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## **Homicide Investigation Update**

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives have received a ruling in connection with a homicide investigation. The incident occurred on Friday, January 25, 2019 at approximately 2:55 a.m. at 3813 Richard Arrington Jr. Boulevard.

During the course of the investigation it was determined that the first victim (Wright) was shot by the second victim (Kelly).

The first victim has been identified as:

**LaQuintin Deon Wright, B/M, 29, of Birmingham, Alabama.**

Officers also learned that the second victim (Kelly) was shot by a third subject as Kelly shot the first victim (Wright). The third subject was identified and BPD Homicide Investigators presented the information gathered on the case to the Jefferson County District Attorney's office for review. Following the assessment of the information, the Jefferson County District Attorney's office ruled the shooting of the second victim (Kelly) as **justifiable**.

The second victim/suspect has been identified as:

**JaGorren Jimmie Kelly, B/M, 33, of Birmingham, Alabama.**

**No warrants will be pursued in this investigation.**

**Refer to media release #20 of 2019 for additional information on this case.**

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