

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
MEDIA RELEASE

February 22, 2010

EVENT #: 100219-0658

**FOR IMMEDIATE
RELEASE**

Lt. Lew Roberts
Robbery/Homicide Bureau
828-3521

On February 19, 2010 at approximately 5:59 a.m., officers responded to the 5000 block of Pine Mountain street in regards to several gunshots being heard in the area. Upon officers arrival they were directed to a residence, where upon entry they discovered an African American male subject who was suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The victim was immediately transported to U.M.C. Trauma where he was pronounced deceased a short time later. As a result, homicide detectives were summoned to the scene and began conducting a preliminary investigation into this latest homicide.

As a result of the investigation, it has been determined that there was an argument at the residence in question between the victim and an unknown number of subjects, at which time a suspect who has been described as being an African American male produced a handgun and shot the victim multiple times. The suspect was seen fleeing the scene in an unknown direction. The investigation is ongoing and more details will be released as they become available.

The identity of the victim is being withheld pending notification of next of kin and autopsy by the Clark County Coroners Office. Anyone with information regarding this latest homicide are encouraged to contact Crime Stoppers at 385-5555 or the LVMPD Homicide Section at 828-3521.