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Press Release
Police Department

**2 Adults and 2 Juveniles Arrested for Residential
Burglary – Property Recovered
DR # 080024446**

On April 10, 2008, at approximately 10:45 AM, Officers from the Torrance Police Department responded to the area of 235th Street and Maple Avenue regarding a residential burglary that had just occurred. Officers received further information that the witness was following a possible suspect vehicle, described as a black Toyota Scion, which contained four subjects. Officers located and stopped the vehicle in the 2300 block of 234th Street and detained the subjects.

During the investigation, officers confirmed that a residential burglary had occurred in the 2600 block of 232nd Street. The suspects had forced entry, ransacked the interior of the residence, and removed items which included a flat screen Television. While searching the suspect vehicle Officers recovered gloves, pry tools, as well as property believed to be stolen, which included jewelry and a flat screen Television.

Two adults and two juveniles were arrested for suspicion of residential burglary. The adult arrestee's were identified as Rommel Castillo, 33 years old from Long Beach; and Jason Lagman, 27 years old from La Mirada. The identities of the juvenile arrestee's are being withheld at this time.

Follow-up investigation by the Torrance Police Department Detectives led to the execution of search warrants at four other locations within the cities of Torrance, Long Beach, and Carson. These efforts resulted in the recovery of more stolen property, which included video games, jewelry, laptop computers, cell phones, and cameras.

The investigation continues under the direction of Captain Marc Wilkins, Special Operations Bureau Commander.

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