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ROBBERY OF 63 YEAR-OLD MAN

(Captured on Video)

Video Link: http://www.box.net/shared/29ngbcc0so

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is requesting help from the public in identifying a robber that roughed up a citizen and took his wallet. This incident took place at Star Food Market located at 300 W. Sunrise Boulevard on February 8, 2008. The incident was captured on surveillance video.

At approximately 8:30pm on February 8, 2008, the victim exited the convenience store when he was approached by suspect #1. As suspect #1 briefly engaged him in conversation, a second suspect came up behind the victim and placed him in a choke-hold. Suspect #1 and suspect #2 shoved the victim against his vehicle several times before robbing him of his wallet and money. Suspect #3 can be seen in the video acting as the "look-out" during the attack.

The video clearly shows that the three suspects were acting in concert with one another.

- Suspect #1 is still at large and has not been identified.
- Suspect #2 was arrested that night and has been identified as Bruce Antonio Jones, dob 08-23-1982.
- Suspect #3 was arrested that night and has been identified as Rivky Tamar, dob 07-23-1990.

Suspect #1, who is at-large, has been described as a b/m, 20 years of age, 5'11", 185#, wearing a black tank top, dark jean shorts and very distinctive shiny greenish colored shoes.

Anyone with information as to the identity of the third suspect is encouraged to contact Detective Don Gauntner at 954-828-5527 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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P.R.# 2008-022 OR# 08-16585 At this time, the victim, who requested his name and face remain concealed, is willing to meet with the press on Friday, March 7, 2008 at 10:00am at the Fort Lauderdale Police Department. If you have any questions, please contact Detective Katherine Collins.



Tamar, Rivky



Jones, Bruce A.