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PRINCE DISAPPEARANCE DECLARED A HOMICIDE

Temple Terrace Police Department Offers \$100,000 Reward

TEMPLE TERRACE, FL. – (1/10/13) – The 2006 disappearance of Sandra Hamby Prince has officially been classified as a homicide by the Temple Terrace Police Department, police officials announced during a news conference Thursday.

Investigators believe Prince (DOB 3/24/46) was murdered sometime between Dec. 28, 2005 to Jan. 3, 2006, said Temple Terrace Police Chief Ken Albano.

Prince, who lived at 11507 Moffat Place, Temple Terrace, was last seen by a co-worker at her place of employment, ACTS, a substance abuse rehabilitation center, on Dec. 28, 2005.

A concerned neighbor reported Prince missing on Tuesday, Jan. 3, 2006. Upon arrival at Prince's residence, police found the back door of the house unlocked. Upon further investigation, police discovered a significant amount of Prince's blood.

During the early stages of the investigation, police named Earl Pippin (DOB 11/12/53) as a person of interest in the case. Pippin and Prince were involved in a lengthy intimate relationship at the time of her murder. He now lives in the Lake Panasoffkee area of Sumter County and remains a person of interest in the case.

The Temple Terrace Police Department is offering a \$100,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for Prince's murder.

If you have any information about this crime, or any information that may be useful to investigators, contact the Temple Terrace Police Department at (813) 989-7110.

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