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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide

LOCATION: 5400 Block of Fairway Drive Unincorporated San Jose, CA

CASE NUMBER: 17-323-0349E

DETAILS:

On November 19, 2017, at approximately 11:39 PM, Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office Patrol Deputies were dispatched to the report of a stabbing inside a residence.

Within minutes, deputies arrived at the residence on Fairway Drive. Deputies discovered a 21 year old Hispanic male inside the residence with at least one stab wound. The male was pronounced deceased by medical personnel at the scene.

The homicide suspect, Jerry Hartman, was taken into custody at the residence. Hartman, age 45, and the Victim were housemates at the residence on Fairway Drive. No other suspects are believed to be involved in this incident. Hartman was booked into the Santa Clara County Main Jail on the charge of Murder.

The identity of the deceased is being withheld pending notification of Next of Kin. Sheriff's Office Homicide Investigators and Crime Scene Investigators processed the scene for evidence and are conducting interviews. No additional updates are available at this time on the pending investigation.

Anyone with information on this case is asked to contact the Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office at (408) 808-4500. Alternatively, you can contact the Sheriff's Office Investigative Services Anonymous Tip Line at (408) 808-4431.

Photo of the suspect is attached.

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