



## Press Release

### City of Redondo Beach Police Department

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**December 12, 2012**  
**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Subject: '7-11' in Redondo Beach Robbed**

On December 12, 2012 at approximately 3:29 a.m., a masked male suspect robbed the 7-11 located at 226 South Prospect, Redondo Beach at gun point. The suspect was described as a male white adult, wearing dark gray sweatshirt, blue jeans and black and white shoes.

The suspect took about \$250 dollars in cash from the store's cash registers.

Redondo Beach Police Officers responding to the emergency call saw a motorcycle with no lights on leaving the area at a high rate of speed. The motorcycle had two occupants. Officers attempted to pull the motorcycle over, but the driver sped away from officers. A police pursuit was initiated, leading officers to the City of Palos Verdes Estates. The motorcycle crashed at Palos Verdes Drive North and Via Valmonte.

A containment was set up in the area where the suspects were last seen. With the assistance of surrounding agencies, including Torrance, Palos Verdes Estates, Hermosa Beach, Lomita Sheriff's and Los Angeles Police Department, a house to house search was conducted for the suspects, utilizing canines and police helicopters. During the search for the suspects, Officers located a backpack which contained the money taken from the 7-11 and a replica handgun, similar to the one described by the store clerk. The house to house search for the suspects was called off at about 7:21 a.m.

Investigators are reviewing evidence collected during the search and store surveillance video for possible stills and/or video that might aid in the identification and apprehension of the suspects.

Redondo Beach Police Department is requesting the public's assistance with any information regarding this incident. Please call the Redondo Beach Police Department Tip line at (310) 937-6685 Or text to 310-339-2362

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