



San Diego County Sheriff's Department

Homicide Unit

Media Information

SUBJECT: Inmate Death

LOCATION: 446 Alta Road #5300, San Diego

DATE/TIME: September 1, 2018; 2:17 a.m.

DECEASED: Withheld

The following information is fragmentary and has not been completely verified. It is based, in part, on hearsay and is intended for early information use rather than being a formal investigative report.

Deputies doing a security check at the George Bailey Detention Facility today found an inmate unresponsive in his cell. Deputies performed first aid until relieved by paramedics, but despite lifesaving efforts, the man died. The deceased man was alone in his secure cell and no preliminary evidence of injury or foul play was discovered. The man was in custody for charges including convictions for the following Penal Code sections: 245(c)- Assault of a peace officer or firefighter with a deadly weapon, 12022.7 (a)- Inflicting Great Bodily Injury, and 69 (a)- Felony Resisting an Officer. The Sheriff's Homicide Unit responded to investigate his death.

The San Diego County Medical Examiner's Office will conduct an autopsy to determine the cause and manner of death, and notify the family. The Sheriff's Homicide Unit responds to investigate all in-custody deaths. Our response is not an indication of foul play or suspicious circumstances. The investigation is continuing.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Sheriff's Homicide Unit at (858) 285-6330/after hours at (858) 565-5200. You can also remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

Prepared by: Rich Williams, Lieutenant
Sheriff's Homicide Unit (858) 285-6330