



## Press Release

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Subject: Body recovered off of Redondo Beach Pier

On April 27, 2012 at approximately 11:14 p.m., recreational divers discovered the body of a deceased male in the waters west of the Redondo Beach pier, at a depth of approximately sixty feet.

Redondo Beach Police Department was notified and the Los Angeles County Lifeguards recovered the body. The body of the deceased male was turned over to the Los Angeles County Coroners office for identification.

On April 14, 2012 at approximately 11:08 p.m., Redondo Beach Police Department received a 9-1-1 phone call about a man and a woman who had jumped into the water off of the Redondo Beach Pier. The male was later identified as David Thompson, 22 years old of Redondo Beach who had jumped off the pier into the Horseshoe beach area. David Thompson has been missing since he was reported jumping into the water.

Based on the circumstances of David Thompson's disappearance, it is believed that the body discovered on April 27, 2012 is possibly David Thompson. The Los Angeles County Coroner's office is in the process of confirming the identity of the found body.

This press release was prepared by Sergeant Shawn Freeman.