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PRESS RELEASE

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Killeen Police are looking for a 23 year old man who is wanted for Sexual Assault.

Officers were called to a residence on Bending Trail on Wednesday, March 9, 2011 at approximately 10:30pm, after being told that a 15 year old female had been sexually assaulted. Upon the officers arrived they were told that the victim was sexually assaulted earlier by a 23 year old male who lived at a residence in the 5300 block of Vail Dr.

Through the investigation it was determined that a Sexual Assault had occurred. This case was reviewed by the Bell County District Attorney's office on Tuesday, March 22, 2011 and a complaint was returned charging Christopher Larry Cowherd with Sexual Assault; Justice of the Peace Garland Potvin issued a warrant for his arrest.

Christopher Larry Cowherd is a 23 year old black male with numerous tattoos. He has several on his neck and shoulders as well as tattooed writing along his hairline on his forehead and atop both eyebrows. He stands 6'4" tall and weighs approximately 225 pounds. He has black hair and brown eyes. Cowherd drives a black 2009 GMC Sierra pickup truck bearing NY license plates FBB-9339.



Detectives are asking anyone who knows the whereabouts of Christopher Cowherd they are asked to call Crime Stoppers at 526-TIPS (8477) or go online at www.killeencrimestoppers.com or text the word KILLEEN to 274637 (CRIMES). If the information you provide leads to the arrest of the suspect then you could be eligible for a cash reward up to \$1,000.

This case continues to be investigated and information will be released as it becomes available.

UPDATE: April 7, 2011

Christopher Cowherd was arrested in Centerville, TX on Saturday, April 2, 2011.

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