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PRESS RELEASE

IDENTITY THEFT SUSPECT ARRESTED

DATE: August 11, 2016
LOCATION: 1000 Hillview Court, Extended Stay of America, Milpitas
CASE #: 16-223-145
SUSPECT #1: Eugene Paul Mitchell, 36-year-old male, San Jose, resident

On August 10, 2016, at approximately 2:44 P.M., Milpitas Police officers responded to the Extended Stay of America, located at 1000 Hillview Court, Milpitas, after receiving a report that an individual checked into a hotel room using stolen credit card information. At the hotel, Officers learned the individual entered a hotel room on the second floor. Officers went to the hotel room and contacted the individual later identified as Eugene Mitchell.

During the course of the investigation, officers searched the room and located a quantity of suspected methamphetamine, a ledger containing card numbers and biographical information for several individuals. Mitchell was booked into the Santa Clara County jail for fraud, identity theft, and narcotics related charges.

Anyone with any information regarding this investigation or other similar incidents occurring in our city is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400. Information can be given anonymously by calling the Crime Tip Hotline at (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at: <https://forms.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/forms/view.php?id=47511>

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