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PRESS RELEASE



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INCIDENT: Murder Suspect Arrested

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OCCURRENCE DATE: May 11, 2016

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STATEMENT:

Ontario Police have arrested two men believed to be responsible for a homicide that occurred at the Stop and Shop store on Sunday, May 8, 2016.

The suspect, Christopher James Navarrette, age 32 of Ontario, was arrested in the 11000 block on Mesa View Drive in the city of Victorville. Navarrette was apprehended by Ontario Police as he hid from officers on the property. He was found to be in possession of a loaded handgun at the time of his arrest. He was taken into custody today just after 12:00 PM. He has been transported to the Ontario Police Department where he will be interviewed before being booked on the charge of murder at West Valley Detention Center.

An associate of Navarrette, Joseph Hernandez, age 36 of Ontario, is also believed to be involved in the homicide. Hernandez was arrested on May 9, 2016 in the city of Upland. He has been booked at West Valley Detention Center on the charge of murder.

Please refer to the attached original press release for more detailed information regarding the incident. Photos of the suspects area attached.

Anyone with information about the incident is asked to contact the Ontario Police Department at 909-986-6711 or Detective Mike Chavez at 909-395-2925.

Information can also be reported anonymously by calling WE-TIP at 800-78-CRIME or on-line at www.wetip.com.