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WALTON COUNTY FIRE RULED ARSON

ATLANTA – Fire Investigators with the Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner's Office have determined a fire that occurred just after 4:00 P.M. on May 11 at a Walton County residence was intentionally set.

"The fire appears to have been set to the exterior wall of the rear bedroom in the home located at 1435 Creek View Drive in Monroe, Georgia. Thankfully, the owner of the home was able to safely escape and alert the authorities," said Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner John F. King. "If you have any information on the individual or individuals responsible, I ask that you call my Fire Investigations Unit 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.

Commissioner King's Fire Investigations Unit is assisting the City of Monroe Fire Department and Police Department with this investigation.

