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## TPD SEARCHING FOR KNIFE-WIELDING ROBBERY SUSPECT

On Thursday, October 17, 2019, at 8:24 p.m., Thomasville officers were dispatched to Family Dollar, 530 National Highway, in reference to a robbery.

The employee told officers a light-skinned male came into the store and placed a pack of chewing gum on the counter to purchase. As the employee opened the cash register, the suspect presented a knife and demanded money.

The employee screamed and the suspect fled out of the store with only the pack of gum. He was last seen running north toward Unity Street. The suspect was described as wearing a dark hoodie sweatshirt, blue jeans and boots.

A customer had left just prior to the robbery being committed. Two employees were present during the robbery. No one was injured.

Anyone with information on the identity of this suspect is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 336-476-8477.



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