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NEWS RELEASE

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Date: May 14, 2009

Contact: Sgt. Rick Martinez

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Subject: **SUSPECT SOUGHT FOR LEWD ACT WITH A CHILD**

Subject: Marcial Bahena TORRES, age 46 of Anaheim

Vehicle: 2002 Ford Ranger pick up truck, brown in color, California license # 7X92474

The Anaheim Police Department is asking for the public's help in locating a male wanted for committing a lewd act upon a child. The subject has taken his belongings from his residence and it is believed he may be leaving the area, state or country. Anaheim Police are seeking **Marcial Bahena Torres, age 46 of Anaheim**. He is believed to be traveling in his **2002 brown Ford Ranger pick-up truck, California license plate 7X92474**.

Torres is accused of sexually molesting a female relative at his residence in north Anaheim on Wednesday afternoon, May 13, 2009. The suspect bound and gagged the victim, who is under the age of 14, in order to commit the assault. (In order to protect the identity of the victim, the Anaheim Police Department is not providing the age of the victim and the relationship of the victim, at this time).

Anyone seeing the subject and/or the vehicle are asked to call their local law enforcement agency.

*The photographs depicted below are available upon request. Please note the truck is **not** the actual suspect's vehicle. Contact Sergeant Rick Martinez at (714) 497-6608.*

