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Dear residents of Jurong West Extension

**CRIME PREVENTION ADVISORY - ROBBERY**

Recently 3 cases of lift robberies were reported at the vicinity of Jurong West St 71, 74 and 81 respectively. All instances occurred between 1400 hrs and 1800 hrs. In all incidents, the culprit will enter the lift with the victim, attack the victim from behind and subsequently snatch away their belongings.

- 2 The description of the culprit is as follows:
  - Male subject with dark complexion
  - Early 20s – mid 30 years old
  - Slim to medium built
  - Height of about 1.5m to 1.6m
  
- 3 You can avoid being the next victim by following the below advice:
  - a. When inside the lift, you should always stay close to the lift control panel. This would enable you to control the lift in case a stranger rushes in just as the door is closing;
  - b. When returning home alone or late at night, arrange for a relative/ friend to escort you home. Carry a shrill alarm with you and use it to deter the culprit or to attract the attention of passers-by; and
  - c. When alone, always be alert and be attentive to the surroundings. If you suspect that you are being followed, remain calm and proceed to a more crowded area or call the Police to seek help;
  
- 4 Should you be a victim of crime, remain calm and do not resist. Take note of the description of the culprit, e.g. his appearance, clothing, height and other physical details. Also note the escape direction taken by the culprit and his mode of escape. Call the police as soon as it is safe to do so.
  
- 5 If you have any information on the above or find suspicious person(s) loitering around your neighbourhood, do not hesitate to contact **Nanyang Neighbourhood Police Center** at **1800-7929999** or dial **999**.

Yours Sincerely,

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**CRIME PREVENTION – A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY**

