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Media Release

Incident: Copper Theft
Location: APAC Industries, 6791 North Highway VV
Date & time: 11/30/11 @ 1730 to 12/1/11 @ 0600
Case Number: 11-7316

Details:

Thieves stole an estimated \$100,000 in copper wire from APAC Industries north of Columbia after the business closed Wednesday evening (11/30/11) and the Sheriff's Department is urging anyone with information about the incident to contact CrimeStoppers at 875-TIPS (8477).

Sheriff's deputies responded to APAC Industries, 6791 North Highway VV, shortly after 7:00 this morning (12/1/11) where company personnel reported about 45 wooden spools of coated copper wiring missing. There were no signs of forced entry to the facility and it appears the suspects may have entered from an adjacent property.

The Sheriff's Department has responded recently to several thefts of copper and other metals recently. Construction companies, work sites and public utility locations have been targeted. The suspects usually take the materials to recycling facilities for resale.

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Release authorized by: Det. Tom O'Sullivan, #5040