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Press Release

Police Department

February 9, 2021

Homicide Arrest

On Sunday, February 07, 2021, at approximately 4:20 PM, Torrance Police Officers and the Torrance Fire Department responded to the 4500 block of 231st street for a report of a stabbing. Upon arrival, officers discovered a 52-year-old male suffering from a stab wound. The victim was treated by Torrance Fire Department personnel but unfortunately succumbed to his injuries at the scene.

During the preliminary investigation, investigators learned the victim and his adult son were involved in an earlier disturbance. The son left the residence for a short time and later returned home. Upon his return, the son armed himself with a kitchen knife and stabbed the victim. The son then fled the location before the officers' arrival.

A short time later, Officers were able to locate the son and took him into custody without further incident. The son was later booked on the charge of murder at the Torrance Police Department. All investigative leads indicate this was an isolated incident, and there is no ongoing threat to the public.

The suspect's information is not being released at this time pending follow-up investigation and potential identification from witness(es). Investigators request anyone with information about the incident to contact the Torrance Police Department.

This investigation is being conducted under the command of Torrance Police Acting Captain Daniel Moreno of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information regarding this case is encouraged to contact the Torrance Police Department at (310) 328-3456 (DR# 210004324).



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