



Department of Public Safety & Corrections Incident Report

Nature of Report: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial Report by Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Action Taken by Supervisor	Incident: Time: 0325 hrs. Date: Feb. 21, 2018
To: LT. Col. David Staton LSP/ Patrol	From: Major Jay D. Oliphant, Jr. I.SP/Region 3 Patrol
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Nature of Incident:	Public Intimidation by Calvin Braxton/Officer Safety Concern
Location:	Jamar Dr. at its intersection with LA 504, Natchitoches, LA. (Natchitoches Parish).

Synopsis of Incident

On or about the morning of Wednesday, February 21, 2018 at approximately 0610 hrs., I left my residence located at 1241 Hwy 504, Natchitoches, La. 71457, enroute to Zachary, LA. The purpose for my trip was to attend a Strategic Highway Safety Plan meeting at the Louisiana State Police, Joint Emergency Services Training Center's (JESTC) Staff Development Center (SDC). At the conclusion of the meeting, I returned to Natchitoches, LA. and arrived at my residence at approximately 1525 hrs., which is also about the same time my 15-year-old son gets off the school bus to come home from school. As I turned off LA 504 into my private driveway, I noticed a small, silver Ford hatchback/wagon-type vehicle parked on Jamar Dr., which is located about 250-300 yards east of my residence, and is the main entrance to the subdivision in which my home is located. The vehicle looked very suspicious, and was "out of place" as it sat near a wooded lot. *It should be noted that during the previous week, I had received two telephone calls from fairly credible and reliable individuals, who advised me that Mr. Calvin Braxton has hired the services of a private investigation firm or "somebody" to watch and follow me. Mr. Braxton is a former LSP Commission Member, and current owner of the Natchitoches Ford dealership, which is located on LA 1 Bypass, in Natchitoches, LA.* I immediately stopped in my driveway and backed up, entering LA 504. As I proceeded eastbound on LA 504, I made right turn onto Jamar Dr., where the vehicle was parked, and immediately observed a "Natchitoches Ford" license plate on the front of the vehicle, which is not necessarily uncommon. As I approached the vehicle, it accelerated and fled the scene eastbound on LA 504 towards LA 3191, in a very rapid and suspicious manner. I quickly turned around and followed the vehicle, with two vehicles between us. There was inclement weather (rain), which left water on the roadway, thus preventing me from affecting a traffic stop in a safe manner. There also aren't any improved shoulders on this stretch of highway. I continued following the vehicle until it reached the intersection of LA 3191, where it pulled over and came to a stop. I contacted Region 3 Dispatch and requested an inquiry regarding the license plate, xxxxxxx1, which was displayed on the rear of the vehicle. I proceeded southbound on LA 3191, due to the inclement weather, and did not conduct a traffic stop on the vehicle and its driver. I made a U-turn and drove back to my residence. The vehicle was registered to xxxxx xxxxxx xxxx and xxxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, Natchitoches, LA. The name xxxxxxxxxxxx is well-known in Natchitoches, LA., and is alleged

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to have busin ess connections with Mr. Braxton; specifically xxxxxxxxxxxx a.k.a. xxxxxxxxxxxx, who is the father of xxxxxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxxxxxx.

To somewhat confirm someone is watching my/our every move has caused great concern for my safety and the safety of my family. I have no idea what Calvin Braxton's intentions are, and I'm not sure what he is capable of specific to harming me or my family. What's even more concerning to me is the mysterious and untimely death of a woman named xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx, whom Calvin Braxton was allegedly dating at the time of her death several years ago. xxxxxxxx death, ultimately ruled a suicide, occurred in a hotel located in the Shreveport/Bossier City area. The fact that Calvin Braxton's name was closely connected to this woman at the time of her death is enough reasonable suspicion for me to be concerned for my safety and the safety of my family. It would be my suggestion that Louisiana State Police review the case file regarding the death of xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx to determine the actual manner of death and/or determine if there was any possibility of foul play. Additionally, I'm requesting the Louisiana State Police conduct a personal threat assessment regarding the capabilities of Calvin Braxton, xxxxxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx and xxxxxx xxxxxxxx to potentially harm me or my family. I was so concerned that I contacted the Louisiana State Police/Troop E, and requested that they make frequent security checks around my residence. I've also advised LSP/E to contact the Natchitoches Parish Sheriff's Office to conduct the security checks as well.

For months, I have noticed several suspicious-looking vehicles as I travel the highways of the State of Louisiana, and have even conducted counter-surveillance missions to see if someone is following me. I'll occasionally travel to open parking lots (department stores, malls, business districts) and just park, to observe the movements of other vehicles. I have even exited my vehicle and walked in certain areas to see if I can identify suspicious vehicles. As a Louisiana State Trooper, I will remain vigilant and do my best to ensure that I provide a safe environment for me and my family.

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