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**Victim Identified in Stabbing Death of Male in North Park, Arrest Made**

**San Diego** – On Sunday, July 2, 2023, at 11:55 p.m., the San Diego Police Communications Center received a call reporting a stabbing that had just occurred inside an apartment in the 3800 block of Alabama Street in the North Park Neighborhood of San Diego. Officers from Mid-City Division were dispatched and arrived within two minutes of the original radio call. Upon arriving, they found a male suffering from multiple stab wounds to his chest. Officers attempted to perform life-saving measures until paramedics from San Diego Fire-Rescue arrived. Unfortunately, despite the best efforts of officers and medical personnel, the male's injuries were grave and he was pronounced deceased at the scene.

San Diego Police Homicide Detectives were called to the scene and are currently investigating the incident. It is still early in the investigation and little is known about the circumstances leading up to the male's death. However, detectives have learned the victim shares an apartment with two other males, who are related as father and son. For reasons that are still under investigation, the victim was attacked by the son of his roommate, who stabbed him multiple times. At this time, it is unknown what events led up to the male being stabbed. However, there appears to have been an ongoing dispute in regard to the living situation between the suspect and the victim. Homicide detectives are currently processing the scene for physical evidence, attempting to locate surveillance video and attempting to locate any witnesses who may be able to provide more information on the events leading up to the stabbing death of the male.

The deceased male has been identified as John Christian Baquera of San Diego. He is described as a 58-year-old white male.

The suspect has been identified as Jonathan Robert Camp of San Diego. Camp is described as a 39-year-old white male. Camp was arrested and booked into jail for one count 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.