

Wisconsin DOJ Division of Criminal Investigation

ACISS Investigative 05-1776/167

Report Date: 12/14/2005

Primary Information

Description: TERESA MARIE HALBACH: Contact with WI State Crime Lab re: Halbach Vehicle  
 Occurrence From: 11/06/2005 00:00  
 Occurrence To: 11/06/2005 00:00  
 Dissemination Code: Agency  
 Reporting LEO: Fassbender, Thomas J (Appleton Special Assignments DCI)  
 Approval Status: Approved  
 Approved Date: 12/21/2005  
 Approved By: Kelly, Carolyn S (Madison Arson DCI)

Related Subjects

<u>Name</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Relationship</u>
Avery's Auto Salvage	Business	---	---	---	Subject of Interest
Halbach, Teresa Marie	Person	Female	White	03/22/1980	Victim

Related Vehicles

<u>Make</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Tag #</u>	<u>Tag Year</u>	<u>Relationship</u>
Toyota	Rav 4 truck	Dark Green	SWH582	1999	Victim's Vehicle

Record Status Information

Record Origination Operator: Knutson, Andrea L (DCI Appleton Field Office / Wisconsin Department of Justice DCI)  
 Record Origination Date: 12/15/2005 09:32  
 Last Update Operator: Kelly, Carolyn S (Wisconsin Statewide Intelligence Center DCI)  
 Last Update Date: 12/21/2005 15:44

Reporting LEO	Date	Supervisor	Date
Fassbender, Thomas J (Appleton Special Assignments DCI)		Kelly, Carolyn S (Madison Arson DCI)	9/12/2016

Narrative begins on the following page.

On Sunday, November 6, 2005, in the late afternoon or early evening while at the Avery salvage yard, 12930 Avery Road in the Town of Gibson, Wisconsin, S/A Thomas J. Fassbender had telephone contact with Crime Laboratory Analyst Steve Harrington. Analyst Harrington advised they had gained entry into Teresa Halbach's Toyota Rav4 vehicle. Analyst Harrington explained the Rav4 had been locked and they had to enlist the services of a locksmith to gain entry to the vehicle. Analyst Harrington advised that, upon entry to the vehicle, they did obtain a presumptive positive for the presence of blood in the front of the vehicle by the ignition and in back of the vehicle. Analyst Harrington advised they visually observed what appeared to be blood in the rear cargo area of the vehicle on the passenger side, and what appeared to be impressions caused by hair in the blood. Analyst Harrington described the amount of blood in the rear portion of the vehicle as a "very visual amount." Analyst Harrington advised they also observed visible palm prints on the vehicle.

S/A Fassbender asked Analyst Harrington if they observed a phone or camera inside the vehicle and he advised no. S/A Fassbender asked if they observed any flash cards inside the vehicle and he advised not at that time. He advised, however, that they had not completed a search of the vehicle.

No further information was provided and the contact was concluded.