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State's Attorney Concludes Investigation into Officer-Involved Injury at Kane County Jail

St. Charles, Ill. - On Tuesday, Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser finalized her review of an investigation into an officer-involved injury connected to an inmate's suicide attempt at the Kane County jail this past January. After the attempt suicide, Kane County Sheriff Ron Hain's Office requested that the matter be independently investigated by the Kane County Major Crimes Task Force. The Task Force completed their investigation and tendered that to SA Mosser to review.

State's Attorney Mosser delivered her findings to the Sheriff's Office after a comprehensive investigation and analysis of the Kane County Sheriff's Office Policies and Illinois Law.

The report outlines how the involved Correctional Services Officer (CSO) at the jail, who had no forewarning of the inmate's suicidal behavior, nevertheless acted promptly to mitigate the potential harm to the defendant, and immediately initiated life-saving measures.

The investigation determined that the CSO meticulously adhered to both Kane County and Illinois State policies. It was determined that no unlawful acts were committed by any members of the Kane County Sheriff's Office during the incident.

In accordance with 50 ILCS 727/1-10, the State's Attorney's office deems the review of this matter closed

SA Mosser said: "I would like to thank Sheriff Hain for referring the matter to the Major Crimes Task Force for an independent investigation even though there was no legal requirement for him

to do so. I would like to further thank North Aurora Detective Kristin Lohrstorfer for her thorough investigation with the other members of the Major Crimes Task Force. Lastly, I would like to thank the CSO involved as his actions saved the life of the inmate in the jail. It is due to his quick thinking and immediate reaction that there was no death that day."

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