

## **Grand jury clears 2 officers who shot and killed - Columbus Dispatch, The (OH) - November 17, 2018 - page 6B**

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A pair of Columbus police SWAT officers will not be indicted for the fatal shooting of a woman who pointed a rifle at them during a standoff earlier this year, Franklin County Prosecutor Ron O'Brien announced Friday.

Officers Keith Kise and Glenn Thivener shot and killed **Kaitlin DeMeo**, 25, on March 24 in the 6300 block of Whims Road on the Southeast Side.

During the standoff, DeMeo broke out a rear window and pointed a loaded AR-15 semiautomatic rifle at officers, leading them to shoot her, according to a news release from O'Brien's office.

Police eventually found eight spent shell casings from the rifle and a second loaded magazine inside the home, the release said.

Kise, 47, has been with the Police Division for 23 years; Thivener, 51, has been with the Division for 30 years.

As is regular practice in officer-involved fatal shootings, O'Brien's office presented the case to a county grand jury.

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