fatal officer-involved shooting involving Lieutenant Daren Jones of the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) on March 27, 2024, in Prince George's County (U.S. Route 301 between Queen Anne Road & Trade Zone Avenue).

The next of kin of the subject of the serious use of force has declined public release of the bodyworn camera footage.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Lindsey Appiah'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lindsey Appiah  
Deputy Mayor