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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Monday, April 25, 2016 in the 3900 block of Richard Arrington Boulevard North (East Birmingham Lounge).

The victim's name is being withheld pending next of kin notifications.

On Monday, April 25, 2016 around 4:00 am, officers from the South Precinct responded to the listed location on a person shot. Upon arrival, Officers learned two people were shot at the location. One victim went to UAB hospital and the second victim went to the fire station first before being transported to UAB hospital by Birmingham Fire and Rescue. The victim later died from his injuries.

Preliminary Investigation revealed the victim got into an altercation with someone inside the club. According to a witness, there was a private party being held when the shooting started inside the club and which ended outside of the club. It appears it was more than one shooter due to the three dozen shell castings found inside and outside the club. No suspects have been identified at this time. "It is a miracle that more people were not injured in this modern day shootout. Senseless."

If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, please contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.