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Two Indicted in Shootout That Left Toddler Dead

State v. Isaiah Smith & Shawn Smith 2016-CR-0487

DAYTON, OH (04/28/2016) – Prosecuting Attorney Mat Heck, Jr. announced today that **Isaiah T. Smith**, and **Shawn D. Smith, Jr.**, both 25 years-of-age and of Dayton, have been indicted for a series of shootouts that left a 13 month old child dead.

On Thursday, January 14, 2016, there were gunshots fired by both defendants. During the shooting, 13 month old Elijah Jaden Johnson was struck and killed. In addition, a woman and defendant Isaiah Smith were also struck.

Today, the defendants were indicted for multiple felony counts.

Shawn Smith was indicted on:

- 2 counts Murder
- 6 counts Felonious Assault
- 1 count Discharge of a Firearm On or Near Prohibited Premises

Isaiah Smith was indicted on:

- 1 count Involuntary Manslaughter
- 2 counts Aggravated Robbery
- 1 count Child Endangering
- 1 count Discharge of a Firearm On or Near Prohibited Premises
- 2 counts Having Weapons While Under Disability.

Additionally, a third defendant, Dontay King, who was also involved in the melee, pled guilty by bill of information on April 21, 2016 to a single count of Involuntary Manslaughter, with a mandatory 3 year firearm specification. He will be sentenced at a later date.

Defendants Smith and Smith are scheduled to be arraigned on May 3, 2016 at 8:30 am.

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