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January 8, 2008
Local restaurant robbed

On January 8, 2008 at approximately 1152 P.M. a male only described as having dark skin, standing approximately 5'-07" tall, medium build, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, black pants and a white handkerchief over his face, walked into a fast food restaurant in the 500 block of Pacheco Blvd and approached the Manager and demanded money.

Fearing the suspect possessed a weapon, the manager provided the suspect an undisclosed amount of money. During the robbery a second employee was injured prior to the suspect's departure.

"We do not believe this robbery is anyway related to the robbery on December 29, 2007 in the 400 block of J St. However, we are working with three of our neighboring law enforcement agencies who are also investigating similar crimes that committed by an individual matching our suspects description."

Chris Gallagher, Chief of Police

The suspect was last seen leaving the restaurant. Anyone with information regarding this crime is encouraged to contact Los Banos Police Detective Ivan Mendez at 827 7070 X 117, or Sergeant Chet Stygar at 928 7070 X 134.