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Inmate Death at FCI Terminal Island

WASHINGTON, D.C.: On Thursday, April 16, 2020, inmate James Lino was sent to the local hospital from the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) Terminal Island, in San Pedro, California, due to shortness of breath, coughing, generalized weakness and other symptoms, and testing positive for COVID-19. On Saturday, April 18, 2020, his condition declined and he was placed on a ventilator. On May 13, 2020, Mr. Lino, who had long-term, pre-existing medical conditions, which the CDC lists as risk factors for developing more severe COVID-19 disease, was pronounced dead by hospital staff.

Mr. Lino was a 65 year-old male who was sentenced in the District of Hawaii to a 34-month sentence for Conspiracy to Distribute and Possess Fifty Grams or More of Methamphetamine with Intent to Distribute. He had been in custody at FCI Terminal Island since February 14, 2019.

FCI Terminal Island is a low security facility that currently houses 1,042 male offenders in San Pedro, California.

The Bureau of Prisons will continue to provide daily updates and information on actions related to COVID-19 at www.bop.gov/coronavirus/index.jsp

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