



Unknown Suspect Wanted for Armed Robbery Up to a \$1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers and investigators from the San Diego Police Department's Robbery Unit are asking for assistance from the public to help identify and locate an unknown suspect wanted for robbing a Mount Hope area Burger King at gunpoint.

On January 31, 2016, at approximately 8:15 p.m., an unknown suspect riding a dark colored "beach cruiser style" bicycle approached the front entrance of the Burger King located at 3676 Market Street, in San Diego. The suspect walked into the restaurant and pulled out a handgun from his hooded sweatshirt pocket. The suspect pointed the handgun at an employee while demanding cash. The suspect placed a red and black colored draw string bag on the front counter and yelled, "Give me the money. I don't want to shoot anybody!" The employee complied and gave the suspect cash from the register. The suspect was last seen riding away on a bicycle in a northeastern direction through the parking lot.

Suspect's Description: *Hispanic male, in his 20's, 5'9" to 5'10" tall, 170 lbs, with acne on his face and possibly a bruise under his right eye. The suspect was wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, black ball cap with an unknown logo on the front, desert camouflage pants, black tennis shoes with white soles, and had on black gloves. The suspect was carrying a red and black colored draw string bag and was armed with a black handgun.*

The suspect was riding a dark colored "beach cruiser style" bicycle with black and white tires and a white seat.

Surveillance photos of the suspect are attached to page 2 of this release.

Anyone with information on this case should call the San Diego Police Department's Robbery Unit at (619) 531-2299 or the **Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477**. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to an arrest in this case. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent via www.sdcrimestoppers.org.

- ***Media inquiries about the case can be directed to Lt. Todd Griffin at (619) 533-5752.***
- ***Media inquiries about Crime Stoppers can be directed to Officer Mark Herring at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.***

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General photo of a similar looking bicycle



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