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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
February 3, 2017

VPD Report Number: 14-00286

Date/Time Occurred: 1/8/2014 2245 hours

Type of Incident: Homicide

Location: 600 Blk W Beech / Whitendale Park

Name of Business (if applicable):

NA

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Ryan Son

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Yes

Details: On 1/8/2014 at approx. 2245hrs the Visalia Police Department responded to 600 W Beech (Whitendale Park) to the report of shots fired. Upon arrival officers located a deceased male subject. Violent Crimes Detectives are on scene, the investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact Detective Chris Jennings at 734-8116.

*****UPDATE*****

The victim from the homicide that occurred at Whitendale Park, 600 W. Beech has been identified as Eric Osborne, age 32, from Fresno.

*****UPDATE*****

Since the incident, Violent Crimes Detectives have continued to investigate this case. On February 2, 2017, an arrest warrant was issued for Suspect Ryan Son. Immediately, Violent Crimes Detectives began searching for him. At approximately 1530 Hours, Suspect Son was located at a residence in the 2400 Block of W. Fairview and taken into custody without incident. He was interviewed and later booked into Tulare County Jail for Homicide, Robbery and other charges related to the incident. Another suspect, James Silas Jr., was convicted of this crime in 2015.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: VPD Patrol /Violent Crimes Unit

Supervisor: Sgt. D. Maurice



