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PRESS RELEASE

(St. Michaels, MD) – The Talbot County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division has arrested an individual for the third time in a week for voyeur type crimes in the St. Michaels, MD area.

Diego Albarado Lopez, 29, of St. Michaels, MD has been charged with several counts of Visual Surveillance or "peeping tom" of two residences in the St. Michaels area.

Lopez was arrested on March 8, 2022 for attempting to burglarize a residence on Jefferson Avenue. Lopez was caught in the act by the resident who detained Lopez until deputies arrived. Lopez was released that afternoon after a bond review in District Court. Lopez was arrested on March 9, 2022 on an arrest warrant obtained for a peeping tom incident in December 2021. He was released that afternoon after a bond review in District Court.

A press release for those incidents generated citizen information about two unreported peeping tom incidents that occurred between May and June 2021 and September and October 2021. The caller reported she observed Lopez peering into the windows of two different residences in the 100 block of Miles Lane on those occasions.

Detectives conducted an investigation and obtained an arrest warrant for Lopez for these incidents. Lopez was subsequently arrested without incident at the Talbot County Sheriff's Office on March 14, 2022. Lopez was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for booking and processing. Lopez was taken before a District Court Commissioner for an initial appearance where he was held without bond. Lopez had a bail review in District Court on March 15, 2022 and was held without bond.

Lopez was charged with the following:

- Peeping Tom (Two Counts)
- Trespass-Peeping Tom (Two Counts)

If anyone has encountered Lopez, or has additional information, they are asked to contact the Talbot County Sheriff's Office at 410-822-1020, by email at sheriff@talbotcountymd.gov, through Facebook at Talbot County Sheriff's Office or on our website at talbotsheriff.org.



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