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Shooting Investigation Update

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives have charged a suspect in connection with a shooting investigation. The incident occurred on Sunday August 5, 2018 in the 100 block of 68th Street North.

**The victim has been identified as:
Birmingham Police Officer (East Precinct)**

**The suspect has been identified as:
Zanthie Amerson, B/F, 29, of Birmingham, Alabama. An Attempted Murder warrant has been obtained against the suspect. Detectives also obtained a Discharging Firearm in City Limits warrant against the suspect.**

The suspect is in the custody of the Jefferson County Jail.

A mugshot of Zanthie Amerson is attached.

Refer to media release #121 of 2018 for additional information on this case.

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