Record of Death

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

Name: MCCANTS, WILLIAM THOMAS

SCDC#: 270880

Sex: M

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

Date of birth: 9/8/1954

Date of commitment: 7/13/2017

Date of death: 9/17/2018

Cause of death: Natural Cause

Assigned institution: RIDGELAND

Death location: RIDGELAND

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: RIDGELAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION
2. NAME OF DECEASED: William McCants SCDC# 270880
3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]
4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 6'1" WEIGHT 169 lbs HAIR Gray
   EYES Brown SEX Male RACE Black SOC SEC # [redacted]
5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): DV 1st Degree
   5 yrs, 0 mos, 0 days SENTENCED ☑ PRETRIAL ☐
6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 07/13/2017
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED: Lacia Mazyck (grand-daughter)
   [redacted]
8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION: Normal appearance within limits and appropriate for age
9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural
10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 4:00 a.m. ____ p.m. 17 day September month 2018 year
11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: HCA, Trenton Smith, RN/Erin Craven, RN
12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Martin Sauls III
13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY: ____
14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY: CPL Kathy Chisholm, 5:12am, Charleston "A" Wing Cell #23
15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 951 inmates (Actual Count) 14 (# of Officers on Duty)
16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: Approx. 3:00am

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

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