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Press Release May 15, 2017

5-9-17 @ 1038 hrs.

A male subject made a purchase of $400 worth of merchandise using counterfeit $100 bills on 5-7-17 at the Babys R Us Baltimore Pk. Det. McNeely is investigating this incident.

5-9-17 @ 1155 hrs.

Springfield Mall Security stopped and detained two subjects who were engaged in a fight in the parking lot outside the mall entrance. Both were cited for Disorderly Conduct.

5-9-17 @1845 hrs.

Springfield School District reported that a female ETR student while standing at the bus stop Old Schoolhouse Ln. /Minshall Rd. earlier in the day was approached by a male in a silver sedan who engaged her in conversation about school. The male was described as being in his 50s with a distinctive hair spike.

5-9-17 @ 1900 hrs.

A resident of the 100 block of Broadview Rd. reported a laptop computer was taken from front seat of his unlocked vehicle sometime between 5-5 and 5-7.

5-11-17 @ 1623 hrs.

Police were notified by two residents of the 400 block Kerr Ln. that a male subject was walking around the area carrying an ax and claiming to be hearing gunshots. A third house on Kerr Ln. was found to have damage on the rear door caused by an ax. A short time later, a male subject showed up at the FBI Office in Newtown Square and told agents there that he had broken down a door in Springfield and chased a man with an ax. Michael Zupanick of Springfield was taken into custody. He was transported to a hospital for medical treatment and was charged by Det. McCarthy with Aggravated Assault and property crimes.

5-13-17 @ 0005 hrs.

Tyler McLaughlin 22 yrs. old of Springfield was charged with Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle after Sgt. McKinney found him operating a vehicle without the owner’s permission in the area of Norwinden Dr. and Cambridge Rd. He was arraigned at Springfield District Court.

5-13-17 @ 1318 hrs.

Karen Coleman 48 yrs. old from Wilmington, DE was charged with Retail Theft after being observed stealing over $150 worth of clothing from the Gap Store in the mall. She was held and arraigned at Springfield District Court.

5-13-17 @ 2005 hrs.

Hasaan McNish 21 yrs. old from Folcroft was cited for Retail Theft after he was observed stealing $22 worth of clothing from the Macy’s Store in the mall.

5-13-17 @ 2051 hrs.

Two juveniles from Folsom were stopped by Officers Dunkle and Oswald for being in Church Road Park after dark. They were cited for park violations and released.

5-13-17 @ 2126 hrs.

Three adult males were stopped on Kelli Ln. and taken into custody after being found inside a vehicle and in possession of a quantity of marijuana. Charges are pending.