

# UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



## ***PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY – OCTOBER 21, 2004***

### **ALERT:**

Critical / Major Incident

### **ADVISORY:**

Important Incident

### **BULLETIN:**

General Information

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The Department of Public Safety would like to advise the University of St. Thomas community about a suspicious incident that occurred inside a residence hall.

On October 20<sup>th</sup> at about 4:30 p.m. an Ireland Hall student reported a suspicious person staring at him inside a resident hall bathroom while he showered. When the suspect realized that the student had noticed him staring, he quickly went into a toilet stall and closed the door. After a short period, another resident witnessed the suspect leaving the restroom and exiting down the north stairwell of Ireland Hall.

The suspect is described as a white male, approximately 6'0" tall, heavy set, weighing approximately 230 pounds, with black, dirty, straight, shoulder length hair and was clean shaven. The witnesses did not recognize the individual as being affiliated with the residence hall or the St. Thomas community.

Public Safety is investigating this incident. If you have any information concerning the incident, you are urged to contact Public Safety at (651) 962-5100.

Public Safety would like to take this opportunity to remind all of you to be cautious and responsible for the guests that you bring to campus and into your residence.

- Never allow individuals to follow you through the door without checking in or swiping their identification card for access.
- Always lock your room when you leave and communicate your plans with a friend or roommate.
- If you see any suspicious individuals or activities in your residence please contact Public Safety immediately.

**Public Safety urges you to be pro-active and alert. You can help prevent crime!**

If you have information regarding crimes on campus you are urged to contact  
Public Safety at (651) 962-5100 and the police (651) 291-1111

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