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Early Morning Dispute Leads To the Death of Two Security Officers

On December 30, 2017 at approximately 6:37 a.m. LVMPD officers were dispatched to a hotel and casino located at 740 South Decatur Boulevard to investigate a report of two security officers who were shot. Arriving LVMPD officers were advised the suspect, who was described as a Hispanic male adult, had been seen running into a nearby residential neighborhood. A perimeter was quickly established covering Brush Street and several blocks on Evergreen Place. Officers received information that a Hispanic male suspect tried to forcefully enter a residence at the 5000 block of Evergreen Place. As officers arrived at the residence, they found a subject with what appeared to be a self-inflicted gunshot wound to the head. This subject is believed to be the same suspect from the hotel shooting. He was transported to UMC Trauma with a non-survivable wound.

The investigation initiated by the LVMPD Homicide Section indicated a female hotel guest called the security office and advised that the two males with whom she had a dispute had kicked her out of her room. Two security officers responded and were shot while inside the room. One of the security officers was armed, but she did not draw her weapon. Responding security officers and medical personal attempted to render aid but both injured security officers had succumbed to their injuries and were pronounced deceased by medical personnel.

The suspect has been identified as 29 year old Christopher Olague.

The identity of the deceased victims, as well as the cause and manner of death, will be released by the Clark County Coroner's Office.

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Anyone with any information about this incident is urged to contact the LVMPD Homicide Section by phone at 702-828-3521, or by email at homicide@lvmpd.com. To remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 702-385-5555, or on the internet at www.crimestoppersofnv.com. Tips leading directly to an arrest or indictment processed through Crime Stoppers may be eligible for a cash reward.

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