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**Police Release Name and Photo of Suspect Wanted in Fatal Shooting of Ice Cream Vendor**

*Oakland, CA* – Oakland Police Department Homicide Investigators have released the name and photo of the suspect who is wanted in the fatal shooting of an ice cream vendor.

Investigators have released this photo of wanted suspect Joevan Lopez, whom they believe is responsible for fatally shooting ice cream vendor Jasvir Singh, 45, on October 3, 2015 at 4:31 PM in the 9300 block of Peach Street.

Joevan Lopez is wanted on a no-bail, probable cause warrant in connection with the murder of Mr. Singh.

**Suspect** – Lopez is described as an African American, 23 years old, 5’7”, 158 pounds, with brown eyes and dark hair worn in a dreadlock style. (See the attached photo of Lopez).

**BACKGROUND:** On Saturday, October 3, 2015, just after 4:31 PM, officers responded to the 9300 block of Peach Street on a report of a shooting. When officers arrived on scene they located ice cream vendor Jasvir Singh who had been fatally shot. Medical personnel pronounced Singh deceased at the scene.

Crime Stoppers of Oakland is offering a reward of up to $10,000 for information leading to an arrest in this case. Anyone with information is asked to contact Oakland Police Department Homicide Section at (510) 238-3821 or Crime Stoppers of Oakland TIP LINE (510) 777-8572.

Nixle Tip Watch allows ANONYMOUS tipsters to send OPD a tip three ways:
1. Text TIP OAKLANDPD to 888777 from your cell phone followed by your tip
2. Call our toll-free tip hotline at 855-TIPS-247 (855-847-7247)
3. Submit a tip by web form – see the option at the bottom of OPD's Nixle messages or visit http://nixle.us/tip/oakland-police-department-ca/ to complete and send.

Anonymous Tipping allows residents to proactively connect with the Oakland Police Department by submitting anonymous tips via web form and text message. Additionally, with the issuance of a tipping passcode to tipsters, we can initiate a two-way, anonymous communication to help gather more information.
For more information, please contact the Media Relations Office at 510-238-7230 or opdmedia@oaklandnet.com. Visit Nixle.com to receive Oakland Police Department alerts, advisories and community messages, or follow OPD on Twitter, @oaklandpoliceca.

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