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CAPITAL SEXUAL BATTERY SUSPECT AWAITS EXTRADITION

WHO: Fidel Martinez Vaquero (Arrested)

DOB: 10-30-76

LKA: 2017 Kings Hwy. #28
Clearwater, Fla.

8-year-old female (Victim)

WHAT: Capital Sexual Battery

WHEN: June 20, 2009

7:30 a.m.

WHERE: The crime occurred at a private residence in Clearwater.

WHY: The suspect sexually battered the victim on June 20, 2009 at a private residence in Clearwater. Family members reported the crime to police. Detectives identified Fidel Vaquero as a suspect and secured a warrant for his arrest. Vaquero fled the area and was arrested on the warrant in Leon County, Florida. Vaquero is awaiting extradition.

The suspect was known to the victim. To protect the identity of the victim, Florida Statute 119.071(2)(h)1 prohibits the release of any further information.

A 2008 mug shot of Vaquero is attached.

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