Record of Death

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

Name: RUFF, ERIC LYNN

SCDC#: 245503

Sex: M

Race/ethnicity: White, not of Hispanic origin

Date of birth: 5/18/1961

Date of commitment: 10/19/2017

Date of death: 4/3/2019

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: Ruff, Eric SCDC# 245503
3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]
4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 6'0 WEIGHT 151 lbs HAIR Brown
   EYES Blue SEX Male RACE White SOC SEC #
5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): Petit or Simple Larceny, Breach of Trust, Burglary - 2nd Degree, Burglary - 1st Degree SENTENCED ☑ PRETRIAL ☐
6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 03/23/2017
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED:
8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION:
9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural Causes; Cardiac Arrest
10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 09:21 a.m. ____ p.m. 03 day April month 2019 year
11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Dr. Zach Kiker
12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY:
13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY: Newberry
14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY: Officer Spencer Davis, approximately 8:28 a.m., Unit B2
15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 1880 (Actual Count) 41 Officers; 5 assigned @ Hospital (# of Officers on Duty)
16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: Approximately 8:10 a.m.

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

MAIL OR DELIVER REPORT TO:

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