

Chairman Butler, Vice Chairman Hughes, Ranking Member Boggs and members of the Civil Justice Committee:

On Sunday August 27th, 2017 a little after 10 AM I was stopped at a light on East Third Street in Dayton, Ohio in front of the downtown library. There were no other cars or pedestrians near this area.

An older model black Cadillac hit the back of my Toyota Avalon. No lights or sirens were activated. A man in jeans and tee shirt came to the door of my car to check on my welfare. He said he was distracted and that he was a Dayton city under cover policeman.

Twice I asked for identification, but, never was given the asked for information. Soon the supervisor of the policeman arrived and confirmed that he was, indeed, a policeman.

Since he was driving a car used by the police I had to use my insurance to have the car fixed. The car was totaled. It was necessary that I pay the deductible. I was obeying the law, was hit by a policeman and I must incur the expense.

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