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Reward offered for armed robbery at Verizon Wireless Store

Riverside, CA -- On Monday, March 30th, 2009 at approximately 1945 hours, a suspect entered the Verizon Wireless store located in the 2800 block of Canyon Springs Pkwy in Riverside and inquired about some cell phones inside the store. Moments later, the armed suspect then walked back to the store manager's office and confronted the manager. The gunman took a large sum of money from the manager and then quickly left the store in an unknown direction of travel. The suspect is believed to be a Hispanic male in his mid 20's to 30's, 5'9" and around 150 pounds. Surveillance video footage captured the gunman entering the store through the main entrance. See attached photo of suspect.

Verizon Wireless is offering a \$2500 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect responsible for this robbery. Riverside Police Department is asking anyone with information about this robbery to contact Det. Rick Wheeler at (951) 353-7134.



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