



New Britain Police Department

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Chief William Gagliardi

Press Release

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Subject: Wanted Person BOLO – HEATHER ALARCON, DOB; 05/28/1979

On Sunday January 15, 2012, at approximately 9:45 AM, New Britain Police investigated a report of a violent strong arm robbery in the parking lot of 177 Columbus Boulevard. The ensuing investigation revealed that during that incident a 75 year old female victim was injured after a violent purse-snatching. The victim was lured over to the suspect's car window where the victim's purse was pulled from her. The suspect, sitting behind the wheel, never exited the vehicle. The seventy-five year old victim fell to the ground from the force of the pocket book being pulled away from her. The suspect then ran over the victim's hand as she (the suspect) fled the area. The victim did sustain injuries and was treated and released from an area hospital.

The suspect's vehicle has been recovered and is being held by the New Britain Police Department as evidence.

The investigation identified Heather ALARCON, DOB; 05/28/1979, aka Heather Marie CAHILL, DOB: 05/28/1979 as the suspect involved in this robbery. The New Britain Police Department currently holds an active arrest warrant ALARCON for charges relating to this incident. ALARCON / CAHILL is a white female, approximately 5'7" to 5'9" w/ shoulder length black hair and weighing 215 to 250 lbs. ALARCON/CAHILL has past addresses in the Middletown, East Hampton, Southington and Meriden Connecticut area. ALARCON / CAHILL is known to frequent shopping centers and is the suspect in several other purse snatching investigations in New Britain.

If any person sees ALARCON they should notify the police. The New Britain Police Department can be reached at 860-826-3000.

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