



# TARPON SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT

## MEDIA RELEASE

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CHIEF OF POLICE

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Time: 7:21 p.m.

Update to the below press release in reference to TS25-2216.

At approximately 6:45 p.m. officers of the Tarpon Springs Police Department arrested a juvenile male for first degree murder, in the shooting that occurred on the 1300 block of Starlight Cove. The suspect is identified 15 year old B/M Jerimiah Ashley, DOB 11/3/2009.

The Tarpon Springs Police Department has identified the victim as B/F Candice Stinson 8/26/88.

The investigation is on-going at this time. If there are any further witnesses to this incident, please contact Det. Melton at 727-938-2849.

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