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Cruelty to Animals

On February 03, 2018 at 8:03 pm, Hilltown Police responded to the 1400 block of Route 113 for the report of a male subject threatening members of the household, and who had possibly killed the family's pet dog. Upon police arrival, several large pools of blood were observed within the residence. Through investigation, Police determined that all family members were uninjured and that the pools of blood were from the pet dog. A cursory exterior search of the property was performed and the dog was located a short distance from the house discarded within a ditch. The dog, a 15 month old Mountain Cur, had severe and visible head trauma, and was deceased. A carpenter's claw hammer was later located inside the residence. The deceased dog was transported to the Bucks County SPCA, where a necropsy was performed. The necropsy determined that the dog suffered multiple skull fractures as a result of blunt force trauma. The actor was identified as Rony Arturo Garcia, 24, from the 1400 block of Route 113, Perkasio, PA. A Felony Arrest Warrant for Aggravated Cruelty to Animal has been obtained for Garcia. Police are seeking assistance from the public in locating Garcia, and fear he may be attempting to flee to his home country of Honduras. Anyone with information is asked to contact Hilltown Township Police at 215-453-6011 or a message may be left on the Anonymous Tip Line at 267-517-9119.



Rony Arturo Garcia