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**LATE RELEASE**

**CARJACKING ARREST**

On July 1, 2008 at approximately 4:01AM Officers of the Northern District were dispatched to the 300 block of Arden Rd. W Brooklyn Park for a report of a subject with a gun. Officers were advised that 3 black males had attempted to car jack several subjects.

Investigation revealed that three black males approached the victims (2 adult males, 1 adult pregnant female and her baby) who were exiting their car in the 300 block of Arden Rd West, when one of the suspects produced a handgun and pointed it at the victims. The three demanded the keys to the vehicle. The pregnant female was punch in the stomach by one of the suspects while the suspect holding the gun pushed it against one of the male victim's head when he refused to turn over the keys.

The female then told the suspects there was Lo-Jack on the vehicle and the suspects ran away from the scene. A few minutes later Northern District Officers flooded the area. While checking the area for the suspects officers located a blue Toyota Yaris Md. tag that was carjacked Saturday night out of the same community. The description of the suspects in that carjacking was identical to this incident. Moments after finding the vehicle, officers located and chased the suspects on foot for a several minutes before apprehending all three.

The victims were brought to the scene and positively identified the males as being the individuals that had attempted to carjack them.

The handgun used in the carjacking was recovered at the scene.

All three subjects were charged with attempt robbery, 1<sup>st</sup> degree assault, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Assault, Armed Car Jacking and handgun violations.

During a search of the suspects officers located the keys to the blue Toyota Yaris stolen during the carjacking incident that occurred on 06/29/08 at 320 Old Riverside Rd. Baltimore, Md. 21225 (08-727335). That investigation is continuing by the CID Robbery Unit and charges are pending.

**Two of the Suspects were juveniles but were charged as adults.**

**Suspect #1 Rashad Tyree Knight, B/M, D.O.B. 06/06/90  
6469 Freedom Dr. Glen Burnie, Md. 21061**

**Suspect #2 Rashard Anton Watkins, B/M, D.O.B. 06/30/91  
705 Mt. Holly St. Baltimore, Md. 21225**

**Suspect #3 Travis Jawan Johnson, B/M, D.O.B. 03/12/91  
529 Hazlett Ave. Baltimore, Md. 21223**

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