



NEWS RELEASE

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WARRANT ARREST OF FIRESTONE ARMED ROBBERY SUSPECT

BUENA PARK, Calif. —

On January 19, 2017 at approximately 5:00pm, officers from the Buena Park Police Department responded to Firestone Tires at 6011 Orangethorpe Ave. regarding a robbery that had just occurred. The suspect was described as a male Hispanic, in his 20's, wearing a black pull-over hoodie. The suspect brandished a small caliber handgun and demanded cash from the register. The suspect fled the scene. BPPD Detectives were able to identify the suspect as Martin Gerardo Hernandez as a past Firestone Tires employee in another city and they obtained an arrest warrant. On January 31, 2017 Signal Hill Police Department arrested Hernandez on the arrest warrant and additional charges and he is being held at Los Angeles County Jail.

Case #: 17-02427

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