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**RE: Greenberg, Ellen (C16- 119)**

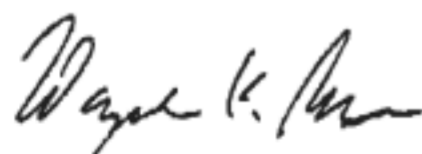
MATERIALS RECEIVED:

- Inspection Date of Organ Tissue- August 3<sup>rd</sup> 2016
- Scene Photographs
- Autopsy Report
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**After review of the above information, I can offer the following opinions to a reasonable degree of medical certainty:**

1. There was evidence of a stab wound which penetrated the cranial cavity and severed the cranial nerves and brain. As a result she would experience severe pain, cranial nerve dysfunction and traumatic brain signs and symptoms including numbness, tingling, irregular heartbeat and bradycardia, respiratory depression, neurogenic shock and impaired/loss of consciousness.
2. There was evidence of strangulation. There was a mark over the front of the neck which was consistent with a fingernail mark. There were multiple bruises under the neck and in the strap muscles over the right side of the neck. The patterns were compatible with a manual strangulation.
3. There were multiple bruises over the body some of which were fresh, many of which were older. The patterns were consistent with a repeated beating.
4. The scene findings were indicative of a homicide.

Should further information become available, we reserve the right to amend this report at that time.



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