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INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State No.

Local No. 2846-06

25-41-0252-0046+47

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DECEDENT

PARENTS

INFORMANT

DISPOSITION

CAUSE OF DEATH

CERTIFIER

HEALTH OFFICER

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| 1 DECEASED—NAME (First, Middle, Last) Barbara A. Taliaferro | | | 2 SEX Female | | 3a TIME OF DEATH 2:45 P.M. | | 3b DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Yr.) November 21, 2006 | | |
| 4 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 312-50-2913 | | 5a AGE—Last Birthday (Years) 59 | 5b UNDER 1 YEAR Months Days | 5c UNDER 1 DAY Hours Minutes | 6 DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.) January 14, 1947 | | 7 BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) East Chicago, IN | | |
| 8a WAS DECEDENT A U.S. VETERAN? No | | 8b YEAR LAST SERVED IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? N/A | | 9a PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one. See instructions) HOSPITAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inpatient <input type="checkbox"/> ER/Outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> DOA OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence | | | | | |
| 9b FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number) Methodist Hospital South | | | | 9c CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH Merrillville | | 9d COUNTY OF DEATH Lake | | | |
| 10 MARITAL STATUS (Specify) Married | | 11 SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name) Clarence Taliaferro | | 12a DECEDENT'S USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life. Do not use retired) Administrative Assistant | | 12b KIND OF BUSINESS/INDUSTRY Clerical | | | |
| 13a RESIDENCE—STATE Indiana | | 13b COUNTY Lake | | 13c CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION Gary | | 13d STREET AND NUMBER 7433 Hemlock Ave. | | | |
| 13a ZIP CODE 46403 | 13i INSIDE CITY LIMITS <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes 13j ON A FARM? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | 14 CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA | 15 WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If yes, specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.) | | 16 RACE—American Indian, Black, White, etc. (Specify) Black | 17 DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (0-12) 2 College (1-4 or 5+) | | | |
| 18 FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last) Benjamin F. Collins, Sr. | | | | 19 MOTHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Maiden Surname) Audrey Begler | | | | | |
| 20a INFORMANT'S NAME (Type/Print) Clarence Taliaferro | | | | 20b MAILING ADDRESS (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State, Zip Code) 7433 Hemlock Ave., Gary, IN 46403 | | | 20c Relationship Husband | | |
| 21a METHOD OF DISPOSITION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Burial <input type="checkbox"/> Cremation <input type="checkbox"/> Removal from State <input type="checkbox"/> Donation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) | | | 21b DATE AND PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery, crematory, or other place) November 25, 2006 Fern Oaks Cemetery | | | 21c LOCATION—City or Town, State Griffith, IN | | | |
| 22a EMBALMER'S NAME Samuel Smith Jr. | | 22b EMBALMER'S LICENSE NO. 01019692 | | 23 WAS DEATH REPORTED TO CORONER? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | | | | | |
| 24a SIGNATURE OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR <i>Samuel Smith Jr.</i> | | 24b LICENSE NUMBER (of Licensee) 01019692 | | 25 NAME, ADDRESS, AND LICENSE NUMBER OF FUNERAL HOME Divinity Funeral Home - 83001570 3820 Pulaski Street, East Chicago, Indiana 46312 | | | | | |
| 26 PART I THIS PART IS TO BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE AND COMPLETE COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF DEATH ON FILE WITH THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT. IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) Ruptured Thoracic Aorta NOV 29 2008 Dissection of the Aorta Severe Hypertension Conditions, if any, which gave rise to the immediate cause, stating the underlying cause last Severe Hypertension | | 27 WAS DECEDENT PREGNANT OR 90 DAYS POSTPARTUM? (Yes or no) No | | | 28a WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED? (Yes or no) No | | 28b WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH? (Yes or no) | | |
| PART II Other significant conditions - Conditions contributing to death but not previously stated in Part I Coronary heart disease | | | | 27 WAS DECEDENT PREGNANT OR 90 DAYS POSTPARTUM? (Yes or no) No | | 28a WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED? (Yes or no) No | | 28b WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH? (Yes or no) | |
| 29a CERTIFIER (Check only one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CERTIFYING PHYSICIAN To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) as stated. <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH OFFICER On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) as stated. <input type="checkbox"/> CORONER On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) and manner as stated. | | 29b SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF CERTIFIER <i>[Signature]</i> | | | 29c MEDICAL LICENSE NO. 01059964A | | 29d DATE SIGNED (Month, Day, Year) 11/29/2006 | | |
| 30 NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO COMPLETED CAUSE OF DEATH (ITEM 26) (Type/Print) - NEI - J. THOMAS, MD. 200 EAST 89TH AVE MERRILLVILLE IN 46410 | | | | | | | | | |
| 31 HEALTH OFFICER'S SIGNATURE <i>Susan W Best, D.O.</i> | | | | | | 32 DATE FILED (Month, Day, Year) November 29, 2006 | | | |
| 33 MANNER OF DEATH <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input type="checkbox"/> Pending Investigation <input type="checkbox"/> Accident <input type="checkbox"/> Could not be Determined <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide <input type="checkbox"/> Homicide | | 34a DATE OF INJURY (Month, Day, Year) | | 34b TIME OF INJURY | | 34c IN WHAT FORM? (Yes/No) FILED | | 34d HOW INJURY OCCURRED | |
| | | 34a PLACE OF INJURY—At home, farm, street, factory, office building, etc. (Specify) | | 34e LOCAL TOWN, Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State) JUN 15 2007 12034 PEGGY HOLINGA KATONA LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR CP | | | | | |
| 34g DATE PRONOUNCED DEAD (Month, Day, Year) | | | | 34h MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT? (Yes or no) | | | | | |