Record of Death

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

Name: GRIGGS, BILLY JOE

SCDC#: 124983

Sex: M

Race/ethnicity: White, not of Hispanic origin

Date of birth: 10/31/1961

Date of commitment: 11/15/2013

Date of death: 11/12/2018

Cause of death: Natural Cause

Assigned institution: KIRKLAND

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: Kirkland Correctional Institution
2. NAME OF DECEASED: Billy Griggs SCDC# 124983
3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]
4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 6'00 WEIGHT 211 HAIR Blond
   EYES Blue SEX Male RACE White SOC SEC # [redacted]
5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): Manu/Possess Drg
   SENTENCED ☑ PRETRIAL ☐
6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 11/13/2013
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED:
8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION: Unknown
9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Septic Shock
10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 10:12 a.m. ____ p.m. 12th day November month 2018 year
11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Dr. Andrew Aruca
12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Ashley Bragel
13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY:
14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY:
    Officer Thomson, Jaclyn and Officer Mendenhall, Wanda, [redacted]
15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 14 (Actual Count) 28 (# of Officers on Duty)
16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: 11/12/2018 @ 10:11 a.m.

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

12/6/2018
DATE OF REPORT

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