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## Police Department

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### **SAN DIEGO POLICE AND FBI AGENTS ARREST "ROTTEN TOOTH BANDIT"**

(San Diego) San Diego Police Robbery detectives along with FBI agents today announce the arrest of Richard Allen Case who was wanted in connection with two bank robberies. The first robbery occurred on October 24, 2006 at the Wells Fargo Bank at 3900 5th Avenue. The second occurred on November 4, 2006, at the Union Bank at 1220 Cleveland Avenue. Case was dubbed the "Rotten Tooth Bandit."

SDPD Robbery detectives worked closely with the FBI and investigative personnel from the area commands. Case was taken into custody at 4800 University Avenue today at 10:25 a.m.

Lt. Lawrence McKinney will be available for interviews on this case after 1 p.m. today (11/29/06).

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