NEWS RELEASE
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Armed Barricaded Subject

Date: January 25th, 2014

Time: 2016 Hours

Crime: PC 246 – Shooting at Inhabited Dwelling
PC 245(a) (2) – Assault with a Deadly Weapon Firearm
PC459 - Burglary

Location: 100 block of East M St., Colton CA

Victim: (6) Doe's

Case: 14-00426

Summary:

On January 25th, 2014, at approximately 2016 hours, officers were dispatched to the 1000 block of South La Cadena St. regarding a brandishing of a firearm with multiple shots fired. A broadcast of the vehicle with the suspect descriptions was given to responding officers. Officers located the vehicle at an apartment building in the 100 block of East M St. and detained three males. A fourth male suspect, armed with a handgun, ran from the vehicle and forced his way into an apartment and fought with the occupants. The male suspect then ran to another apartment and barricaded himself with juveniles.

The Inland Valley SWAT team and hostage negotiators were requested to respond to the scene. During the evacuation of the second floor the suspect was contacted by SWAT team members and removed without incident. The juveniles did not appear to have been harm and were reunited with their parents. The investigation is continuing.

If anyone has any information regarding this investigation or may be a victim please contact Detective R. Wilson at (909) 370-5021.

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