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TYPE OF CRIME: Sexual Battery
LOCATION: 2344 McKee Road #35, San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 05-011-9777
DATE: 7/05/05

VICTIM: Withheld (Sexual Assault Victim)
ADDRESS: Modesto Resident

AGE: 17 years
OCCUPATION: Student

SUSPECT: Marcus, Michael
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 55 years
OCCUPATION: Dentist

DETAILS:

On 11/01/04, the suspect, Michael Marcus, 55 years of age from San Jose, sexually battered a 17 year-old female while she was being attended to in his dental office in East San Jose. The suspect touched the victim's breasts and made several inappropriate comments to her during a routine examination.

As a result of this reported incident, it was discovered that the suspect has had several other similar incidents over the past several years. Sexual assault detectives began working closely with members of the Department of Consumer Affairs (Dental Board of California) with a joint investigation being conducted. As a result of the above, the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office filed one count of sexual battery and one count of child annoyance against suspect Marcus. Suspect Marcus was arrested today (7/05/05) and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail on the above charges. His bail is set at \$20,000.00.

At this time investigators are attempting to connect the suspect with several other earlier reported incidents. Investigators also believe that there may be numerous other unreported similar incidents involving the suspect.

Anyone who may have any additional information regarding this investigation is urged to contact Detective Matt Christian or Sergeant Louis Quezada at the San Jose Police Sexual Assault Unit at (408) 277-4102 during normal business hours. Persons wishing to remain anonymous can contact the SJPD Crime Stoppers Program at (408) 947-STOP.

BY: Sgt. Louis Quezada
DATE: 7-5-05

TIME: 2:30PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Scott Cornfield
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PRESS OFFICER BRIEFED BY UNIT COMMANDER (CIRCLE) **YES NO**



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