



DAUGHRITY ARRESTED FOR DOUBLE DRAKE MURDERS

Is The Popular Humanitarian Really A Murderer?

By Lysari Steel

There was outrage on the airwaves today as Mr Tristan Daughrity, the well-loved proprietor of humanitarian charity, Emerald Cross Aid, was arrested for the murder of two Drake Interplanetary technicians aboard the Fairchild.

Witnesses say that Mr Daughrity boarded the Fairchild via EVA at 0340 Fleet Time, before proceeding directly to the medical bay housing the two Drake employees. Once there, he threatened a CivSec Officer before proceeding to enter the bay and shooting the two men in the head. The two men died instantly.

“He was absolutely livid,” a nurse, who does not wish to be named, said to us. “I’ve never seen a man so full of rage. I heard him shouting about his daughter.”

Once the shots had been fired, Mr Daughrity submitted himself to CivSec’s custody without a fuss. He was loaded onto a Cutlass Blue and taken back to the RLNS

Accord, where he was to be held. However, upon disembarking the Cutlass Blue, Mr Daughrity assaulted one of the men assigned to him and was forced into restraints. Witnesses on the deck of the Accord stated that, “Tristan was acting like a man possessed.”

Since his incarceration, Mr Daughrity has not requested his customary “call”, nor has he requested visitation, though sources state that he plans to find his own lawyer.

Over the past few weeks Drake Interplanetary technicians have been no stranger to suspicious and damaging incidents. Investigations were already underway following the theft of the personal vehicle of Vice Admiral Taryn Vindex from the pad of the new civilian Kraken, the RLNS Accord, belonging to Zokjin. The thief, a Drake employee whose real name was Svetlana Federov, was killed during a capture attempt, though suspicions have fallen on the Drake technicians as a whole under fears that the woman in question may not have been working alone. The two employees sent to the medical bay were put there after an altercation between them and Councillor Pascal Rhet. When the Drake technicians refused the Councillor’s request to leave The Core, things turned ugly and the two men ended up with injuries after attacking Ms Rhet. The Councillor was unharmed during the event,



The RNLS Fairchild, where the murders took place

which was witnessed by one of the barmaids of The Core, Bernie McGloughlin. Candy Robbins, proprietor of The Core, was not present during the altercation and has not yet been available for comment.

Current speculation that the two events may be connected is rife throughout the fleet. Unconfirmed reports suggest that Councillor Rhet asked the men to leave The Core because their presence was making Bernie uncomfortable due to an attempted sexual assault by the pair. Rumours are therefore smattering the airwaves with questions such as, "is Tristan Bernie's father?" and "why keep his daughter a secret?"

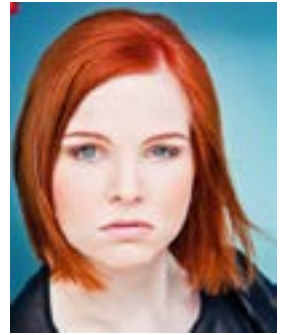
CivSec has yet to release an official statement regarding the killings and subsequent arrest, but inside sources suggest that a trial will start soon, once a judge and prosecutor has been appointed. There have also been reports of friction between the Admiralty and CivSec concerning this matter, but again, these reports have been unconfirmed.

In the absence of a Judge and Secretary of the Judiciary, the responsibility for representing or appointing a representative to the positions of Judge and Prosecutor rests on the shoulders of the Council of Lorell.

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All we currently know about Svetlana Federov

by Lysari Steel

Born in New Moscow, Svetlana Federov was a New Russian Foreign national under the employ of Drake Interplanetary under the name of Ivana Ivanova. The 26-year-old blonde beauty had previously been convicted of grand theft spacecraft for boosting the Phoenix of a New Moscow city councilman. Convicted and sentenced to five years in new Moscow penal farm, Fedorov was released early for good behavior. Since then she was suspected to be a part of numerous unsolved high profile ship thefts, but was never re-arrested due to a lack of evidence. Federov is believed to be related to head of Tsar Bomba crime syndicate, Dmyan Filipov. She died during the theft of an Origin 85X belonging to Vice Admiral Taryn Vindex, when the snub was shot and destroyed by CivSec pursuers.

Federov attended Terra University, graduating with a post graduate in advanced cybernetics, specialising in biometrics.