SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY SHERIFF

SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA 93401

SUPPLEMENTAL INCIDENT REPORT

CASE NUMBER	SUPPLEMENT NUMBER
960610965	273
CASE TYPE	CAD EVENT NUMBER
MISSING	
REPORTING OFFICER	REPORT DATE
SLSO0587 - KENNY, DAVE	06/23/2014

INCIDENT

LOCATION					DATE	TIME
TRENT BUCKLE, , CA					06/23/2014	13:47
PREMISE NAME						
TRENT BUCKLE						
STATION	BEAT	RESP AREA		JURISDICTION		
ST24				SLSO		

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

☐ INC SUPP 1	☐ INC SUPP 3	
INC SUPP 1	INC SUPP 4	INC SUPP 6

SUSPECTS

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	NAME: LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE
163	SU	BUCKLE, TRENT VICTOR

HOME ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	MAILING ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE
697 CHORRO ST	SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA 93401		
EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	OCCUPATION
SELF			PHOTOGRAPHER
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE	OTHER PHONE	EMPLOYER PHONE

DOB	AGE	SEX	RACE	ETH	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	POB	RES	GANG IDENTIFICATION
01/20/1971	43	M	W		508	165	BLN	BLU			

DL NUMBER	DL ST	SSN	FBI ID	STATE ID	LOCAL	ID	ID
C7020532							

COMMENT

OTHERS

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	NAME: LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE
164	OT	VIRGILIO, ANGEL ROSANNA

HOME ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	MAILING ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE
38050 HIGHWAY 36E APT #8	MINERAL, CA 96063		
EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	OCCUPATION
LASSEN VOLCANIC NATIONAL			PARK RANGER
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE	OTHER PHONE	EMPLOYER PHONE

DOB	AGE	SEX	RACE	ETH	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	POB	RES	GANG IDENTIFICATION
02/15/1976	39	F	W		506	135	BLN	BLU			

DL NUMBER	DL ST	SSN	FBI ID	STATE ID	LOCAL	ID	ID
A4335770		572352858					

COMMENT

PROPERTY

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	TYPE	MAKE	MODEL
514	E	OTHER		

SERIAL NUMBER	QUANTITY	COLOR	COLOR	OAN	REF NO	EVIDENCE
					514	Y

DESCRIPTION	CUSTODY STATUS
SAN DIEGO PD INFO RE: BUCKLE	SUBMITTED

COMMENT

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	TYPE	MAKE	MODEL
515	E	53		

SERIAL NUMBER	QUANTITY	COLOR	COLOR	OAN	REF NO	EVIDENCE
	1				515	Y

DESCRIPTION	CUSTODY STATUS
DVD, INTERVIEW OF ANGEL VIRGILIO	SUBMITTED

COMMENT

STATUS

CASE STATUS	CASE STATUS DATE	DISPOSITION	DISPOSITION DATE	APPROVAL	APPROVAL DATE
DF	06/28/1996	A	02/11/2013	SLSO0520 - MANUELE, MICHAEL	06/25/2014

04/22/2021
6:001435

NARRATIVE

Report Purpose: To document information about Trent Buckle.

In reviewing this case, I located a Crime Stoppers tip received on 11-19-98 involving Trent Buckle. The call was received by Crime Prevention Specialist Terri Woods. The anonymous tipster called and related the following information:

Trent Buckle was convicted of PC 187 / homicide in Long Beach. Buckle left this area (Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo) soon after Smart case with only one semester left. Buckle was a "pimp" and "go between" for approximately ten strippers in San Luis Obispo. Buckle was a "street preacher" and was "very aggressive" person. Buckle was described as being "irrational and very strong." Buckle would go to bars at 2200 hours to preach to young girls. Between midnight and 0200 hours, he would drive the streets looking for people who needed a ride home so he could preach to them.

The tipsters were apparently two males and they believed that Kristin Smart may have been a "stripper" named "Roxie" who may have worked for Buckle. Buckle also drove a Ford Escort and at one time bought a Camaro.

I obtained several San Luis Obispo Police Department reports regarding Trent Buckle. One of the reports, dated 03-18-1996, related that Buckle was running an escort service in the San Luis Obispo area named "SLO Models." The escort or massage therapist that was cited for P.C. 647 (B)/ prostitution went by the nickname of "Genesis." Her real name was Angelita Roy (a.k.a. Angel Virgilio). There was a copy of the "New Times" ad for SLO Models within the classified section dated from March 14 to March 21, 1996. Within that ad, it contained the nicknames of the SLO Model employees including "Genesis" and "Roxy."

I located a Crime Stoppers tip that had been received on 06-12-96 from an anonymous tipster regarding an exotic dancer with the same nickname "Roxy." The tipster stated that he had a friend who worked for a "dance agency" and had seen a picture of "Roxy" the stripper and believed that she may have resembled Kristin Smart.

04-21-04 at 1315 hours, I spoke with Long Beach P.D. record's supervisor, Fannie. Buckle was cited for speed in 1997. The hard copy of the citation is no longer available, only information entered into the computer. The vehicle listed was a 96 Chevy Camaro, 2 door, black, CA license #3RMT660, and the address was 1900 E. Ocean Blvd.in Long Beach. Buckle did not have any further history with their agency and he was not listed as a suspect in any homicide.

On 04-21-04, I contacted the San Diego Police Department (SDPD) and spoke with a clerk who ended up locating the homicide case (SDPD #97-077228) involving Buckle and located the lead detective, Bob Donaldson. I left a voice mail for him to contact me.

On 04-21-04 at 1352 hours, I spoke with SDPD Det. Donaldson. He explained the circumstances of the homicide case. Buckle was residing in an expensive apartment / condominium complex in Long Beach. He was running an alcohol and escort / prostitute service with female college students as employees. He also worked as an escort for both males and females. He would place ads to get female roommates. In 1997, he had a 42 year old female roommate for a few months. He did not

want her as a roommate anymore but she would not leave. He wanted a younger female roommate.

Buckle strangled his roommate, placed cloth-type medical tape over her mouth, bound her hands with black and orange rope, placed her in an old refrigerator with cardboard boxes over her, drove her to San Diego in his Camaro and dumped her body. One of the boxes had his name on it, which ultimately led to his arrest. The victim had not been sexually assaulted.

Buckle did not have any prior history in San Diego. Buckle was arrested 12-02-97 and booked in San Diego County Jail. Buckle did not get released on bail. Buckle was convicted of second degree murder and sentenced to 15 years to life. On 10-10-01, Buckle appealed and had his judgment reversed. On 10-16-01, he was convicted of P.C. 192(a) / voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to 11 years in prison.

Det. Donaldson will review the report to determine if the evidence was still available. I requested that he review the report for any information or possible connection to Kristin Smart. I also asked him to search for a purple bra or any unidentified keys or key chain with a small surfboard on it.

In May of 2004, Det. Donaldson later contacted me and informed me that he checked through the case file and the evidence with negative results. He explained that their investigation showed that Buckle operated an escort service out of San Luis Obispo by the name of S.L.O. Models, Inc. prior to his move to Long Beach. Buckle started another escort service named Malibu Enterprises on 11-19-96. He looked through many of the photos of the models and did not locate any that resembled Kristin Smart. He also sent me a copy of information (RMS #514) related to their investigation.

On 06-11-09, Buckle was released from prison and discharged from parole in Long Beach.

07-22-09, I spoke with Chris Garcia, a SLO High School classmate who had just gone to his 20 year class reunion. He spoke with a friend of Buckles', Jimmy (James) Bonsangue, at the reunion and received information about Buckle. Buckle had stated that he "didn't do that murder" but he deserved to do time because "I've done things worse" (or something similar). Garcia will obtain contact information for Bonsangue.

On 09-21-09, Chief D.A. Investigator Hanley and I attempted to locate Buckle at his listed residence (697 Chorro Street in San Luis Obispo) and nobody was home. I went by the residence several times and was unable to locate any activity.

I conducted a Google search for Trent Buckle and located a business he has as ProImage Weddings (wwwproimageweddings.com) located at 6481 Atlantic Ave in Long Beach.

I obtained current address information from the California Department of Motor Vehicle for Angel Virgilio. I contacted the Tehama County Sheriff's Office and requested contact information for Virgilio. They did not locate any contacts.

On 10-06-09 at 1444 hours, I spoke with Angel Virgilio (a.k.a. Angelita Roy). The interview was digitally-recorded and later transferred to a DVD (RMS #515). The following is a summary of the interview (refer to the DVD for specific information):

She began employment with S.L.O. Models, Inc. in 1996 after answering an ad in the newspaper. She worked for the company for approximately six months. She thinks that she moved away in approximately May or June of 1996.She did not remember a dancer named "Roxy." She dealt with the manager that went by "Devin" (a.k.a. Trent Buckle). She remembered a few other employees, "Murriah" and "Austin", but could not remember their real names. Virgilio went by the name "Genesis" or "Jenna." She was not aware of any photos that were taken of the group of employees. She has not had any contact with any of the co-workers.

On 06-14-11 at 1430 hours, Detective Commander Hastie informed me that he had received a call from a subject, Gary Orback, with information provided from Ina Davenport.

On 06-16-11 at 1517 hours, I spoke with Ina Davenport and she provided information that she had received from her son, Tyler Mitchell. She provided the name of Todd Buckles (believed to be Trent Buckle) and said that she had been told that he was a "disturbed individual" and believed that Kristin Smart was on the "fringe" of the Christian group that Buckle was.

I have not located any information to substantiate that Kristin Smart was in fact an escort named "Roxy." Based on the information available, I have not found any direct connection between Kristin Smart and Trent Buckle.

The report (RMS #514) and DVD (RMS #515) were entered into evidence at the Sheriff's Property Office detective locker.

CLOSING STATEMENT

Case status active, investigation continuing.

/S/Detective D. Kenny #0587
DK/nr/06-23-14

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INCIDENT

LOCATION					DATE	TIME
ERNIE RIVAS, , CA					06/24/2014	13:44
PREMISE NAME						
ERNIE RIVAS						
STATION	BEAT	RESP AREA		JURISDICTION		
ST24				SLSO		

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

☐ INC SUPP 1	☐ INC SUPP 3	
INC SUPP 1	INC SUPP 4	INC SUPP 6

OTHERS

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	NAME. LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE
165	FI	RIVAS, ERNEST

HOME ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	MAILING ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE
2211 N HARBOR BLVD	OXNARD, CA 93036		
EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	OCCUPATION
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE	OTHER PHONE	EMPLOYER PHONE
(805) 8153071	(805) 6510560		

DOB	AGE	SEX	RACE	ETH	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	POB	RES	GANG IDENTIFICATION
10/03/1957	56	M	H								

DL NUMBER	DL ST	SSN	FBI ID	STATE ID	LOCAL	ID	ID
N3828451							

COMMENT

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	NAME. LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE
166	OT	VALADEZ, MARCO ANTONIO

HOME ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	MAILING ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE
EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE	OCCUPATION
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE	OTHER PHONE	EMPLOYER PHONE
(624) 1439596	(044) 1750685		

DOB	AGE	SEX	RACE	ETH	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	POB	RES	GANG IDENTIFICATION
02/14/1970	44	M	H		507	160	BLK	BRO			

DL NUMBER	DL ST	SSN	FBI ID	STATE ID	LOCAL	ID	ID
U6155716							

COMMENT

PROPERTY

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	TYPE	MAKE	MODEL
516	E	53		

SERIAL NUMBER	QUANTITY	COLOR	COLOR	OAN	REF NO	EVIDENCE
	1				516	Y

DESCRIPTION	CUSTODY STATUS
DVD, CONTACTS WITH ERNIE RIVAS	SUBMITTED

COMMENT

ENTRY NO	INVOLVEMENT	TYPE	MAKE	MODEL
517	E	53		

SERIAL NUMBER	QUANTITY	COLOR	COLOR	OAN	REF NO	EVIDENCE
	1				517	Y

DESCRIPTION	CUSTODY STATUS
DVD, INTERVIEW WITH ERNIE RIVAS AT ST 22	SUBMITTED

COMMENT

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