



## Bureau of Detectives – Area Central



# Business Alert

## Aggravated Battery/Theft/Credit Card Fraud 001st District (Central)

Alert #P18-1-015BA  
January 14, 2018

### About the Crime:

This alert gives notice to businesses and citizens residing in the 001<sup>st</sup> (Central) District of battery and theft related incidents during the months of November thru January. The suspect depicted in video stills is going into restaurants in the South Loop area and stealing unattended purses. The offender then uses the theft victim's credit cards to purchase retail items and cab service. This suspect is also a person of interest in the aggravated battery of a convenience store customer. These incidents have occurred during the evening hours in the general geographical locations listed below:

### Incident times and locations:

- 800 block of S. Wabash Ave. on 02 November 2017 at 8:10 PM
- 700 block of S. Dearborn St. on 09 December 2017 at 7:30 PM
- 200 block of N. Wabash Ave. on 10 January 2018 at 8:00 PM

### About the offenders:

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### What you can do:

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- If you are confronted by an assailant remain calm
- Remember any unique physical characteristics (scars, limp, acne, teeth, etc.)
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide the information to the police
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible

If you have any information Contact the Bureau of Detectives – Area Central  
(312) 747-8384

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(Reference: PATTERN # P18-1-015)