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Arrest Made in a Homicide: 5100 Block of Southern Avenue, Southeast

(Washington, DC) – Detectives from the Metropolitan Police Department's Homicide Branch announce an arrest has been made in reference to a homicide that occurred on Wednesday, April 17, 2019, in the 5100 block of Southern Avenue, Southeast.

At approximately 4:33 pm, members of the Sixth District responded to the listed location for the report of a shooting. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male, suffering from a gunshot wound. DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services arrived on the scene and transported the victim to an area hospital. After all life-saving efforts failed, the victim was pronounced dead.

The decedent has been identified as **57 year-old Barry Holmes**, of Temple Hills, MD.

On Tuesday, April 30, 2019, pursuant to a DC Superior Court arrest warrant, members of the Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force located and arrested **29 year-old Terrance Barnes**, of Southeast, DC. He has been charged with **First Degree Murder while Armed**.

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