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IRWIN COUNTY FIRE RULED ARSON

ATLANTA – A fire investigator with the Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner's Office has determined a house fire that occurred around 9:00 P.M. on Wednesday, July 31 in Irwin County was intentionally set.

"The wood-frame home is located at 219 Mildreds Lane in Wray, Georgia. The residence was around 1,150 square feet at the time of the fire. It has been determined that the fire originated in the rear entrance/laundry room area," said Safety Fire Commissioner John F. King. "The structure suffered major damage and was unoccupied at the time. The fire remains under investigation."

Safety Fire Commissioner John F. King is asking anyone with knowledge about this fire to call the Arson Hotline at 1-800-282-5804. Rewards are offered of up to \$10,000 for information that leads to the arrest and conviction of the arsonist(s). Calls are taken 24 hours a day and callers can choose to remain anonymous.

The Irwin County Sheriff's Office is assisting with this investigation.

