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PRESS RELEASE

Release Date: 10/29/2012

Time: 1315 Hours

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Type of Incident: Murder/Attempted Suicide

Location: 15555 Huntington Village Lane

Date/Time of Occurrence: 10-29-12/0945 Hours

Case Number: 12-18013

Details:

Suspect: Nelson Tuiolosega – DOB 12-5-55 from Huntington Beach – Charged with 187 PC – Murder

Victim: Heather Tuiolosega DOB 7-20-65

Details:

On 10-29-12 at 9:45 AM the Huntington Beach Police Department received a call regarding a possible attempted suicide at the location. It was reported the suspect had contacted family members and threatened suicide. Officers arrived at the scene and found Tuiolosega inside his residence with what appeared to be self inflicted wounds. The officers also located another adult female deceased inside the residence and believe her to be the victim of a homicide involving Tuiolosega.

Tuiolosega was treated by the Huntington Beach Fire Department Paramedics and transported to UCI Medical Center in critical condition. He underwent surgery and is likely to survive his wounds. The Huntington Beach Police Department's Homicide Investigators have taken Tuiolosega into custody and charged him with 187 PC – Murder. He remains under guard at UCI Medical Center.

The investigators have confirmed the relationship of the victim, Heather Tuiolosega, as the wife of the suspect. The investigation as to the motive is still ongoing at this point.