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NEWS RELEASE

Teen Arrested in Northeast El Paso Murder

Date/Time: Monday, March 12, 2018 @ 2:25 a.m.
Location: 5250 Wren
Victim: 16 –year old Trevion Veal of El Paso, TX
Arrested: 17 – year old Moses Jack POPP of El Paso, TX

EL PASO, Texas – Crimes Against Persons (CAP) detectives have arrested and charged a 17-year old Moses Jack POPP with Murder in the death of 16-year old Trevion Veal that occurred on Monday, just before 3 a.m. Northeast patrol responded to a shots fired call just before 3 a.m., Monday at the apartment complex located at 5250 Wren. Officers found the victim lying in the parking lot deceased from a gunshot wound. CAP and Gang investigators were called to assist with the investigation, which revealed that the victim, POPP, and others had agreed to engage/conduct an illegal narcotics deal at the address. During the illegal narcotics transaction a firearm was produced and the victim was shot. The victim died at the scene. POPP was located later in the day and was booked into the El Paso County Jail for the offense of Murder. His bond was set at \$750,000.00. POPP's mug shot will be released as soon as its release will not compromise this on-going investigation. CAP and the Gang unit continue their investigation and more arrests are anticipated. This is the 3rd Murder of 2018 investigated by the El Paso Police Department. This investigation continues.

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