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UPDATE Torrey Pines High School Threat Arrest

San Diego- On May 30th, 2018 at approximately 9:40 PM, the San Diego Police Department was notified of information regarding a threat to Torrey Pines High School. This threat included the possible use of weapons. The threat is believed to have come from a former student. SDPD Northwestern Division has been actively working investigating the incident and is working closely with school administration and district representatives. In an abundance of caution, school administration and district representatives decided to close the school.

Through the initial investigation the suspect was identified as Kevin Gregory Matlak (DOB: 02/15/1997). On May 31st, 2018 at approximately 1:05PM, Matlak was located at 3300 Fenelon St. Matlak was arrested without incident and later booked in to San Diego County Central Jail for one count of 422 PC-Criminal Threats (Felony).

Matlak was not in possession of a weapon at the time of arrest. Investigation into his access to weapons continues. Matlak made threats to Torrey Pines High School students using the social media platform Instagram. These threats included the image of a firearm, an expressed desire to end his own life and the lives of others. Northwestern Investigations will continue to lead this ongoing investigation.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580–8477.

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