February 3, 2025: 1 Philadelphia International Airport Way (southbound offramp to PHL) (OISI: 25-2)

On Monday, February 3, 2025, at approximately 1:06 AM, a PPD officer assigned to the PPD Airport Unit was on patrol. On the southbound I-95 offramp, the officer encountered Brian Kada, who reported that he had been stabbed. The officer requested medics and backup.

Reportedly, while awaiting backup and medics, the officer and Mr. Kada got into a physical altercation. The officer attempted to use his Taser on Mr. Kada, but it was unsuccessful. Officer Brian Laureano arrived as back up. The first officer tried to use his Taser again, but again, it was not successful. Officer Laureano fired his pistol multiple times at Mr. Kada, killing him.

Brian Kada was a 36-year-old White male.

Officer Laureano is a 53-year-old Black male. He is assigned to the Airport Unit and has 28 years of service.