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BANK ROBBERY WITH DEMAND NOTE

Date/Time: January 21, 2022/ 12:41 PM

Location: Union Bank, 15377 Brookhurst Street, Westminster, CA

SUSPECT: Male, Hispanic, approx. 5'08" tall, 30-40 years old, heavy build, short

black hair with a receding hairline, and wearing a dark green "Columbia" jacket, gray pants, and a black face mask. (Photo attached)

CHARGES: California Penal Code 211 – Robbery

WESTMINSTER, CA – On January 21, 2022, at approximately 1241 hours, officers from the Westminster Police Department responded to the Union Bank, located at 15377 Brookhurst Street, in reference to a robbery. The investigation revealed the suspect entered the bank and passed a note to a bank teller demanding money. Once the suspect received the money, he fled the bank northbound on foot. No weapon was used. No suspect vehicle was seen.

"We think members of the community may recognize this suspect and we want their help. We know from past cases bank robberies can turn violent and we are using every resource we can to identify this suspect," said Deputy Chief Cameron Knauerhaze of the Detective Bureau.

We urge anyone who witnessed this crime, or has additional information, to contact the Westminster Police Department at 714-548-3212, or Orange County Crime Stoppers at 1-855-TIP-OCCS or by logging on to www.occrimestoppers.org. Callers can remain anonymous.

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