5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ALABAMA

Chambers, Macon, Randolph & Tallapoosa Counties

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5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE ANNOUNCES ARREST IN MURDER INVESTIGATION

ALEXANDER CITY, Ala., February 28, 2023 -- On February 10th, the Alabama 5th Judicial Circuit District Attorney's Office was notified of a body located near the intersection of County Road 2 and Cross Keys Road in Macon County, Ala. This body was believed to be that of Jessica Bean, a 39-year-old female of Montgomery, Ala., who had been reported missing earlier in the week. Ms. Bean was believed to be pregnant at the time of death.

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The ensuing investigation led to the arrest of 28-year-old male Darrian Doqwon Kennebrew of Tallassee, Ala. on February 23rd, and a 26-year-old female Desirea Driscol of Tallassee, Ala. on February 27th. Both have been charged with Capital Murder and pursuant to "Aniah's Law" are being held without bond. Additional charges may be forthcoming as a result of the ongoing investigation. There are currently no other suspects. At this time, the District Attorney's Office intends on seeking the death penalty for these charges. All suspects are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

The events that give rise to these arrests are believed to have taken place on the afternoon of Sunday, February 5th. Anyone with any information should contact the Alabama State Bureau of Investigation at 1-800-392-8011.

Thank you to the efforts and cooperation of all participating agencies including the Alabama State Bureau of Investigation, the Alabama Law Enforcement Agency, the Macon County Sheriff's Office, the Tallapoosa County Sheriff's Office, the City of Montgomery Police Department, the City of Tallassee Police Department, the City of Shorter Police Department, and the District Attorney's Office of Alabama's 5th Judicial Circuit.

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