Record of Death

Provided by South Carolina Department of Corrections, February 1, 2022

Name: WILLIAMS, MELVIN DOUGLAS

SCDC#: 123206

Sex: M

Race/ethnicity: Black or African American, not of Hispanic origin

Date of birth: 7/28/1966

Date of commitment: 9/28/1984

Date of death: 1/16/2018

Cause of death: Natural Cause

Assigned institution: PERRY

Death location: OUTSIDE MEDICAL

DIVISION OF COMPLIANCE, STANDARDS, AND INSPECTIONS
SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
REPORT OF INMATE DEATH

(Sections 24-9-35 and 17-7-10, South Carolina Code of Laws)
(Standards 1047 and 1049, Minimum Standards for Local Detention Facilities in South Carolina)
(SCDC Policies/Procedures HS-18.04 and PS-10.05)

1. FACILITY: PERRY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION
2. NAME OF DECEASED: Melvin Williams SCDC# 123206
3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]
4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 5'4" WEIGHT 130 HAIR Black
   EYES Brown SEX Male RACE Black SOC SEC # [redacted]
5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): Murder
   SENTENCED ☑ PRETRIAL ☐
6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 6/18/1984
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED [redacted]
   [redacted]
8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION:
   Unknown
9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Heart problems
10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 8:45 a.m. ____ p.m. Tuesday day January month 2018 year
11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Dr. Steve Nutz
12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Kent Dill
13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY: Unknown
14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY:
    Sgt.Lindsay and Ofc.Karaszewzki. Inmate was in Hospital
15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 848 (Actual Count) Approximately 20 (# of Officers on Duty)
16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: 1/16/18 at 8:45 am

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

MAIL OR DELIVER REPORT TO:

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SIGNATURE OF OFFICIAL MAKING REPORT

Administrative Captain
TYPED OR PRINTED TITLE OF OFFICIAL

January 16, 2017
DATE OF REPORT

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