

## **Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force**

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## **AUTOPSY REPORT**

DATE OF AUTOPSY:	MAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> , 2024
NAME OF DECEASED:	JOELLE VANESSA HUGGINS
SEX:	FEMALE
AGE:	THIRTY-SIX (36) YEARS
ORIGIN/ADDRESS:	[NEVIS] SUGAR MILL GROVE, HAMILTON
CAUSE OF DEATH:	HYPOVOLEMIC SHOCK & MASSIVE HEMOTHORAX (LEFT SIDE) AS A RESULT OF MULTIPLE GUNSHOT WOUNDS TO THE BACK
PRECEDING INCIDENT:	On May 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2024, Ms Huggins was fatally shot in Hamilton, Nevis, while attempting to escape an attack by armed assailants. She was pronounced deceased at the scene.

<u>Examined by: Dr Adrian Nuñez, Resident Pathologist</u>
<u>Dr Naudica Phillip, Resident Pathologist</u>