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PRESS RELEASE

Date: 11-12-08

Location: Downtown Post Office
315 Barnette St.

Incident: Suspicious Package

Case #: 08-22189

On 11-12-08 at approximately 1:25 pm Fairbanks Police were notified of a suspicious package at the downtown Post Office at 315 Barnette Street. Post Office employees discovered a package in the loading area that had no address and appeared suspicious in nature. Postal inspectors contacted the Eielson Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) unit who responded with their examination and disposal equipment.

The surrounding streets were blocked off by the Fairbanks Police Department while the Post Office and other offices in the building were cleared. EOD personnel entered the building, examined the package and removed it. Examination of the package revealed that it was business related mail that had not been properly labeled.

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