



Unidentified Suspect Sought in Armed Robbery; Surveillance Video Captures Suspect's Picture

Up to \$1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers and detectives from the San Diego County Sheriff's Department Encinitas Station are asking for assistance from the public in identifying a suspect wanted for robbing a CVS Pharmacy in Encinitas.

Detectives said that on August 3, 2010 at about 14 minutes passed midnight, an unknown male suspect entered the CVS Pharmacy, located at 129 N. El Camino Real in Encinitas. He walked to the rear pharmacy area of the store and confronted a female pharmacist. The suspect threatened the pharmacist with a silver revolver, grabbed a plastic trash can, and demanded the pharmacist give him prescription medication to include Oxycotin, Vicodin, Xanax and Norco. The suspect, who put the pills in the trash can, then told the pharmacist to walk him out the back door.

A witness, who was outside at the time, saw a possible getaway vehicle. It is described as small, older model, black Ford Ranger with wide tires and a loud exhaust pipe. The driver is described as a 20-year-old White, male with blond hair.

Robbery Suspect Description: White or Hispanic male, between 25-35 years old, approximately 6'2" tall with a medium build and facial hair on his chin.

Pictures of the suspect are attached to page 2 of this release.

Detectives are asking anyone with information on the identity and or location of the person responsible for this crime to call the **Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477**. There is a \$1,000 reward offered in this case. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

- Media inquiries can be directed to Detective Steve Ashkar at (760)966-3561.
- Questions about Crime Stoppers can be directed to Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547 or Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-8477.

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