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MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Subject: ARMED ROBBERY CRIME SPREE COMES TO A CLOSING



The City of Miami Police Department, along with the City of Hialeah, Miami Springs, and Miami-Dade County airport district were conducting a multi-jurisdictional task force, this task force was targeting robberies in the airport area.

At approximately 9:50 PM an armed robbery occurred at 57 Avenue and NW 7 Street. The description was a white latin male driving a silver Honda Civic with a loud muffler. This matched the description of four other robberies that occurred starting around 4:00 PM today. These robberies occurred in the City of Doral, Miami-Metro Dade and Hialeah.

The vehicle was located and pulled over without incident inside of the Walgreens parking lot at 2700 West Flagler Street. A gun was recovered at the scene. The alleged suspect is being detained while awaiting the identification of the victims.

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