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Arrests Made in Separate Commercial Burglary Cases

Claremont, CA – On November 17, 2025, a commercial burglary occurred at 921 W. Foothill Blvd. (Los Jarritos). During the investigation, officers identified a suspect based on video surveillance. On December 3, 2025, a Claremont Police Department officer located the suspect near Garey Ave. and Drake St. The suspect was arrested and transported to the Claremont Police Department jail.

The Glendora Police Department also wanted the suspect for burglary. He was released with a written notice to appear in court, and the Glendora Police Department subsequently took him into custody in connection with their investigation. The arrested individual was identified as **Aaron Jason Land, a 54-year-old male from Pomona.**

On December 4, 2025, two additional commercial burglaries occurred: one at 546 E. Baseline Rd. (Euro Cafe) and another at 586 E. Baseline Rd. (Rincon Azteca). During the investigation, officers learned that a commercial burglary had also occurred in the City of Upland. The Upland Police Department made an arrest related to their investigation.

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Claremont officers worked collaboratively with Upland investigators and determined that the suspects arrested in Upland were responsible for the commercial burglaries in Claremont. The suspects were identified as **Robert Smith, a 32-year-old male from Lancaster, and Jacqueline Smith, a 37-year-old female from Upland.** Both suspects are currently being held at the West Valley Detention Center pending arraignment.

Anyone with additional information regarding these burglaries is encouraged to contact the Claremont Police Department at **909-399-5411**.

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