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The State Attorney's Office review of the FDLE report on the shooting of Ernest Weston is complete. Based on the review, State Attorney Stephen B. Russell has decided to refer the matter to a Grand Jury for inquiry. They are scheduled to begin meeting on the matter on June 19<sup>th</sup>.

By law, Grand Jury proceedings are secret and therefore we will have no further public comment pending the results of the Grand Jury inquiry.

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