



Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner

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REWARD OFFERED IN COOK COUNTY ARSON

ATLANTA – Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner Ralph Hudgens said investigators with his Fire Unit has ruled a weekend house fire in Cook County arson.

The fire, which Sunday around 11 a.m., at 215 E. 10th Street in Adel, Ga., originated in the living room area of the home. Investigators determined that available materials were used to start the blaze, Hudgens said. The fire was reported by the homeowners who discovered the blaze after returning to the residence after an out of town trip.

Commissioner Hudgens is asking anyone with information about this fire to call the Arson Hotline at 1-800-282-5804. Rewards of up to \$10,000 are given for information leading to the arrest and conviction of an arsonist. Calls are taken 24 hours a day; callers can choose to remain anonymous.

The Adel Police Department and Adel Fire Department are assisting with the investigation.