Record of Death

Provided by LA Department of Public Safety and Corrections (DPSC)*
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Name: Cornellius Kelly

DOC #: 495356

Race / Ethnicity: Black or African American / Unknown

Gender: Male

Age / Birth Year: 39 / 1984

Date of Birth:

First Admission Date to DOC: 12/27/2005

Sentence: 19 years

Facility: DCI

Date of Death: 11/5/2024

Time of Death: 9:30

Manner of Death (DOC): Homicide- based off of the determination of the autopsy report

Expected / Unexpected: Unexpected

Autopsy Required: Yes

Circumstances of Death (LCLE): Found unresponsive with stab wounds to chest and abdomen. CPR was initiated by facility staff and resuscitative efforts were stopped upon arrival of ambulance and contact with physician.

Coroner Report Information:

Incarceration Transparency Project Notes (not included in DPSC Record):

- *State Facility Codes:*
  - *ALC: Allen Correctional Center*
  - *EHCC: Elayn Hunt Correctional Center*
  - *LCIW: Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women*
  - *LSP: Louisiana State Penitentiary*
  - *DCI: Dixon Correctional Institute*
  - *DWCC: David Wade Correctional Center*
  - *RCC: B.B. Rayburn Correctional Center*
  - *RLCC: Raymond Laborde Correctional Center*

- *Cause of Death Project Coding: Violence*

** Additional source material includes, where relevant, publicly available data, press releasees, coroner's reports, media, and federal reporting.