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FACIAL RECONSTRUCTION RELEASED IN HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION

The Calhoun County Sheriff's Office in conjunction with The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (SLED) are releasing a 3-D facial reconstruction or clay rendering of what a female victim may have looked like before she died.

Although the exact cause of her death is not known at this time, Sheriff Thomas Summers is treating this case as a homicide.

The woman's partial, skeletal remains were found on September 27, 2008 in a wooded area of north western Calhoun County, near Saint Matthews, S.C.

According to a forensic pathologist, the remains may have been there between one to five years.

Investigators believe she was white, between the ages of 40 to 44 with blondish/brown hair and stood approximately 5'6" tall.

Investigators collected additional evidence at the scene, including a black, cotton nightshirt with a bear design on it containing the words "Beary Heavenly."

Summers and SLED agents continue to ask for the public's help in identifying the woman.

If someone recognizes the face in the clay rendering or the design on the nightshirt, they are urged to call the **Calhoun County Sheriff's Office at (803) 874-2741 or CrimeStoppers at 1-888-CRIME-SC.**

The 3-D facial reconstruction was made by forensic artist, Special Agent Debbie Goff who is with SLED's Behavioral Science Unit.

