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SUBJECT OF PRESS RELEASE

Home Invasion Robbery

On Friday October 2, 2015 at approximately 1:21 a.m. the Newark Police responded to the unit block of East Cleveland Avenue for a report of a home invasion robbery. Officers learned that three suspects entered into the residence, via an unsecured door, armed with handguns demanding money and drugs from the victims. The victims are 19 and 20 year old male University of Delaware students. During the course of the robbery one of the victims was pistol whipped and assaulted causing a minor injury. Medical attention was refused on scene. The three suspects ransacked parts of the residence and left with an undetermined amount of money. The suspects are described as follows:

Suspect 1 – black male with dark complexion, approximately 22 years old, 5’09” to 5’10” tall, average build, weighing 170-175 pounds, dressed in all black, with a black hooded sweatshirt with a face mask, armed with a handgun.

Suspect 2 – black male with a medium complexion, approximately 18 years old, 5’11” to 6’00” tall, slender build, armed with a handgun.

Suspect 3 – black male with a dark complexion, 5’08” to 5’10” tall, approximately 18-22 years old, armed with a handgun.

The Newark Police Criminal Investigations Unit is investigating this case as a drug related home invasion style armed robbery. The investigation is on-going.

Anyone with additional information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Daniel Bystricky at 302-366-7100 ext. 3136 or daniel.bystricky@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.

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