

READING COMPREHENSION

TEST # 14 “FIGHTING”

INCIDENT REPORT # 1

On Tuesday 4th November, 2008 at 1345 hrs Timor Leste Police received a telephone call about a fighting incident at the area behind Santa Cruz cemetery. The caller identified himself as Jose Lopes and stated he lives in a blue house at the rear of the cemetery. He stated he could hear loud shouting and screaming from an area to the south of the cemetery where cock fighting is regularly held. A Timor Leste Police patrol using call sign Dili-12 was immediately dispatched to the location and arrived at 1356 hrs.

FOLLOW UP REPORT # 1

Upon arrival, Dili-12 was met by Jose Lopes who pointed to a large group of males who were fighting at the entrance of Santa Cruz cemetery. Dili 12 immediately requested that a second police unit attend to assist. The second unit, Dili 14 arrived at 14.03 hrs.

The two patrols attempted to separate the males involved in the fight, however one male ignored police and punched a second male in the face five times using his right fist. The offending male is described as being 162cm tall, long dark curly hair in a ponytail, tattoo of a dragon on his right forearm, wearing a red t-shirt and black shorts with brown sandals. His name is Francisco Soares. Dili-12 arrested him and placed him in the rear of the police vehicle. He was taken to Dili watch house where he was kept until 08.00 hrs the next morning.

The victim Julius Ximines, aged 24 years is described as being 160 cm tall, short black hair, black moustache, wearing a blue shirt and blue denim jeans. He received bruising and swelling to the left side of his face and forehead and a cut to his right cheek which was bleeding. At 15.15 hrs a police forensic unit attended the scene and collected samples of blood on the ground, weapons used and items of clothing worn by persons involved in the fight.

FOLLOW UP REPORT # 2

At 09.15 hrs on 5th November Julius Ximines attended Dili Police Station and made a statement. He advised that he attended the Santa Cruz cemetery around lunch time on 4th November to watch the cock fighting. He drank about five cans of beer. About 30

minutes later he heard some males yelling at each other. He moved closer to see what was happening and a male with a tattoo of a dragon on his arm yelled at him 'get out of here or I'll hit you'. The male then punched him in the face five times. Julius Ximines did not know the name of the male and had never seen him before. Julius later attended Dili Hospital where he received 10 stitches to a cut on his right cheek. Police took photographs of the injuries on his face. Enquiries are continuing in relation to this investigation.

QUESTIONS: READING TEST # 14
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Family Name:..... First Name:
Country:.....Date of test:.....

Q1: At what date and time did the first Dili patrol arrive at the scene?

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Q2: Where was the large group of males fighting when Dili 12 arrived?

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Q3: What was the description of the male who punched Julius Ximines?

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Q4: What did Francisco Soares have on his arm?

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Q5: What injuries did Julius Ximines sustain?

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Q6: What did Julius Ximines drink?

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Q7: What did the forensic unit collect from the scene?

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Q8: Why did Julius Ximines go to Santa Cruz cemetery?

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Q9: What treatment did Julius Ximines receive for his injuries?

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Q10: What is the status of the investigation?

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