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Four Arrested in Lakewood Stolen Property Case

Lakewood - ABC Investigators along with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputies arrested four individuals at three different locations during a Receiving Purportedly Stolen Property Sting Operation on October 20, 2006.

ABC worked closely with the Sheriff's Department after receiving complaints about these locations in the community. ABC investigators and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputies went undercover for approximately one month to develop information that led to the arrests.

As a result of the investigation, four persons were arrested for felony violations and one arrest warrant has been issued for a suspect still at large. Suspects will face possible jail or prison time for up to one year.

The arrests were made at the following locations:

Delta Liquor- 5237 Paramount Blvd, Lakewood, Carson Park Liquor- 4119 Los Coyotes Diagonal, Lakewood, Windsor Liquor- 6510 E. South St, Lakewood CA 90713

In addition to the criminal charges against the suspects involved, the Department expects to file accusations against the licensee of each liquor store. Administrative penalties for receiving purportedly stolen property can result in significant suspension time, which may include the actual revocation of the ABC license.

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