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ATTORNEY GENERAL *of* TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

PA Number: PA16168CJ

Report Date: 4/21/2016 11:13 AM

Status: Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Department ID: 223

Department Type: SHERIFF

Agency Name: Dimmit County Sheriff's Dept.

Agency Number: TX0640000

Agency Phone: 8308763508

Agency Address: 669 Industrial Blvd.

Agency City: Carrizo Springs

Agency County: Dimmit

Agency State: TX

Agency Zip: 78834

Director Information

Director Salutation:

Sheriff

Director First Name:

Marion

Director Middle Name:

Director Last Name:

Boyd

Reporter Name: Investigator
Robert Mendoza
705

Reporter Email: mendozarobert245@yahoo.com

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address: 669 Industrial Blvd.

City: Carrizo Springs

County: Dimmit

What type of custody/facility was the Decedent in at the time of death:

Type of Custody:

County Jail

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

Jail - holding cell

Custody Type Facility:

What was the time and date of the deceased's entry into the law enforcement facility where the death occurred (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Entry Date Time: 4/10/2016 6:07 PM

Where did the death occur?

Death Location: At law enforcement
facility

Death Location Elsewhere:

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Richard

Middle Name: D

Last Name: Glaser

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 5/20/1965

Sex: Male

Ethnicity: Anglo

Date/Time of Death (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Death Date and Time: 4/11/2016 4:27 AM

Date/Time of Custody (arrest, incarceration) (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Date/Time of Custody or Incident:

4/10/2016 5:55 PM

Manner / Cause of Death

Has a medical examiner or coroner conducted an evaluation to determine a cause of death?

Medical Examiner/Coroner Evaluation?:

Yes, results pending

What was the manner of death? (select only one)

Manner of Death:

Suicide

Manner of Death Description:

Death Reason:

Not applicable

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

pending autopsy results

Had the decedent been receiving treatment for the medical condition that caused the death after admission to your jail's jurisdiction?

Medical Treatment:

Not Applicable

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, who caused the death?

Who caused the death?:

Deceased

Death Causer Other:

If a weapon caused the death, what type of weapon caused the death? (mark all that apply)

Type of Death Weapon:

Not Applicable

Was the cause of death the result of a pre-existing medical condition or did the decedent develop the condition after admission?

Pre existing medical condition?:

Not Applicable; cause of death was accidental injury, intoxication, suicide or homicide

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, what was the means of death?

Means of Death:

Hanging, strangulation

General Information

What were the most serious offense(s) with which the deceased was (or would have been) charged with at the time of death?

Offense 1:

Driving While Intoxicated

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

Were the Charges::

Filed

What were the types of charges or reason for contact?

Type of Offense:

Injuries of Decedent

Injured By: Injured by NA

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs): Yes

Exhibit any mental health problems?:

Exhibit any medical problems?:

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Threaten the officer(s)
involved: No

Resist being handcuffed or
arrested?: No

Try to escape/flee from
custody: No

Grab, hit or fight with the
officer(s): No

Other Behavior:



Specify Other Behavior:

Use weapon threaten/assault
officer(s): 0

Was the deceased under restraint in the time leading up to the death or the events causing the death?

Under Restraint:

No

Summary of Incident

Summary of How the Death Occurred: (max. 30,000 characters)

Summary:

April 10, 2016 5:55 p.m. DPS brought Richard Glaser to the Dimitt county jail on a DWI charge – refused.

8:30 p.m. DPS Trooper took Richard Glaser to the Dimmitt county regional hospital for a blood test.

9:17 p.m. DPS Trooper took Richard Glaser to the Dimmitt county jail.

April 11, 2016 3:15 a.m. Jailers found Richard Glaser in holding cell #1, had hung himself by using his jail pants.

3:19 a.m. EMS called out.

4:27 a.m. JP Hernandez did the inquest, autopsy requested.

5:15 a.m. Texas Ranger Randy Garcia arrived to do investigation.