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MEDIA ADVISORY: Couple In Fatal Fire Identified

Fresno County Sheriff Margaret Mims announced today that the couple killed in an explosion/fire on the morning of February 23 at 6445 N. Del Rey Ave. have been positively identified.

The bodies of 64 year old Lawrence Quin, and 54 year old Elaine Quin, were identified by the Fresno County Coroner's Office through dental records. The cause of death on both victims is still unknown pending further tests. However, Elaine Quinn did suffer from a single gunshot wound to the head. Based on the investigation thus far, Sheriff's detectives are treating the deaths as a possible murder-suicide.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Richard Gallegos at 488-3921 or the Sheriff's Department at 488-3111.