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PRESS RELEASE

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## **FATAL SHOOTING**

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a fatal shooting that occurred on Tuesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at approximately 12:56 P.M. The incident took place in the 1700 block of Northwest 6<sup>th</sup> Court in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department received a report of shots fired at this location. When the officers arrived, they discovered one male victim lying in the parking lot of Ray's Meat Market, located at 1707 Northwest 6<sup>th</sup> Street, and another male victim lying in the roadway of Northwest 6<sup>th</sup> Street.

Detectives learned the victims were engaged in a verbal disturbance with three unknown suspects. This disturbance quickly escalated into a physical altercation when one of the suspects brandished an unknown firearm. When the victims attempted to flee the suspect began firing at them.

The victims have been identified as Seibert H. Prescott, B/M, 12/01/50 and Roger O. Bennett, B/M, 09/11/83, both residents of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Prescott and Bennett were transported to Broward Health Medical Center and were later pronounced deceased.

This is an active and on-going investigation. Homicide Detectives are pursuing all leads. Anyone with information can contact Detective Mark Breen at 954-828-5708.

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