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POLICE MEDIA ADVISORY

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Subject: HOMICIDE – MAN WITH GUNSHOT WOUND LEFT AT SCRIPPS HOSPITAL –

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Message: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

San Diego Crime Stoppers is offering a reward of up to \$1000 for information leading to an arrest in a Chula Vista murder investigation.

Early Sunday morning, August 21st,2022, at about 1:55 A.M., the Chula Vista Police Department received reports of a man with a gunshot wound being dropped off at Scripps Mercy Hospital in Chula Vista (435 H Street). Officers responded, including a Chula Vista Police Officer who was at the hospital handling an unrelated matter. Hospital staff attempted lifesaving measures, but the man was pronounced deceased shortly after he arrived. The man was identified as 32-year-old Rudy Fimbres of San Diego.

Fimbres is believed to have been transient and living in the South Bay area of Chula Vista and San Diego. The vehicle used to drop him off is described as a late-model white Jeep Patriot (compact SUV) with black rims. There were three occupants seen by witnesses fleeing the hospital in the vehicle. Police are still searching for a crime scene and are asking the three occupants and any other witnesses come forward.

Anyone with more information is asked to contact San Diego County Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477 or submit a tip via P3tips (online or mobile application) http://p3tips.com/409 if they wish to remain anonymous.

*After hour inquiries should be directed to the Watch Commander at (619)476-5374, however no other information is available for release at the time of this media advisory distribution.

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