Record of Death

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

Name: SUTTON, SR., JOHNNY WAYNE

SCDC#: 178557

Sex: M

Race/ethnicity: White, not of Hispanic origin

Date of birth: 7/28/1956

Date of commitment: 6/27/1991

Date of death: 8/3/2019

Cause of death: Natural Cause

Assigned institution: LEE

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: Lee Correctional Institution

2. NAME OF DECEASED: Johnny Wayne Sutton, Sr. SCDC# 178557

3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]

4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 5'10" WEIGHT 207 lbs. HAIR Brown
EYES Brown SEX Male RACE White SOC SEC # [redacted]

5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): Murder
SENTENCED ☒ PRETRIAL ☐

6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 06/27/1991

7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED: Ronald Sutton, [redacted] (Brother).

8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION: [redacted]

9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Inmate Sutton dealt with the complications of diabeties.

10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: ____ a.m. 11:10 p.m. 02 day August month 2019 year

11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Deputy Coroner Chad Cottingham at [redacted] Hospital

12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Lee County Coroner, Larry Logan

13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY: Newberry Pathology, 185 Executive Drive, Newberry, SC 29108.

14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY:
Medical staff (Nurse Brittney Hawkins) at [redacted] Hospital at approximately, 11:10 pm

15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 1,250 (Actual Count) 23 (# of Officers on Duty)

16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: Before 11:10 pm, on August 2, 2019

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

MAIL OR DELIVER REPORT TO:

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