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MEDIA RELEASE

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Case Number: 2022-31221

ARMED ROBBERY ARREST

Niles, IL – On 8/5/2022, at 12:56 A.M., NPD officers responded to Walgreens, 9000 N. Greenwood Avenue, for a report of an armed robbery. The initial investigation revealed a male suspect had entered the business, demanded money from the cash register, and lifted his shirt revealing a black holstered handgun. The suspect left with \$255.00 USC. No shots were fired and no injuries were reported during this incident.

Niles officers broadcast a description of the suspect, and the suspect was located and taken into custody by Des Plaines police officers around 2:00 A.M. near 1300 E. Oakton Street, Des Plaines. During a show-up, the victim positively identified the suspect as the person who committed the armed robbery at Walgreens.

The suspect declined to provide any statements regarding the incident. Niles Detectives screened this case with the Cook County State's Attorney's Office, and the charge listed below was approved. The suspect attended bond court on 8/7/2022.

The suspect was also charged by the Des Plaines Police Department for similar incidents that occurred in Des Plaines, IL. Please contact the Des Plaines Police Department for information regarding these charges.

A booking photograph is attached.

Suspect: Joseph J. Bailey, Male/40
LKA: 1300 Block of Brown Street, Des Plaines, IL

Charges: Armed Robbery- 720 ILCS 5/18-2 (Class X Felony)

All persons are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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