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Press Release

Death of Inmate Christopher Wallace

An offender incarcerated at James T. Vaughn Correctional Center (JTVCC) in Smyrna died this morning. Christopher Wallace (DOB 1/17/1990) was pronounced dead at Kent General Hospital at 6:26 a.m. The cause of death was an apparent suicide by hanging in his cell at JTVCC.

Wallace, of Cocoa, FL, was serving a life sentence plus five years on a conviction of first-degree murder and possession of a deadly weapon during the commission of a felony. His sentence began on Nov. 30, 2005.

Wallace's body has been turned over to the State Medical Examiner's Office, as is standard procedure. No foul play is suspected.

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