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HOME INVASION ROBBERY SUSPECTS ARRESTED

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Thursday, December 12, 2013, at approximately 11:12 AM, the Riverside Police Department Communications Center received a 911 transfer call from the California Highway Patrol regarding the report of an unknown trouble at a residence in the 1500 block of Macintosh Drive, Riverside.

The handling dispatcher heard sounds of a struggle over the phone and immediately dispatched officers to the location. Within minutes, officers arrived on scene and saw a man and woman scrambling out of a second story window of the house. The man and woman both frantically screamed “they’re still inside,” as they jumped to safety from the roof of the house. The male was bleeding from an extensive head injury.

Officers immediately moved forward and rescued the two victims, while directing the other responding officers to establish a perimeter. Two suspects were seen fleeing the residence and they were ultimately apprehended by perimeter officers who saw them attempting to flee from the area. One of the fleeing suspects was armed with a revolver when he was taken into custody. A third suspect was located seated in a vehicle outside the residence.

Detectives from the Robbery/Homicide Unit responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The detectives were assisted in their investigation by personnel from the Forensic Evidence Unit.

Millard Otis Brown, a 33 year old Los Angeles resident, Ronnie Revell Barnes, a 22 year old Los Angeles resident and Dontay Trevon Thomas, a 26 year old Los Angeles resident were interviewed by detectives and booked into the Robert Presley Detention Center



for 212.5 PC (Home Invasion Robbery.) Thomas and Barnes were also charged with 207 PC (Kidnapping), 236 PC (False Imprisonment), and 245 PC (Assault with a Deadly Weapon.) The handgun in Barnes possession when he was taken into custody was a reported stolen firearm and he will be charged with possessing a stolen firearm as well.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Rick Wheeler at (951) 353-7134 or Detective Rick Cobb at (951) 353-7135.

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