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POLICE INVESTIGATE DEATH IN MISSION BEACH

(San Diego) San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the death of a 21-year-old male inside a Mission Beach apartment last night.

A few minutes after midnight, officers and paramedics were dispatched to an apartment in the 3600 block of Bayside Lane. Paramedics arrived before officers did, and attempted lifesaving measures, but the victim was pronounced dead at the scene at 12:28 a.m.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the suspect went to the victim's apartment to check on him. Once inside, the suspect and the victim became involved in a fight. At the end of the fight, the victim became unresponsive, and the suspect left the scene. The suspect returned to the scene approximately one hour later and was detained by officers.

The suspect, Brandon Callanan, 29, was arrested and booked into San Diego Central Jail.

The victim's cause of death is not known, pending an autopsy. The victim's name will not be released until family members are notified.

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