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Indecent Assault Arrest

On 29 June 2010, and again on 2 July 2010, the Lancaster City Bureau of Police received information from two separate female victims reporting that a male subject grabbed them from behind. In both cases the male subject would rub his groin against the victims and then leave the area on a red or blue bicycle.

One of the crime victims observed the male subject near her residence. The victim alerted patrol officers who stopped the subject and obtained his identification. Detectives of the Special Investigation Unit (SIU) followed up on both incidents which included reviewing video of a local laundromat where one of the incidents occurred.

On 16 July 10, detectives arrested the following subject for two counts of Indecent Assault filed by Detective Sergeant Sonja Stebbins:

Shawn Michael HENSON, M/18
400 block of E. Mifflin St.
Lancaster, PA

Detectives speculate that there may be other victims of this crime, and those victims are encouraged to immediately file a report with police. Detective Rob Deeter is the point of contact in SIU.

HENSON was arraigned by District Justice Cheryl Hartman and committed to the Lancaster County Prison in default of \$20,000 cash bail.

All persons are considered innocent until proven guilty in court.

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