



NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Robbery Arrest

Location: 1300 Block of Greenock Lane

Date/Time Occurred: 07/4/2021 at 0230 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura Police Patrol

Suspect(s): Christopher Hernandez (DOB 08/02/1988)

Report #: 21-42622

Narrative:

On the above date and time, Ventura Police Patrol officers responded to a report of a robbery that had just occurred in the 1300 Block of Greenock Lane. The suspect confronted the two victims who were sitting in their parked vehicle. The suspect brandished a knife and stole watches from both victims. During the robbery, the suspect showed the victim's a gang tattoo while also claiming to be a member of a local gang. After the robbery, the suspect fled in a dark colored sedan. The victims called 911 and followed the suspect vehicle.

Patrol officers arrived on scene and conducted a traffic stop on the suspect vehicle around the area of Telephone Rd and Chalmette Ave. A passenger in the vehicle, Christopher Hernandez, was identified as the suspect and placed under arrest. Officers located the knife used in the robbery and recovered the stolen watches, which were later returned to the victims.

A search of the Ventura County Superior Court website revealed Hernandez has arrests for Domestic Battery and Battery with Serious Bodily Injury.

Hernandez was arrested and booked at Ventura County Jail for 211 PC -Robbery (felony) and 186.22 PC – Gang Enhancement (felony).

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at 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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