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LA NIT DE L'ART IS PROMISING SOMETHING NEW AND VERY SPECIAL FOR PALMA THIS YEAR

TWO ROCK CLIMBERS FALL TO THEIR DEATH IN MAJORCA

Palma.—The Guardia Civil, the Maritime Safety Agency and local police were mobilised yesterday at around 1pm to help a group of four rock climbers, all of them male and in their forties, after two of them fell from some rocks into the sea near Portocolom.

The two of the group who fell were American and they died at the scene.

Although witnesses suggested that there was one other person injured and a missing person, Guardia Civil officers have confirmed that this was confused information and that only the two



Emergency services at the scene yesterday.

people who have died had fallen into the sea. The group was practising psicobloc at the Cova del Cosi. The two bodies were taken to the port in Portocolom.

Both fell into the sea, possibly

due to a rock fall, and died of multiple polycontusions but post-mortems, due to take place today, will seek to determine if the victims died from drowning or head injuries linked to a rock fall or the if they landed on rocks as they fell.

Deep-water soloing, also known as psicobloc, is a form of solo rock climbing that relies solely upon the presence of water at the base of a climb to protect against injury from falls from the generally high-difficulty routes.

The practice of deep-water soloing in Majorca has its roots in the late 1970s.



BALEARIC CRISIS WILL LAST TWO YEARS, TRAM GOING AHEAD: SEE PAGE 3

BALEARICS HEADING FOR MR AND MISS INTERNATIONAL TITLE



● Juan Moyá and Patricia Flores will travel to Tenerife this Friday to represent the Balearic Islands

in the Miss and Mr International Spain 2021 competition.

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