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POLICE INVESTIGATING COMMERCIAL ARMED ROBBERY

SUFFOLK, VA (February 11, 2019) Suffolk Police are investigating a commercial armed robbery that occurred last night, Sunday, February 10, 2019. Emergency Communications was notified of the incident which occurred at approximately 10:40 p.m. at the Raceway store located in the 1200 block of Portsmouth Boulevard.

Upon preliminary investigation, it was determined that two black males entered the store wearing dark clothing and gloves with their faces covered. One of the suspects displayed a handgun. Currency and cigarettes were taken in the incident. The suspects fled on foot from the scene. There were no injuries reported.

The investigation is currently ongoing and no further information is available for release at this time. Surveillance images will be provided when available.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Suffolk Police or Suffolk Crime Line. To submit online, go to www.p3tips.com, visit the Suffolk Police Department website (www.suffolkva.us/spd) and look for the Suffolk Crime Line link, or go to the Suffolk Police Department Facebook page at www.facebook.com/suffolkpolicedepartment. You can also call 888-LOCK-U-UP, 1-888-562-5887, Option 5. Once a person

submits a tip, they will be given a TIP ID and password. With this information they can login at p3tips.com and submit follow-up information, engage in two-way dialogue, be informed of the outcome of the tip, and access any pertinent reward information.

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