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Arrest made in convenience store robbery

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SUMTER, SC (Aug. 24, 2017) – A man faces charges in connection to an armed robbery Tuesday night at a Broad Street convenience store.

Following multiple tips from the public and law enforcement community, Sumter Police were able to identify Timothy Odell Head, 57, as the suspect.

Head, who is transient, was later apprehended this morning at U.S. 15 North motel. Charged with armed robbery and possession of a weapon during a violent crime, he is being held at the Sumter-Lee Regional Detention Center.

Witness accounts said the robber entered Sunoco, 1083 Broad St., when he pulled out a handgun and demanded money. He then left on foot with an undetermined amount of cash and other items.

An investigation is continuing.

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Approved for media release by Chief Russell F. Roark, III

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