



**Porterville Police Department  
Press Release**

**Incident:** 459 P.C. – Commercial Burglary

**Date/Time:** March 8, 2010 / 4:55 P.M.

**Location:** Save Mart, 50 West Olive Avenue, Porterville

**Suspect(s):** Israel Cantu, 48 Years, Porterville Resident

**Summary:**

On March 8, 2010 at approximately 4:55 P.M. Porterville Police Officers responded to Save Mart located at 50 West Olive Avenue regarding a subject detained for theft. Officers contacted store employees who stated that the suspect, Israel Cantu, concealed \$45 worth of food in his clothing and tried to leave the store. Cantu was detained and the police were contacted. Investigation revealed that Cantu entered the store with the intent to steal and he also had an active warrant for his arrests. Cantu was arrested and booked into the Tulare County Jail.

**Investigating Officer(s)**  
Ofc. E. Martinez #169

**Supervisor**  
Sgt. B. Nix #146