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VPD Report Number: 17-92262 Date/Time Occurred: 11-4-17 / 0905 hrs

**Type of Incident:** Attempted Carjacking Location: Dinuba / Houston

## Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:Age:Arrested:1. Allen, Darrell24Yes

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**Details:** On 11-4-17 at approx. 0905 hours, officers were dispatched to the area of Houston / Dinuba regarding a male holding an unknown object which appeared to be a firearm. Upon arrival, officers located the victim who stated (S)Darrell Allen approached her in a parking lot and demanded the keys to her vehicle or he would shoot her. The victim was able to drive away and contact police. (S)Darrell Allen was located in the area and detained. He was positively identified as the one involved in the crime. No injuries were sustained as a result of this incident. The object was determined to not be a firearm. (S)Darrell Allen was subsequently arrested and booked for attempted carjacking.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol Supervisor: Sgt. Gerrit De Jong