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LCSO Investigating Late Night Shooting

Sunday night May 9, 2010, at approximately 9:48p.m., Leon County Sheriff's Deputies were called to The Heights Dance Hall located at 15981 Mahan Drive in reference to a shooting. When deputies arrived it was reported that a crowd of subjects had gathered in the parking lot. A group of these subjects had thrown a bottle into the crowd and was confronted by an unknown person. One the subjects suspected of throwing the bottle armed himself with a firearm and began shooting into the panicked crowd. 34 year-old Mario Winfield was shot in the jaw as he attempted to flee the area of the shooting. Winfield was transported Capital Regional Medical Center by friends, and then transferred to Tallahassee Memorial Hospital for treatment of a non-life threatening gunshot wound. The suspects who reportedly had thrown the bottle fled in an early 2000 model maroon Ford Focus. Violent Crime Detectives are on scene and have identified Terrell D. Smith as the possible triggerman who may have fled in the Ford Focus.

Violent Crime Detectives request anyone who was at the Dance Hall when the shooting occurred and witnessed the events which led to the shooting to contact the Leon County Sheriff Office. Also anyone who may have information about the location of Terrell D. Smith is asked to contact the Leon County Sheriff's Office at (850) 922-3300.

Person of Interest
Terrell D. Smith
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