



## NEWS RELEASE

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**Incident:** Armed Robbery

**Location:** 699 Brakey Rd

**Date/Time Occurred:** 02/24/17 @ 1730 hours

**Officer(s) Involved:** Ventura PD Patrol

**Victims:** Jennifer Jacinto 23 years, Ventura Resident

**Suspect(s):** Hispanic male, with mustache and goatee, late 20's, wearing black hoodie, black pants

**Report #:** 17-02574

**Narrative:**

On the above date and time, Jacinto said she was at the Cross in her vehicle when she was approached by a Hispanic male who demanded money from her. She gave him her wallet, but when he demanded her necklace, she refused and he brandished a knife and struck her in the face, causing minor injuries.

Jacinto was able to drive away and reported the robbery after she had fled the area. Officers responded to Brakey Rd, but did not locate the suspect. This investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information about this crime please contact the Ventura Police Department at 339-44325. An anonymous tip can be made by calling Crime Stoppers at (800) 222-TIPS.

*The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at [www.venturapd.org](http://www.venturapd.org)*

*If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.*

*If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.*

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