



## Tips on Avoiding an Armed Robbery

Within the past week there has been an increase in Armed Robberies within the RCID, Sunnybrae and Rondebosch areas, please take heed of the below safety tips on how to safeguard against Armed Robberies.

## Approaching your destination

*Practise the 1 km security routine to enhance your concentration levels:*

- Make use of the Meet and Greet Service
- Take note of vehicles that are behind you and ensure that you are not being followed
- Turn off your cell phone/s and radio and quieten down your passengers
- Be aware of people in the area
- Good lighting and clearing of any bushes and trees around your garage and driveway are good security measures.

## When you arrive at your destination

- Park in a well-lit spot, as near as possible to where you are going.
- Look around for people before switching your engine off and opening your car door
- When you get home, keep the headlights on until the garage door is open and you have parked the car
- If possible, reverse into your driveway, enabling you to drive away quicker, if needed
- If applicable, close your gate before opening the garage.
- Be particularly alert when going into the garage or a complex's parking area and the rest of your property.

## Keep Safe!

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