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PRESS RELEASE

March 3, 2017

Burglary/Sexual Assault Arrest

On March 2, 2017 at 11:30 p.m., Salisbury Police officers responded to the 500 block of Georgia Avenue in reference to reports of a woman screaming. Officers located an adult female victim who indicated that an intruder had forced entry into her residence and was currently inside the home with her 3 year old grandchild. Officers immediately secured the residence and safely evacuated the child prior to arresting the suspect.

Additional investigation determined that the suspect was attempting to steal property from the residence when the victims returned home, inadvertently interrupting the burglary. The suspect then sexually assaulted the adult victim and also assaulted the juvenile. The adult victim was able to escape the residence and summons help, at which time SPD was contacted.

Both victims were treated and released from PRMC for non-life-threatening injuries. The suspect was found in possession of property stolen from the home, as well as over 270 grams of marijuana at the time of his arrest. The suspect later assaulted a Salisbury Police officer while in custody. The officer and suspect were uninjured during that incident.

While investigating the above incident, detectives became aware of an earlier burglary that appeared related. Investigators determined that at 8:20 p.m. on March 2, 2017, the same offender had burglarized a residence in the 100 block of Onley Rd. During that incident, the victims returned home and found the suspect attempting to steal property from the residence. The suspect fled when confronted and no one was injured.

Investigation is continuing. Anyone with information on these incidents is requested to contact the Salisbury Police Department at (410)548-3165.

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Charges: Attempted Rape – 1st Degree Sex Offense – 1st Degree (4 counts) Burglary – 1st Degree (2 counts) CDS Possess w/ Intent to Distribute Burglary – 4th Degree

Attempted Rape – Second Degree Assault – 2nd Degree (4 counts) Attempted Theft – Under \$1000 False Imprisonment (2 counts) Attempted Theft - \$1000-\$10000

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