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RE: Charges filed in Lakewood Homicide of Thomas Roberts

Jefferson County District Attorney Dave Thomas today filed charges against two men and two women accused in the death of Lakewood attorney Thomas Roberts. Co-workers were concerned when Roberts didn't show up for work and went to his house. He was ultimately found dead in his home on September 5, 2003.

Three people were arrested by Lakewood Police on Friday, September 12th. They are: Terry Leslie, Jr., DOB: 11-01-76, of Denver; Terri Ann Martinez, DOB; 11-01-60, of Denver; and Linda Rita Jane Garcia-Aguilar, DOB/4-13-75, also of Denver. Each of these three defendants has been charged with the following:

- Two counts of first degree murder (F1);
- First degree burglary (F3);
- Second degree burglary (F3);
- Felony theft (F4);
- Robbery (F4); and
- Conspiracy to commit robbery (F5).

Terry Martinez has also been charged with the following counts in addition to those listed above:

- Unauthorized use of a financial transaction device (F5);
- Attempted unauthorized use of a financial transaction device (F6); and
- Providing false information to a pawnbroker (F6)

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A fourth suspect is still at large and police are seeking the public's help in locating him. His name is Antonio (Tony) Aguilar, DOB: 4-28-78. A warrant has been issued for his arrest and he has been charged with two counts of first degree murder (F1); first degree burglary (F3); second degree burglary (F3); felony theft (F4); robbery (F4); and conspiracy to commit robbery (F5).

Photos of each were emailed to media groups this morning by Steve Davis at the Lakewood Police Department. If you did not receive the photos, you can contact Jim Shires at the Jeffco Sheriff's Office, 303-271-5601, or Pam Russell at the DA's Office, 303-271-6905.

Leslie, Martinez and Garcia-Aguilar are being held without bond at the Jefferson County Jail. They each have until September 29, 2003 to demand a preliminary hearing. The preliminary hearing will be their next court appearance (but, that date has not yet been set). They each face life in prison without the possibility of parole if convicted.

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