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Stabbings in Jamacha/Lomita; Two Dead, One Arrested

San Diego – On Sunday, May 8, 2022, at approximately 2:40 a.m., the San Diego Police Communications Center received a call of an assault with a deadly weapon in the area of 800 Carlsbad Street in the Jamacha/Lomita neighborhood. Officers from Southeastern Division responded and located three people who had been stabbed at a residence. Officers began life-saving efforts until paramedics arrived.

The first victim is described as a 36-year-old Black male. He was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced deceased. The second victim is described as a 34-year-old Black male. He was pronounced deceased at the scene. The third victim is a 24-year-old Hispanic female. She was transported to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. The victims have been identified but their names are not being released at this time.

San Diego Police Homicide Detectives were called to the scene to investigate. Detectives are working methodically to determine the circumstances surrounding the stabbing by collecting evidence and interviewing witnesses.

Preliminary information indicates that there was a gathering of acquaintances at the residence. During this gathering, a physical fight broke out. During the fight, the three victims were stabbed with a knife. Michael Major, described as a 38-year-old Black male, was taken into custody for committing the stabbings. He was treated at a local hospital for non-life-threatening injuries sustained during the fight and is currently being booked into county jail on two counts of murder.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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