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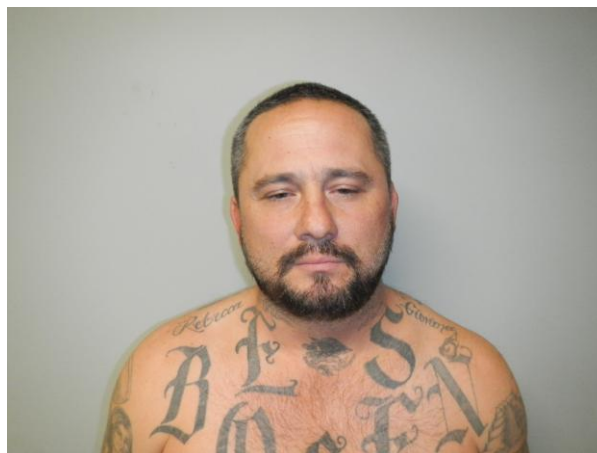
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On April 4, 2014, at approximately 1345 hours, we had an armed robbery at the Radio Shack, located at 2340 N. Tustin in Orange. The suspect brandished what the victim described as a "Silver colored Magnum Revolver" and demanded money. The loss was U.S. Currency and an X-Box 360 console.

As a result of the Orange Police Department crime scene investigation, the suspect was identified as Steven Paul Knori (DOB 11-11-65) who had been previously incarcerated for bank and commercial robberies. After we identified Knori as the Radio Shack suspect, we reached out to other agencies with a similar suspect description. Seven other agencies were able to positively identify Knori as their suspect in various violent crimes.

With Knori identified as the suspect in the Orange Radio Shack armed robbery and other crimes throughout Orange and Los Angeles Counties and in Arizona, we partnered with the U.S. Marshalls Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force. On April 13, 2014, the U.S. Marshalls located Knori at the Hiland Motel in Long Beach where he was arrested without incident. He was in possession of a chrome Smith & Wesson .357 Magnum revolver.

The identification and arrest of Knori has already resulted in the successful clearing of numerous commercial robberies and bank robberies; where he was sought by the FBI and was also wanted in Arizona. There are several more cases where Knori may be the suspect. Those identifications are pending.



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