



HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

DATE: October 9, 2015

TIME: 1330

DAY: Friday

TYPE OF INCIDENT Criminal Threats		CASE NUMBER H15-14091	
DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT October 8, 2015 8:35pm		LOCATION OF INCIDENT Hercules High School	
VICTIM Hercules High School Faculty and Students		AGE	CITY Hercules
RESPONSIBLE Male Juvenile		AGE 15	CITY
ARRESTED? Yes	CHARGE Criminal Threats		BAIL N/A

SUMMARY

On October 8, 2015, at about 8:35 pm, an employee from the Hercules High school reported he received information from a student regarding another Hercules High School student stating he was planning to "Shoot up the school" tomorrow, October 9, 2015. Through the investigation the 15 year old male student responsible for making the threats was identified. The student's parents were notified of the allegations and they brought him to the police department for an interview. Initial information indicates the motive may be related to bullying. The parents are cooperating with the investigation and consent was given to search their residence. A search warrant was also obtained and during the search documentation was located, supporting the student's intention to commit a shooting at the high school. The juvenile was placed under arrest for criminal threats and transported to the Martinez Juvenile Hall.

The investigation is ongoing and additional information will be distributed.

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