

SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT

155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

MEDIA RELEASE

DATE/TIME: April 6th 2013, @ 3AM LOCATION: 600 block of Pacific Ave.

TOPIC: Sexual Assault (Suspect Sketch) CASE NUMBER: 13S-02818

SUSPECT:

Male of Middle Eastern decent, 5'08-5'09" tall, weighing 150-175lbs, with long dark hair, dark eyes and pronounced

eyebrows. Arrested: [] Yes [X] No

Age: Late 20's to early 30's

VICTIM:

Name: Withheld (Female)

Age: 26 years-old

Residence: City of Santa Cruz

INFORMATION:

In the early morning hours of April 6th, 2013, a sexual assault occurred in the Downtown corridor of the City of Santa Cruz. The 26 year-old female victim met the suspect in a Downtown bar. After having drinks with the suspect, the suspect offered to walk the victim home when the bar closed. While walking in the 600 Block of Pacific Ave. with the suspect, the suspect directed the victim down a dark driveway and immediately began making sexual advances. When the victim refused the suspect's advances, the suspect forcibly sexually assaulted the victim. Following the assault, the suspect was last seen walking north on Pacific Avenue from the 600 block.

The unknown male suspect is described as being of Middle Eastern decent, late 20's to early 30's, 5'08 to 5'09" tall, weighing 150 to 175lbs with long dark hair, dark eyes and pronounced eyebrows. (See the attached composite sketch.) The suspect may frequent bars in the Downtown corridor of the City of Santa Cruz.

The Santa Cruz Police Department is seeking assistance from the public in identifying the suspect in this case. Anyone with information is encouraged to call 9-1-1 or contact the Santa Cruz Police Department Investigations Unit at (831) 420-5820. Anonymous tips can be left on our tip line or via our mobile phone app.

For additional information, contact: DC Rick Martinez Phone: (831) 420-5814

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