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FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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WINN-DIXIE ROBBERY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a robbery that occurred on August 31, 2008 at approximately 7:46 P.M. The robbery took place at Winn-Dixie, which is located at 3260 West Davie Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

A preliminary investigation has revealed that a black male entered the store and proceeded through the customer service area to the office door. The suspect, who was wearing a white polo shirt and black pants, knocked on the office door. The manager's view was blocked and unsuspectingly opened the door. The suspect then produced an automatic firearm demanding money from the manager. The manager complied with the demands and the male fled the store with an undisclosed amount of cash.

The culprit is described as a black male, approximately 21 years of age, 5'9"-5"10, and 135 pounds.

Anyone with information on this incident or the whereabouts of this suspect is encouraged to contact Detective Donald Gauntner at 954-828-5527 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.







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