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PRESS RELEASE

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Fatal Shooting

(Ravenel, S.C.) On August 16, 2015, shortly after 2:00 a.m., this morning, Charleston County Sheriff's Office deputies were dispatched to the Kangaroo Gas Station located at 6303 Savannah Hwy in Ravenel to investigate a report of shots being fired. Upon our deputies' arrival on scene, several shell casings were discovered in the parking lot. The individuals responsible for the shooting had already fled the scene prior to our deputies' arrival. A short while later, a victim with gunshot wounds arrived at St. Francis Hospital. Subsequently, the victim was transported to the Medical University of South Carolina, where the victim later died. Based on preliminary investigation, our deputies were able to determine that the victim was shot at the Kangaroo Gas Station. The motive for the shooting is unknown by our detectives.

Currently, our detectives have not been able to identify any suspects in this investigation. The Charleston County Coroner's Office will identify the victim and the manner of death.

Anyone with information about this shooting is asked to call CrimeStoppers at 843.554.1111 or the Charleston County Consolidated dispatch center at 843.743.7200. You can also submit a tip to us directly by visiting the Charleston County Sheriff's Office website at www.ccso.charlestoncounty.org.

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