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CORONER'S OFFICE UPDATE ON SUSPECTED HEAT-RELATED DEATHS IN SACRAMENTO COUNTY

The Sacramento County Coroner's Office is currently investigating five possible heat-related deaths. The first death occurred on July 22, 2006 at 4425 12th Ave. Sacramento. **Alma Marie Guidera**, age 84 (02-22-1922) died at her home after complaining to her neighbor of being hot. After a pathological examination it has been confirmed that the cause of death is Environmental Hyperthermia.

The death of **Myrna Gladys Flosi**, age 82 (02-06-1924) was reported to the Coroner's Office on July 24, 2006. The subject was declared dead at 0834 hours in her residence at 75 Redwood Lane, Folsom. The pathological examination has not been performed. The preliminary results of the examination are not expected until tomorrow afternoon.

The death of **Audrey Georgina Proudlock**, age 81 (07-07-1925) was reported to the Coroner's Office on July 24, 2006. The subject was declared dead at 1941 hours at her residence at 7500 Pintail Circle, Citrus Heights. The pathological examination has not been performed. The preliminary results of the examination are not expected until tomorrow afternoon.

Today, July 25, 2006, two deaths in the Golden Hotel located at 1010 ½ 10th Street were reported to the Coroner's Office. Two male adults, ages 79 and 80, were discovered deceased today in their rooms by hotel staff. Their names are being withheld until the next of kin are notified. Pathological examinations have not been performed at this time. The preliminary results of the examinations are not expected until tomorrow afternoon.

A 76 year old male adult was discovered today in the Congress Motel, 906 12th Street, Sacramento. His room was not air conditioned and very warm but the scene investigation determined that the subject has been deceased for several days. Because it is uncertain when the subject died, the Coroner's office will not be able to confirm that this death is heat-related. A pathological examination has not been performed at this time. The preliminary results of the examination are not expected until tomorrow afternoon.

For more information, contact the Sacramento County Coroner's Office at (916) 874- 9320 or online at www.saccounty.net/coroner.

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