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NEWS RELEASE

PIO ASSIGNED THIS INCIDENT: Captain A. Xiques

PPPD CASE NUMBER: 2014-063573 **DATE:** 08/21/2014 **TIME:** 0700

CHARGE/INCIDENT: Suspicious Incident

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: Silver Trail Middle School 18300 Sheridan Street

VICTIM(S) – NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

1) School Board of Broward County - Silver Trail Middle School

2) _____

SUSPECT(S) – NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

1) Unknown

2) _____

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: Last night a teacher at Silver Trail Middle School received an email from an unknown source, which included the words "blowing up the school". The email was identical to one sent earlier in the year, to the same recipient. As a precautionary measure, The Broward School District advised parents and students via text, Robo Call and email, not to respond to the school this morning until further advised.

A cursory search of the school with school employees and Pembroke Pines Police, was initiated early this morning. The search which included an explosive detection canine, did not reveal anything suspicious or of concern. The school district has made the determination to allow students into the school this morning, and is requesting that students do not bring a book bag or back pack to school today.

It should be noted that the incident earlier this year did not result in the discovery of any suspicious items.

The efforts underway were conducted as a precautionary measure, to ensure the safety of all students, teachers and staff.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact the Pembroke Pines Police Department at 954-431-2200, email to Tips@ppines.com, or call Crimestoppers at 954-493-TIPS