



## Bureau of Detectives – Area South



# Community Alert

## Armed Robbery

007th District  
(Englewood)

P17-2-104 (CA)  
October 19, 2017

### About the Crime:

This alert gives notice of three recent Robbery incidents that have occurred within the boundaries of the 007<sup>th</sup> District (Englewood), on beats 731 & 722. In these cases, two male offenders take a taxi cab from the downtown area and request to be dropped off in the area of 6700 S. Perry and 7400 S. Harvard. When exiting the car, one of the offenders displays a handgun, taking cash from the taxi driver. All incidents occur between 2:00am-4:00am.

### Incident times and locations:

- October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017      3:50am      7400 Block of S. Harvard
- October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017      3:00am      6700 Block of S. Perry
- October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017      2:15am      7300 Block of S. Harvard

### About the Offenders:

The offenders were described to police as male, African American between 18-25 years old. Both standing between 5'08 - 5'10" tall, and weighing 180-220lbs. One subject was armed with a handgun.

### What you can do:

- Ensure functioning cameras are installed inside your Taxi Cab
- If confronted by the offender, attempt to remain calm
- Keep tracking software and security locks on your cell phone
- Document serial numbers for your electronics and keep a record at your residence
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide the information to police.
- Be aware of your surroundings and park in well-lit areas
- Call 911 immediately and provide a detailed description of any suspicious people including any vehicle description and license plate information.

**If you have any information about these incidents, contact  
Bureau of Detectives – Area South (312) 747-8273**

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