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Suspect Wanted in Linda Vista Hit and Run; Victim Sustained Serious Injuries

Up to \$1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers and investigators from the San Diego Police Department's Traffic Division are asking for assistance from the public to help identify and locate a suspect wanted in a hit and run.

Investigators said on January 28, 2013, at approximately 7:20 p.m., the 32-year-old victim was riding his motorcycle Southbound on 7600 Linda Vista Road. As the victim approached the "T" intersection of Markham Street, an unidentified vehicle was facing Northbound Linda Vista Road in the turn lane for Markham Street. As the victim approached the intersection, the suspect vehicle pulled out in front of the victim and made a u-turn onto Southbound 7600 Linda Vista Road. In an attempt to avoiding colliding with the suspect vehicle, the victim slid onto the ground and was ejected from his motorcycle. The suspect and the victim's vehicles never collided. The suspect vehicle did not stop and was last seen headed Southbound on 7600 Linda Vista Road. The victim sustained serious injuries and continues to recover.

A witness at the scene described the suspect vehicle as a 2000-2003 brownish/gold four-door sedan, similar to a Toyota Camry or Lexus ES.

Anyone with information on the identity or location of the suspect should call the San Diego Police Department Traffic Division at (858) 495-7800 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 in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

- Media inquiries about the case can be directed to Lt. Andra Brown at (619) 531-2675.
- Media inquiries about Crime Stoppers can be directed to either Officer James Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.

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.