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Suspect sought in hold-up of hotel

Video Image of robbery suspect

Shreveport Police detectives are on the hunt for a suspect responsible for an armed robbery of a local hotel Wednesday morning.

Just after 7:30 a.m. Shreveport Police were called to an armed robbery of the Wyndham Gardens Hotel located in the 1400 block of East 70th Street. On officer's arrival at the scene, it was learned a male suspect entered the front lobby of the hotel, armed with a small caliber handgun. Once inside the lobby, the suspect demanded money from employees working behind the counter.

The suspect, after making off with an undisclosed amount of money, fled the building on foot, running west bound from the business. No injuries were reported during the robbery. Footage of the robbery was captured on surveillance video, which investigators feel will be helpful in the identification of the suspect. The robber was described as a black male, dressed in a dark hooded sweater, dark pants, and stood approximately five feet, ten inches tall and weighed approximately 160 pounds. Persons with any information on the suspect is urged to call Crimestoppers at (318) 673-7373 or visit their website at www.lockemup.org

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