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Media Release UPDATE

Incident: HOMICIDE
Location: 2600 block of Dewey Lane
Date & time: 12/20/10 @ 0833 (Reported to BCSD)
Case Number: 10-7134

Details:

A 67-year-old woman assaulted earlier this week at her Dewey Lane home in the Breezewood Estates subdivision died this afternoon (12/22/10) at about 3 p.m. at University Hospital and the crime is now considered a homicide.

Sheriff's deputies and other emergency personnel responded to Aletha M. Turner's residence shortly after 8:30 a.m. on Dec. 20 after relatives found her unconscious lying on the floor.

The Mid-Missouri Major Case Squad was activated Monday and law enforcement officers continue to follow up on numerous leads. An autopsy is scheduled to determine an exact cause of death.

Anyone with information about this crime is urged to contact CrimeStoppers at 875-TIPS (7477). All calls are held in strict confidence and anonymity is guaranteed.

Release date & time: 12/22/10 @ 1650
Release authorized by: Det. Tom O'Sullivan