

Crimestoppers Media Release

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ONE OF NEW ORLEANS POLICE DEPARTMENT'S MOST WANTED SUSPECTS, WANTED FOR ATTEMPTED MURDER AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH A GUN WHO HAS AN EXTENSIVE CRIMINAL HISTORY WITH PREVIOUS ARRESTS FOR MURDER WAS CAPTURED FROM A CRIMESTOPPERS TIP OFF OF TODAY'S CRIMESTOPPERS FUGITIVE ROUNDUP

Members of the United States Marshals Service's Fugitive Task Force announced the arrest of Stanley Berniard, Black Male, 4/5/79, of 210 Long Street, Slidell, LA this afternoon. Berniard was wanted by the New Orleans Police Department for the following offenses:

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NOPD Item J-6680-08/ Attempted Murder: Berniard is alleged by witnesses to have stood over a known victim firing numerous bullets into the victim's body from a dark-colored handgun. The offense occurred on 10/6/08, in the 6500 block of Morrison Road. The incident was originally investigated by Detectives from the NOPD's Seventh Police District.

NOPD Item E-1779809/Aggravated Assault with a Gun: Berniard is alleged by witnesses to have fired several rounds from a firearm at a known victim. The offense occurred on 5/13/09, in the 4400 block of Chef Menteur Highway. The incident was originally investigated by Detectives from the NOPD's Seventh Police District.

Berniard's arrest is a direct result of a Crimestopper's tip received earlier this afternoon. The tip led investigators to establish a surveillance outside of 210 Long Street, Slidell, LA. While on surveillance, members of the Task Force observed Berniard exit a vehicle near the residence and took him into custody without incident.

Berniard was booked as a fugitive from New Orleans and awaits extradition to that jurisdiction.

For additional information related to the arrest, please contact Supervisory Deputy US Marshal Doug Farrell at 504-915-3110. For information related to the facts of the investigations, please contact the New Orleans Police Department's Office of Public Affairs.

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