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NEWS RELEASE

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Date: January 8, 2009

Contact: Sgt. Rick Martinez

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Subject: **ROBBERY SUSPECTS WANTED**

The Anaheim Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying and locating 2 males responsible for commercial robberies. It is possible that both subjects are responsible for 7 robberies that have occurred in Anaheim since December 3, 2008. In these separate cases, one or both men enter a commercial businesses acting as if they were customers or clients. A handgun is then produced, money demanded and the robbery completed.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Type of business</u>
12-3-08	10:00am	800 N. Harbor Blvd.	Market
12-6-08	1:00 pm	1000 N. State College Blvd.	Check cashing
12-6-08	10:15pm	1800 S. West Street	Motel office
12-10-08	11:30am	1100 W. Katella Avenue	Motel office
12-10-08	12:10 pm	700 N. Euclid Avenue	Check cashing
12-24-08	2:10 pm	100 S. Western Avenue	Liquor store
12-24-08	5:00 pm	1100 W. Katella Avenue	Beauty/barbershop

The males are described as hispanic males in their mid 20s, approximately 5-6 - 5'8 in height, weighing between 180-200 pounds. They have short, shaved or bald heads. One is clean shaven and the other may have a mustache. One of the males has a 5-pointed star tattoo on his right elbow.

Anyone with information is asked to call detectives at (714) 765-1947.

Surveillance videotape of 2 robberies are available for media viewing (unable to email).



These photographs of the 2 subject are available upon request, and can be emailed.

Contact Sergeant Rick Martinez for information and pictures at (714) 497-6608.

