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MAYS LANDING – A 25-year-old Virginia man discovered on the New York Avenue beach in Atlantic City Thursday morning died from a gunshot wound to the head and drowning, Atlantic County Prosecutor Ted Housel announced.

At 8:30 a.m. members of the Atlantic City Police Department responded to the beach where they found the body of a man, later identified as Antwone Lee Robbins. Law enforcement officers left the body uncovered awaiting the arrival of the medical examiner so as not to add foreign material to the crime scene.

Dr. Hydow Park arrived a short time later and pronounced Robbins, of Alexandria, dead. He performed the autopsy Thursday afternoon.

The matter is under investigation by the Atlantic City Police Department and the Prosecutor's Office Major Crimes Unit. Law Enforcement officers are seeking information from anyone who was in the area of New York Avenue in Atlantic City early Thursday morning.

Anyone with information involving serious crimes is asked to call the Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office Major Crimes Unit at 609-909-7666 or go to the Prosecutor's Office Web site at <http://www.acpo.org/tips.html> and provide information by filling out the form anonymously on the Submit a Tip page. People can also call Crime Stoppers at 609-652-1234 or 1-800-658-8477 (TIPS). Crime Stoppers offers cash rewards for information leading to the arrest and indictment of those who commit crimes in Atlantic County.