Inmate Pronounced Deceased At Travis County Correctional Complex

On January 3, 2010, at 9:58pm, an inmate at the Travis County Correctional Complex was pronounced deceased. Corrections Officers found the inmate, identified as

David Cisneros, Date of Birth 7-26-1956,

in his cell at 9:11pm. Jail medical staff and Austin/Travis County EMS attempted to revive him however all efforts failed.

Mr. Cisneros was brought to the Travis County Jail on December 27, 2009, by the Austin Police Department, to face charges of Evading Arrest and two theft charges.

The initial report from the Medical Examiner’s Office indicates that the manner of death was natural causes due to several health issues. There was no indication of other injuries that would indicate otherwise. The official cause of death has not been issued due to pending toxicology tests.

As is common with all death in custody cases, there will be an investigation by the Major Crimes Unit and the Internal Affairs Unit of the Sheriff’s Office.

Note: This is the first Death In Custody in the Travis County Jail this year.

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