



BRPD News Item

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Update

Baton Rouge Police Uniform Officers arrested LUTHER SMITH, 56, 2360 BALIS, last night around 11:00pm for the robbery of Capital One Bank, 3110 College Dr. Crime Stoppers received a tip late yesterday evening which led to Smith's identity.

Smith was apprehended without incident by a BRPD officer while walking in the 900 block of South Acadian. Smith was booked into East Baton Rouge Parish Prison and charged with Armed Robbery.

Original

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating the Armed Robbery of the Capital One Bank, 3110 College Drive, which occurred today around 1:53pm.

The suspect in the attached photographs entered the bank through the back doors, which is also a public entrance, and approached the front counter. The suspect then passed a note insisting on money from the teller. The suspect also raised the front of his shirt, for the teller to observe a gun in his waistband. After taking possession of an undisclosed amount of money, the suspect fled the business through the same doors he entered and then ran in an unknown direction on College Drive.

The suspect is identified as a black male, late 40's to early 50's, skinny to medium build. The suspect was wearing a white t-shirt, blue jeans, white tennis shoes, black frame glasses with a purple knit cap.

Anyone with information on the identity of the suspect is urged to contact the Armed Robbery Office at 389-3845 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.