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POLICE MAKE ARREST IN SERIES OF COMMERCIAL ARMED ROBBERIES

SUFFOLK, Virginia (June 8, 2018) Following intensive investigations, Suffolk Police have arrested a subject wanted for a series of Commercial Armed Robberies that occurred during the month of May 2018 where the subject threatened employees with a knife.

Anthony Scott Fleming, age 55, of Suffolk, was initially arrested on June 1, 2018, related to the Commercial Armed Robbery of the Dollar General in the 1200 block of Wilroy Road that occurred on May 10, 2018, as well as the Commercial Armed Robbery that occurred on May 12, 2018 at the Rite Aid in the 1500 block of Holland Road.

During the course of their investigations it was also found that Fleming was the offender in the Commercial Armed Robbery that occurred on May 6, 2018 at the Walgreens in the 2900 block of Godwin Boulevard and a warrant has been obtained but not yet executed for that incident. An arrest warrant is also pending against Fleming related to the Commercial Armed Robbery that occurred on May 23, 2018 at the Murphy USA gas station.

No one was injured during these incidents. Mug shot attached.

Fleming is currently being held without bond at Western Tidewater Regional Jail.

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