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Suspicious package at Riverside FBI office

Riverside, CA -- The Riverside Police Department Technical Services Unit (TSU) responded to a suspicious package left outside the Riverside office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) early Wednesday morning, June 18, 2008.

FBI agents reporting to work discovered a suspicious item at 6:30 a.m., placed outside the office door, in a second-floor hallway of an office building at 3480 Vine St., Riverside. The commercial building was evacuated until early afternoon while TSU officers examined the package and rendered it safe at about 12:30 p.m.

FBI security video from the interior hallway showed a bald adult white male with a large build and using a cane, intentionally leaving the suspicious package at the location. When opened, the package was found to contain useless materials.

The FBI will handle the continuing investigation. Anyone with helpful information is asked to contact

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