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HOME INVASION SUSPECT SOUGHT

(San Diego) San Diego Police Department Robbery Unit detectives are investigating a home invasion robbery that occurred in the Carmel Valley Area.

On March 4, 2009, at about 12:00 p.m., a male suspect entered the victim's garage while the female victim was getting into her vehicle. The suspect, armed with a knife, forced the victim back into her home. Once inside, he tied her hands and sexually battered her. The suspect then forced the victim into the bathroom and stole her purse.

The suspect is described as a white male or Hispanic male, 30 to 40 years old, 5'7 to 5'8" tall, with a medium build. The suspect was wearing, a baseball cap, sunglasses, a dark shirt, gloves, and dark pants. The suspect was armed with a knife.

A similar case occurred on February 10, 2009, in the same general area. Residents living in this vicinity should be cautious and notify the Police Department if they observe any suspicious activity. Additional Police personnel will be mobilized to assist with this investigation and provide an increased presence.

Anyone with information concerning this case is asked to contact San Diego Police Department at (619) 531-2000 or San Diego County Crime Stoppers anonymous, toll-free, tip line at (888) 580-8477. By calling Crime Stoppers anonymous, toll-free tip line, you can remain anonymous and be eligible for a reward of up to \$1000 for information leading to an arrest in this case.

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