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FLPD ARRESTS SEXUAL BATTERY SUSPECT

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is announcing the arrest of sexual battery suspect Bernardo Olarte, W/M, DOB 01/04/1980.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department Special Victims Unit obtained an arrest warrant for Olarte in relation to a sexual battery that occurred on June 16th.

While the circumstances from this incident are still being investigated, Detectives believe Olarte may have found the victim in the Downtown Fort Lauderdale Entertainment District.

Olarte was located and arrested on Wednesday, November 6th at approximately 3:30 P.M.

Olarte is known to frequent Downtown Fort Lauderdale's Entertainment District. Detectives believe there may be additional victims. Anyone who recognizes Olarte, and believes they have been victimized by him, is encouraged to contact Sergeant H. Martinez at 954-828-5510 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.



(Photo of Bernardo Olarte)

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