Record of Death

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

Name: MELTON, MARK CLAUDE

SCDC#: 267078

Sex: M

Race/ethnicity: White, not of Hispanic origin

Age at death: 60

Date of commitment: 06/14/2000

Date of death: 11/25/2022

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
2. NAME OF DECEASED: Mark Claude Melton SCDC# 267078
3. HOME ADDRESS: [redacted]
4. DESCRIPTION: DOB [redacted] HEIGHT 6'0 WEIGHT 199 HAIR Brown
   EYES Hazel SEX Male RACE White SOC SEC # [redacted]
5. ARRESTING OFFENSE(S): Kidnapping
   SENTENCED ☑ PRETRIAL ☐
6. DATE AND TIME OF COMMITMENT: 8-11-1999
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RELATIVE(S) OF THE DECEASED CONTACTED: Allie Melton
   [redacted]
8. RECORD OF DECEASED INMATE'S PHYSICAL CONDITION UPON ADMISSION:
9. CAUSE OF DEATH: Cardiac Arrest
10. TIME AND DATE OF DEATH: 7:49 a.m. ____ p.m. 25 day November month 2022 year
11. NAME OF DOCTOR WHO PRONOUNCED DEATH: Dr. Joshua Skaggs
12. NAME OF CORONER WHO ORDERED AUTOPSY: Amber Collins
13. AUTOPSY PERFORMED BY:
14. NAME OF PERSON DISCOVERING DECEASED, TIME DISCOVERED, AND LOCATION WITHIN FACILITY:
    William Jack (Kirkland R and E) & Gregory Burgi (Kirkland R and E)
15. AT THE TIME OF DEATH: _____ (Actual Count) _____ (# of Officers on Duty)
16. WHEN INMATE WAS LAST SEEN ALIVE: 7:48 AM

NOTIFY BY TELEPHONE AT: (803) 896-8502

MAIL OR DELIVER REPORT TO:

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DIVISION OF COMPLIANCE, STANDARDS, AND INSPECTIONS
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Lt. Shamyria Sumar
SIGNATURE OF OFFICIAL MAKING REPORT

Lieutenant, II
TYPED OR PRINTED TITLE OF OFFICIAL

11-25-2022
DATE OF REPORT

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