Pembroke Pines Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

ASSIGNED PIO: Captain Christian S. Rogers

DATE OF MEDIA RELEASE: Sunday, September 24th, 2023

TIME OF MEDIA RELEASE: 11:30 **p.m.**

CASE NUMBER: PPPD23OFF062038

CHARGE/INCIDENT: Aggravated Battery

DATE OF OCCURRENCE: Friday, September 22nd, 2023

TIME OF OCCURRENCE: 3:45 **p.m.**

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: 800 East Cypress Drive

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

Reinaldo Bermeosolo, 34 years old, July 8th, 1989, White Hispanic Male, 800 East Cypress Drive

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

Victim #1: Adult Hispanic Male

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

On Friday, September 22nd, 2023, at 4:45 p.m., members of the Pembroke Pines Police Department responded to a 911 call at South Florida State Hospital regarding two patients who had been involved in a physical altercation.

Officers were escorted by the staff members to a secure room in the hospital and met with the suspect. The victim had already been transported to a local hospital as a result of severe injuries that he sustained during the physical altercation.

During the course of the investigation, it was revealed that the suspect and victim are court ordered to be at the facility as patients. The suspect and victim are roommates and were involved in a verbal argument which turned physical. The suspect punched the victim in the face and then dragged him onto the ground. Once on the ground, the suspect continued to punch the victim and

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eventually, the suspect pulled both of the victim's eyes out of his eye-sockets. Another patient happened to be walking passed the room where the altercation was occurring and alerted hospital staff.

Based upon their investigation, our officers took the suspect into their custody and transported him to jail.

This remains an active criminal investigation and additional information will be released upon availability.