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**POLICE**

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**SUBJECT: UPDATE ARREST Suspicious person caught on home video in Port St. Lucie neighborhood plagued with recent burglaries.**

On May 17, 2016 Port St. Lucie Police Detectives arrested Douglas Scott Schauble Jr. (DOB 4/12/96, 782 SE Browning Avenue, Port St. Lucie) on 8 counts of burglary to a vehicle, 1 count of burglary to a residence, and grand theft.

On Thursday, May 12, 2016, Port St. Lucie Police released video of a masked suspect who was peering in car windows in the 700 block of SE Autumn Terrace. After release of the video, detectives received several tips that Schauble was the suspect in the video. During the investigation, detectives noticed a distinct tattoo on the suspect's forearm. Detectives confronted Schauble, who had the same tattoo on his forearm. Schauble eventually admitted to several burglaries that had taken place around his neighborhood.

During an interview, detectives learned that Schauble had placed the stolen items, along with the mask and gloves used in the burglaries, in a book bag. Schauble then placed the book bag in the trash, which has since been picked up by waste management.

Schauble was arrested and taken to the St. Lucie County Jail for booking.

Attachments: Arrest affidavits, police reports, and booking photo.