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### **Arrest Made in a Homicide: 1400 Block of Brentwood Parkway, Northeast**

(Washington, DC) – Detectives from the Metropolitan Police Department’s Homicide Branch have announced an arrest has been made in a homicide that occurred on Wednesday, August 18, 2021, in the 1400 block of Brentwood Parkway, Northeast.

At approximately 3:11 pm, members of the School Security Division were assisting with Safe Passage when they were alerted to an altercation at the listed location. Upon arrival, members located a juvenile male suffering from stab wounds. The victim was transported to a local hospital for treatment of life threatening injuries. After all life-saving efforts failed, the victim succumbed to their injuries and was pronounced dead. The suspect was apprehended by responding officers.

The decedent has been identified as **15 year-old Kemon Payne**, of Southeast, DC.

On Wednesday, August 18, 2021, a **16 year-old juvenile male**, of Southwest, DC, was arrested and charged with **Second Degree Murder while Armed**.

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