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Statement Regarding Homicide – April 24, 2023 – MPD Case #2023-165133

On April 24, 2023 at 4:09 p.m., MPD responded to a business at 1330 S. Midvale Blvd. where officers located a deceased 43-year-old female. The victim's identity and cause of death will be eventually released by the Medical Examiner's office. An autopsy of the victim is scheduled for Wednesday, April 26.

Police are seeking to speak with a person of interest, the victim's husband, 37-year-old Jose D. Duenas-Quinonez.

The victim's 6-year-old daughter, whom she shares with Mr. Duenas-Quinonez, was initially unaccounted for but determined to be with her father. With assistance from the FBI, it has been determined that Mr. Duenas-Quinonez has left the country with his daughter.

Yesterday afternoon, MPD pursued issuing an Amber Alert for the child. We worked with the WI DOJ to issue the alert. A statewide Wisconsin Crime Alert Bulletin was issued as part of this process. When it was determined that Mr. Duenas-Quinonez left the country with his daughter, the Alert was cancelled due to the restricted broadcast geography of the Alert.

Our Violent Crime Unit is working this investigation concurrently with the FBI.

We offer our deepest condolences to the family of the victim in this tragic incident.

We will provide additional updates as they become available to us.