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Warrant issued for woman accused of striking officer with car



Suspected Tamara D. Lewis

Shreveport Police investigators have procured a warrant for a Shreveport woman identified as a suspect in striking a Shreveport Police officer with a car as she fled during a shoplifting attempt.

Just after 8:45 p.m. on March 15, 2018, a Shreveport Police officer was working an off-duty security detail at Dillard's department store in Mall St. Vincent when an alleged shoplifter was spotted. The shoplifter had been seen on video on a previous occasion running off with hundreds of dollars in merchandise without paying for the items.

The uniformed officer spotted the woman, who after being observed, fled from the store and into the parking lot. The officer pursued the woman on foot, who was seen getting into a 2006-2012 model, white or silver colored Chevrolet Impala, with a black stripe around the bottom portion of the car. The woman, in her attempts to flee, struck the officer with the vehicle, and continued out of the parking lot. The officer, who was not seriously injured, was treated for minor scrapes and bruises. Since the investigation began officers have worked tirelessly in search of the identity of the woman. On Today, investigators learned the woman was 30 year old Tamara D. Lewis of the 4800 block of Old Mooringsport Road in Shreveport. Lewis is now wanted on single count of Aggravated battery. Bond in the matter has been set at \$50,000.00. Persons with any information on the whereabouts of Tamara Lewis are asked to contact Crimestoppers at (318) 673-7373 or visit their website at: www.lockemup.org

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