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At 3:50am yesterday morning the Shell Gas Station located at 1731 Capilano Road was the scene of a robbery. A lone male entered the store and after producing a large knife ordered the clerk to hand over the money in the register. The male was dressed in all black and wearing a balaclava and gloves. He was described as being approximately 5 foot 8" tall and having a medium build.

The suspect forced the male employee to place the small amount of the register's money and all of the store's cigarettes into a duffle bag that he had brought along with him. The suspect is believed to have fled from the scene in a vehicle, but the last known direction of travel is unknown. The robbery was caught on the station's video surveillance and police have seized this tape for processing.

Upon initial viewing of the surveillance tape it appears that a surprised customer entered through the station's door and walked in during the robbery, but turned away and left when they noticed the robbery that was in progress. The witness appears to be a Caucasian male in his 30's. North Vancouver RCMP are interested in speaking with this person about the incident and any possible information they may have about what they witnessed in and around the station during the incident.

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