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Police Arrest Burglary Suspect - Seeks to Identify Second Suspects

SUFFOLK, VA (April 1, 2011) Suffolk Police have arrested a nineteen year old Portsmouth man and charged him with burglarizing a home. Police have video from the incident and are asking for assistance from the public in identifying the second burglary suspect.

On March 29, police arrested Jamil A. Cobbs, age 19, of Portsmouth. Cobbs is charged with the March 22 burglary of a residence located in the 6000 block of Camellia Drive. In that incident, Cobbs and a second subject forced their way into a residence and removed a safe. The home was monitored by video cameras. Cobbs was charged with one count burglary and one count grand larceny. Police are releasing video and photos from the burglary in hopes that someone can identify the second suspect.

The suspect police are seeking to identify is the black male, wearing an orange jacket in the video. He is recorded removing the safe from the closet. When recorded leaving the residence, he has removed his jacket and it is covering the safe that Cobbs was seen carrying.

Anyone that may be able to identify the suspects is asked to call Crime Line at 1-888-Lock-U-Up. When calling Crime Line, callers do not have to give their names or appear in court. If a caller's information leads to an arrest, the caller could qualify for a reward of up to \$1,000.

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