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PAYLESS SHOE SOURCE ROBBERY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating an armed robbery that occurred on Sunday, August 10, 2008, at approximately 3:18 P.M. The robbery took place at 931 State Road 84, Fort Lauderdale, Florida at Payless Shoe Source.

Preliminary investigation has revealed a white male entered into the store and grabbed a Nike shoebox. The male then proceeded to the cash register and displayed a silver revolver from his pocket, demanding cash from the register. The manager complied with the suspect's demands and gave him the money from the register. The culprit was seen entering a green Corolla or Neon. The vehicle then sped through the parking lot and left in an unknown direction.

The suspect is described as a W/M, 40-50 years of age, 5'8"-5'9", brown hair, and unshaven. He was last seen wearing a green shirt with green shorts, and flip flops. The offender was armed with a revolver.

Anyone with information regarding this robbery is encouraged to contact Detective Jason Wood at 954-828-5344 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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