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**FORT LAUDERDALE**  
**POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
PRESS RELEASE

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**AGGRAVATED BATTERY**

On February 10, 2009, at approximately 07:50 A.M., Fort Lauderdale Police Officers responded to 901 NE 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL, in reference to a stabbing.

Upon arrival, officers located the victim, Philip Danforth, 32, a Fort Lauderdale resident, who had received multiple stab wounds. The victim was transported to Broward General Medical Center where he is currently listed in stable condition.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that two unknown subjects attempted to rob the victim at knife point. The victim received stab wounds and lacerations when he attempted to get away from the subjects.

The two subjects have been described as tall black males in their 30's.

Anyone who may have witnessed or who may have information regarding this crime is encouraged to contact Detective Elijah Thomas at 954-828-6093, or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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