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POLICE DEPARTMENT
PRESS RELEASE

TODAY'S DATE: Monday – May 24, 2010
SUBJECT: Astoria Fire at 591 Commercial St. Update
CONTACT: Detective Andrew Randall

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

On Sunday, May 23, 2010, the investigation into the cause of the fire that started at 591 Commercial Street continued.

During the day and into the evening, members of the Clatsop County Fire Investigation Team, the Clatsop County Major Crimes Team, the Office of the Oregon State Medical Examiner, the Astoria Police Department, and the Clatsop County District Attorney's office worked at the scene of the fire and also followed up on other information.

An autopsy of the deceased subject that was found inside of the building is expected to be conducted today at the State Medical Examiner's Office.

The identity of the deceased subject is still being withheld at this time because the next of kin has yet to be identified and notified.

If anyone has information that they believe can assist with the investigation please contact Astoria Police Detective Andrew Randall at 503-325-4411, extension 24.