



DALLAS FIRE-RESCUE PRESS RELEASE

ARREST MADE IN THE HARVEY'S RACQUET CLUB FIRE

Dallas Fire-Rescue and Dallas Police Department are in the process of filing capital murder charges against Percy Ernest Hill - DOB 9-18-85. Mr. Hill has admitted to starting the fire at Harvey's Racquet Club that resulted in two fatalities and multiple injuries. Mr. Hill started the fire by lighting a piece of paper on fire and placing it in a cardboard box on a sofa, which had been placed in the hallway over the weekend. Two witnesses who were with him independently corroborated his story.

At this point DPD will file the official criminal charges.

Two of the injured are still in the hospital. A 25-year-old male is in good condition recovering from injuries sustained from jumping from the building. A 54-year-old male is still in ICU in stable condition with fractures, internal injuries and burns.