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Homicide Investigation in Colina Del Sol Neighborhood

San Diego – On December 21, 2023, at approximately 7:45 p.m., two San Diego Police officers assigned to Mid City Division were driving in the 4900 block of El Cajon Boulevard when they witnessed a shooting. An unknown suspect or suspects fired from the passenger side of a dark colored SUV and sped away westbound on El Cajon Boulevard. The officers saw a victim down in the street and immediately stopped to render aid while notifying other officers in the area to look for the vehicle.

Paramedics arrived and transported the victim to a local hospital where he was pronounced deceased. The victim was shot at least one time in the upper torso. The victim has not yet been identified. He is described as a Black male, possibly in his 20's or 30's.

San Diego Police Homicide Detectives were called to the scene and began investigating the shooting. Preliminary information indicates that the victim was riding a bicycle westbound on El Cajon Boulevard. The suspect vehicle was also driving westbound on El Cajon Boulevard. Prior to the shooting, there was some sort of interaction between the victim and the SUV, possibly an argument.

There is no other information to be released regarding the suspect or suspects at this time. The dark colored SUV has not been located. Detectives continue to work to determine the circumstances surrounding the shooting. Detectives are gathering and reviewing evidence and interviewing potential witnesses.

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

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