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FIRE ON PRESIDENTIAL BOULEVARD IN PATERSON

PATERSON, NEW JERSEY:

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Passaic County Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes, Paterson Police Chief Troy Oswald, and Paterson Fire Chief Brian McDermott announce that at approximately 11:18 p.m., on Thursday November 14, 2019, police and fire personnel responded to a report of a fire condition at 125 Presidential Boulevard, in the City of Paterson. The structure consists of a residential apartment building. All occupants were able to safely evacuate. Two (2) Paterson Police Officers were treated for smoke inhalation at Saint Joseph's University Hospital in Paterson.

The investigation remains active and ongoing. More information will be released once it becomes available.

The Passaic County Prosecutor's Office asks anyone with additional information about this incident to contact us on our tips line at 1-877-370-PCPO or tips@passaiccountynj.org.

For media inquiries concerning this case, contact Senior Assistant Prosecutor Julie Serfess of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office at jserfess@passaiccountynj.org or at (973) 837-7718.