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NEWS RELEASE

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Chatham County Police Department Recovers The Body of Worker Missing From Georgia Ports Authority

Chatham County, GA (October 30, 2020) – The Chatham County Police Department has recovered the body of a missing Georgia Ports Authority worker.

At approximately 5:20 p.m. on October 29, 2020, Chatham County Police Department officers were dispatched to 100 Gibbons Road for a report of a deceased person in the water. Chatham County Marine Patrol recovered the body, and Chatham County Police Department detectives identified the person as 70-year-old Jerome Williams. Williams was reported missing on October 27, 2020 after he fell into the water at the Georgia Ports Authority.

Williams' next of kin was notified. An autopsy will be conducted, however no foul play is suspected.

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