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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Date: Saturday September 6, 2008**  
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### **Juvenile Victim Of Gunshot Transported To Local Hospital**

Riverside, CA – On Saturday, September 6, 2008 at 5:08 a.m. officers from the Riverside Police Department responded to the 7400 block of Diamond Street, after receiving reports of a shooting in the area.

Upon the officers arrival they were told that a 16 year old male, with a gunshot wound to the upper torso had already been transported to a local hospital by friends. Once at Riverside Community Hospital the victim was taken into surgery and is listed in critical condition. The victim's identity is not being released at this time.

Information received at the scene indicates that the victim may have been involved in a confrontation with several unknown males just prior to the shooting at the corner of Diamond and Bunker.

Homicide Investigators responded and were assisted in their investigation by personnel from the Forensic Unit. The investigation is ongoing and there is no additional information available at this time.

Anyone with information pertaining to this shooting should contact Detective Greg Rowe (951) 353-7136, or Detective Dave Smith (951) 353-7102.

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