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07-0564 **LAPTOP THIEVES**

Irvine, CA (March 8, 2007): Irvine detectives are asking for the public's help in identifying two suspects in connection with a series of laptop thefts.

The suspects took 40 Prototype Gateway laptops valued at \$100,000 just after 4:00 p.m. on Sunday January 28, 2007. In two other burglaries, they entered through open doors and took single laptops. The security video images from the three crimes appear to show the same suspects. In all these events, the businesses were entered without force.

SUSPECT 1: Male, African American, 20's, 5'09", 150 lbs, wearing multiple colored striped hooded sweatshirt, white t-shirt, blue jeans, and white shoes

SUSPECT 2: Male, African American, 20's, 6'00", 190 lbs, wearing black shirt and black pants, sunglasses on top of head

VEHICLE: Similar to a Jeep Grand Cherokee



Anyone with information is asked to call Irvine Detective Cathy Scherer at (949) 724-7124.

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