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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION ON BRIGHTSIDE DRIVE

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating a shooting that occurred last night around 6:05 p.m. in the 1000 block of Brightside Drive.

MICHAEL RILEY, 22 of 4759 Earl Gros Avenue along with his nephew, CARSON RILEY, 5 of 1130 Aster Street were struck by apparent gunfire while sitting in the back seat of a Honda Accord. MICHAEL RILEY succumbed to his injuries at the scene. CARSON RILEY succumbed to his injuries at a local hospital. The other occupants of the Honda were not injured.

Investigators believe the shots were fired into the Honda from a passing vehicle.

This investigation remains ongoing.

Anyone with information is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

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