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DETECTIVES INVESTIGATE SEXUAL ASSAULT AT CITY COLLEGE

(San Diego) San Diego Police Sex Crimes Unit detectives are investigating the assault of a thirty-nine year-old woman that occurred on the campus of San Diego City College in the East Village neighborhood on Tuesday, August 10, 2010.

At about 10:15 p.m., the victim was in the company of the suspect, Steven Sinclair, on the campus of the San Diego City College. Sinclair pushed the victim to the ground behind some dumpsters, punched her in the face and tore off her clothing from the waist down. The victim screamed and fought Sinclair.

The victim's screams were heard by Community College Police officers who approached the dumpster area. Sinclair ran but was later captured. The victim was taken to a local hospital for treatment of her injuries.

The suspect, Steven Sinclair, is a black male, 25 years old. He was arrested and booked into jail for a parole violation, battery and assault with intent to commit rape.

Sex Crimes Unit detectives are continuing to investigate the case.

Lieutenant O'Hanlon will be available for interviews in front of SDPD headquarters at 5:30 p.m. this afternoon.

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