

PRESS RELEASE



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Rape Suspect Arrested

Seal Beach, CA. – On February 18, 2018, Seal Beach Police Detectives arrested Darryl Lee Matanane (age 55 of Seal Beach) on the charge of rape. Matanane was identified as the suspect in a sexual assault investigation.

The victim reported she went to a local restaurant where the suspect served her an alcoholic drink. She later awoke in an unfamiliar apartment and was sexually assaulted. The victim does not remember how she got to the apartment.

During the course of the investigation, Detectives identified Matanane as the suspect in this incident. Matanane was arrested and charged with rape.

Seal Beach Police Detectives are seeking other possible victims or witnesses. If you have additional information about this incident please contact Detective Jeff Gibson at (562) 799-4100 x1109.

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