Record of Death

Provided by South Carolina Department of Corrections, March 8, 2023

Name: LADSON, WILLIE JAMES

SCDC#: 125875

Sex: M

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

Age at death: 71

Date of commitment: 06/14/1985

Date of death: 02/09/2022

Cause of death: Natural Cause

Assigned institution: BROAD RIVER

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: Broad River Correctional Institution

2. NAME OF DECEASED: Willie Ladson SCDC# 125875

3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]

4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 5'10" WEIGHT 155 HAIR Black
EYES Brown SEX Male RACE Black SOC SEC #

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

6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 12/28/84

7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED: Joesph Ladson
[redacted]

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

9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Cardiac Arrest

10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 4:15 a.m. ____ p.m. 2 day 09 month 22 year

11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Dr. Clark

12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Pressley Funeral Home

13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY: Pressley Funeral Home

14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY:
Sgt. Rabon 4:15am [redacted] Hospital

15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: 1 (Actual Count) 2 (# of Officers on Duty)

16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: [redacted] Hospital

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

MAIL OR DELIVER REPORT TO:

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
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Maj. [signature]
SIGNATURE OF OFFICIAL MAKING REPORT

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