



NEWS RELEASE

Paul M. Tiernan, Chief of Police

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SUBJECT: Cupcake Store Robbed

The Newark Police Department is investigating an armed robbery which occurred at approximately 9:45am on June 16th, 2012 at SAS Cupcakes located at 134 East Main Street in Newark.

On this date a 19 year old female store employee had just opened the store when an Hispanic male suspect entered the store and displayed a large knife, demanding cash. After receiving an undisclosed amount of US currency the suspect took the victims cell phone and fled out the front door in an unknown direction.

The suspect is described as an Hispanic male with a large, muscular build and a buzzed hair cut. He was wearing a black and red shirt, dark pants, black sunglasses and had tattoos on his arms and neck.

The 19 year old victim was not injured during the incident.

Anyone with additional information about this incident should contact Detective Nicholas Sansone at (302) 366-7110 x 135 or nicholas.sansone@cj.state.de.us You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at www.tipsubmit.com where a reward may be available.

The Newark Police Department affirms that all defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.

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