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*** NEWS RELEASE ***

\$15,000 Reward Offered

Berkeley, California (Thursday, September 21, 2006) –Berkeley Police Chief, Douglas Hambleton recommended the maximum amount of reward money allowed by the City of Berkeley to be offered in this case, where Oakland resident Wayne Drummond Jr. was murdered. Berkeley's City Manager Phil Kamlarz approved a \$15,000 reward to be offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for Berkeley's latest homicide as set forth in Resolution No. 59,824-NS (\$15,000.00 per victim).

Case Summary:

On September 4, 2006, at approximately 0140 hours, Berkeley Police and Berkeley Fire Paramedics responded to a 911 call from the area of 2300 Prospect Street.

Arriving responders located a non-responsive male. Efforts to revive the young male were unsuccessful. During treatment at the scene, Paramedics discovered that the victim, Wayne Drummond Jr. had been shot.

BPD Homicide Investigators have interviewed numerous individuals who were possible witnesses and continue with their investigation. To date, no credible tips have been phoned into the Investigators.

Berkeley Police Department Homicide Investigators are asking anyone with information about this case to give them a call at (510) 981-5900

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