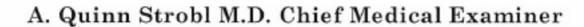


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Press Release

As of June 2, 2016, the Midwest Medical Examiner's Office has completed its death investigation of Prince Rogers Nelson. The Midwest Medical Examiner's Office hereby releases all public data relating to this death investigation as specifically defined in Minnesota Statute, Section 13.83, subd. 2. This public data includes the manner and cause of death. Under Minnesota law, all other medical examiner data is considered private or nonpublic data. The Medical Examiner's Office is unable to make any further comments about its death investigation of Prince Nelson.

The Carver County Sheriff's Office continues its investigation.

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Release of Public Data MN Statute 13.83 Subd 2

Deceased: Prince Rogers Nelson	DOB: 06/07/1958 DOD: 04/21/2016
Address: 7801 Audubon Road	Age: <u>57</u> Sex: <u>Male</u>
City: Chanhassen State: MN Zip	p: 55317 Name of spouse: NA
Marital status: Never married Divorce	ed Widowed Married Separated
Occupation: Artist Business: Musi	<u>c</u>
Citizenship: U.S.A. Race: Black/African American	Served in armed forces of United States: No
Decedent's place of birth: Minneapolis, MN	
Father's name: John L. Nelson	Birth name: Birthplace: unk
Mother's name: Mattie D. Nelson	Birth name: Shaw Birthplace: unk
Type of disposition: <u>Cremation</u>	Date of burial: unk
Burial place name & location: unk	
Funeral home: Cremation Society of Minnesota	Funeral director: Kevin J. Waterston
Place of death: Residence	Hospital: na
Date of injury: unknown Place of injury: Residence	
Death at work? No Address of injury: Residence	
How injury occurred: The decedent self-administered fentanyl	
Height: 63 inches Weight: 112 Hair color: Black Eye color: Brown Complexion: Light Build: Petite	
Identifying marks: na Scars & amputations: Scar, left hip; scar, right lower leg	
Description of decedent's clothing: black cap; black shirt; grey undershirt; black pants; black boxer briefs; black socks.	
Autopsy performed: Yes	
MANNER: Natural Accide	ent Homicide Suicide Undetermined
Cause: 1: Fentanyl toxicity	
2: <u>na</u>	
3: <u>na</u>	
4: <u>na</u>	
Other significant conditions: na	
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