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POLICE INVESTIGATE STABBING DEATH IN HILLCREST

(San Diego) San Diego Police Homicide unit detectives are investigating the stabbing death of a male in Hillcrest early this morning.

This morning, at 2:27 a.m., officers responded to a report of an injured male lying on the sidewalk in front of a business located at 1050 University Avenue. Police officers arrived with paramedics, and found a Hispanic male suffering from an apparent stab wound. The victim was transported to a local trauma center for emergency treatment. Life saving measures were performed, however the 25-year-old male died as a result of the injuries.

The preliminary investigation is on-going, and the motivation for the attack and/or person(s) responsible has not been determined. The decedent, 25, has been positively identified but his name is being withheld pending notification of family members.

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

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