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## ATTORNEY GENERAL *of* TEXAS

### CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

## Agency Information

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CDR Number: 19-480-UF

Version Type: ORIGINAL  
VERSION

Report Date: 5/22/2019 2:55 PM

Status: Submitted

## Agency/Facility Information

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Agency Name: Baytown Police  
Dept.

Agency Address: 3200 North Main St

Agency City: Baytown

Agency State: TX

Agency Zip: 77521

## Director Information

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Director Salutation: Chief

Director First Name: Charles

Director Middle Name: K

Director Last Name: Dougherty

Reporter Name: Ernesto Yznaga

Reporter Email: ernie.ynaga@baytown.org

## Decedent Information

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## Identity of Deceased

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First Name: Pamela

Middle Name: Shantay

Last Name: Turner

Suffix: Ms.

Date of Birth: 4/8/1975

Sex: Female

Race: Black or African  
American

Age At Time Of Death: 44

Date/Time of Custody (arrest, incarceration) (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

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Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 5/13/2019 10:44  
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Date/Time of Death (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

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Death Date and Time: 5/13/2019 10:51  
PM

## Manner / Cause of Death

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Has a medical examiner or coroner conducted an evaluation to determine a cause of death?

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Medical Examiner/Coroner Evaluation?: Yes, results are  
available

What was the manner of death? (select only one)

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Homicide (includes

Manner of Death: Justifiable  
Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

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Medical Cause of Death:

Gunshot wounds

Had the decedent been receiving treatment for the medical condition that caused the death after admission to your jail's jurisdiction?

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Medical Treatment: Not Applicable

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, who caused the death?

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Who caused the death?: Law  
enforcement/correctional  
personnel

If a weapon caused the death, what type of weapon caused the death? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

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Type of weapon that caused  
death?: Handgun

Was the cause of death the result of a pre-existing medical condition or did the decedent develop the condition after admission?

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Pre existing medical  
condition?: Not Applicable;  
cause of death was  
accidental injury,  
intoxication, suicide  
or homicide

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, what was the means of death?

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Means of Death: Firearm

## Location / Custody Information

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Where did the event causing the death occur?

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Street Address: 1601 Garth Rd

City: Baytown

County: Harris

Zip: 77520

What location category best describes where the event causing the death occurred?

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Location Category: Parking lot/garage

What type of custody/facility was the Decedent in at the time of death:

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Type of Custody: Pre-Custodial Use  
of Force

Specific type of custody/facility:

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Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

N/A

What was the time and date of the deceased's entry into the law enforcement facility where the death occurred (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

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Entry Date Time: 5/13/2019 10:51  
PM

Where did the death occur?

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Death Location: Scene of incident

## General Information

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Did any other law enforcement agencies respond to calls for service related to this incident?

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Other Agencies Respond?: No

What were the most serious offense(s) with which the deceased was (or would have been) charged with at the time of death?

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Offense 1:

Felony Assault of a Peace Officer

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

Were the Charges:: Not filed at time of death

What were the types of charges or reason for contact? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

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Type of Offense: Other, specify

Type of Offense, Other:

Criminal Mischief Warrant and Misdemeanor C Assault Warrant

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent display or use a weapon?

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Decedent display/use of weapons: Yes, mark all that apply

Decedent Display or Use Weapon Details: Used other weapon, specify:

Specify Weapon Used:

Taser

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Attempt to Injure Others?: Yes (select all that apply)

Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others: Injured law enforcement personnel

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs): No

Make suicidal statements?: No

Exhibit any mental health problems?: No

Exhibit any medical problems?: No

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Barricade self or initiate standoff?: No

Resist being handcuffed or arrested?: Yes

Physically attempt/assault officer(s): No

Gain possession of officer's weapon: Yes

Verbally threaten other(s) including law: No

Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody: Yes

Attempt gain possession officer's weapon: Yes

Was the deceased under restraint in the time leading up to the death or the events causing the death?

Under Restraint: No

## Summary of Incident

Summary of How the Death Occurred: (max. 30,000 characters)

Summary:

Officer and Deceased lived in the same apartment complex. Officer knew the Deceased by name and sight. On the night of the incident Officer saw the Deceased walking inside the apartment complex and the Officer

had previous knowledge of arrest warrants for the Deceased. The Officer made contact and attempted to take the Deceased into custody. The Deceased resisted arrest. It was then the Officer used his department issued Taser on the Deceased without affect. During a struggle, the Deceased took away the Officer's Taser weapon and used it on him. The Officer drew his department issued firearm and shot the deceased.