## CATHEDRAL CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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On Thursday August 4, 2016 about 2137 hrs an armed robbery was reported at the Goodwill store at 67555 East Palm Canyon Drive.

Employees reported a black, male, wearing a navy blue hooded sweatshirt, a black mask, black gloves and navy sweatpants approached employees as they exited the closed business. The suspect was armed with a black semi-auto pistol and forced the employees back into the store. While in the store the suspect forced the employees to the office and ordered an employee to open the safe. The suspect obtained cash (undisclosed amount) and fled the scene.

CCPD officers responded but were unable to locate the suspect. Initial officers conducted the preliminary crime scene investigation and detectives are continuing the investigation into this armed robbery.

Anyone with additional information regarding this case can email to info@cathedralcity.gov, or call Det. Al Holloway at 760-770-0313.