



Bexar County Sheriff's Office

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SUBJECT: Female Body Found on IH 37 S. Identified

On January 11, 2009 the Bexar County Sheriff's Office recovered the body of a female on the bank of the San Antonio River near IH 37 S in south east Bexar County. The body was in an advanced state of decomposition and investigators believe she may have been there for about a week.

An autopsy has not immediately revealed a possible cause of death. Investigators are awaiting a toxicology report from the Medical Examiner to assist in identifying why she died.

The victim has been positively identified, through fingerprints, as Marie Jones (DOB: 11-26-77) of San Antonio. She has brown hair, wearing a green fleece shirt, green hooded sweat shirt, and blue jeans.

Anyone having any information is urged to contact the Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigation Division at (210) 335-6070.



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