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**UPDATE**

**STATE POLICE INVESTIGATE HOMICIDE  
ON NEW HAVEN HIGHWAY ENTRANCE RAMP**

The investigation into the early Sunday morning stabbing of the male victim on the Orange Street entrance ramp to Rt. 34 in New Haven is continuing.

State Police Detectives have interviewed numerous witnesses to this crime. Detectives have also recovered physical and forensic evidence in this case.

The Office of the Chief State's Medical Examiner completed the post mortem examination today. The cause of death was determined to be multiple stab wounds. The case has been ruled a homicide.

The deceased is identified as THOMAS, Cleveland DOB: 7/15/74

153 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Mount Vernon, New York.

Anyone who has any information in this case is asked to contact State Police at 203 696-2500

State Police are continuing this investigation.

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