


June 24, 2016

Columbia College Chicago Community:

The Chicago Police Department has issued the following Alert:




Bureau of Detectives – Area Central

Business Alert

Robberies

001st District (Central)



Alert #P16-1-146BA
June 23, 2016

About the Crime:
This alert gives notice to businesses operating in the 001st (Central) District of Robbery related incidents that have occurred during the month of **June**. During these incidents, an unidentified offender entered retail establishments, approached the counter with items to purchase and then forcefully removed the cash drawer when the register was opened by the clerk. The offender grabbed a clerks arm and pushed the clerk away during one incident. These incidents have occurred during the daytime hours in the general geographical locations listed below:

Incident times and locations:

- 700 block of S. State St. on May 16, 2016 at 3:30 p.m.
- 100 block of N. Wabash Ave. on June 6, 2016 at 8:50 a.m.
- 500 block of S. State St. on June 8, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

About the offenders:

- Male, black, 30-40 years old, 6'02"-6'04", 210-240lbs, black baseball hat with Chicago Bulls logo.

What you can do:

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- If you are confronted by an assailant remain calm
- Remember any unique physical characteristics (scars, limp, acne, teeth, etc.)
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide the information to the police
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible

**If you have any information Contact the
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(312) 747-8384
HZ267045, HZ295415, HZ299120
(Reference: PATTERN # P16-1-146)**

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