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December 2006 Murder of Ronald Harnish Remains Unsolved Up to \$53,000 Reward Offered

December 28, 2015

San Diego County Crime Stoppers, working with the San Diego Police Department homicide unit, is asking for the public's assistance to help identify and locate the person responsible for the murder of Ronald Harnish.

On the night of December 27, 2006, Harnish and friends were driving in the same car in the 1100 block of 30th Street. They stopped, exited the car, and got into a confrontation with two Hispanic males who were standing on the sidewalk. One of the Hispanic males fired shots at the victims. Ronald Harnish was shot and killed at the scene. A second victim was shot but survived.

Pictures of Ronald Harnish are attached to page two of this release.

There is a reward of \$53,000 for information on the case. Crime Stoppers is offering a reward of up to \$1,000, Ronald Harnish's friends and family are offering a reward of up to \$2,000 and the Governor's Office is offering a reward of up to \$50,000. Crime Stoppers' reward and the friends and family reward are paid on arrest, the Governor's Office reward is paid on arrest and conviction.

Anyone with information on the murder of Ronald Harnish is asked to call the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via <u>www.sdcrimestoppers.com</u>.

- Media inquiries about the case should be directed to the San Diego Police Department homicide unit at 619-531-2293.
- Media inquiries about Crime Stoppers should be directed either Mark Herring at 619-531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at 619-531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-8477.

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