

Burglary suspect arrested outside Smoke Shop

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At 2:30 p.m., April 13, the Crescent City Police Department was dispatched to the Smoke Shop, 450 U.S. Highway 101 North, for a report of a theft.

Del Norte County Sheriff's Office deputies also assisted with the response. During the investigation, CCPD officers learned the suspect became upset after a purchase transaction was declined. The suspect, Jaden Green, 20, made a purchase earlier in the day at the Smoke Shop and returned to make another purchase when his credit card was declined.

Green then allegedly threatened the store clerk and reached behind the counter to steal a box of merchandise. During the altercation, the store clerk received a minor injury as she tried to prevent the theft.

Green was located a few feet from the store behind a dumpster in the parking lot. Green was booked and held in the Del Norte County Jail on suspicion of making criminal threats, robbery, resisting a peace officer and possession of inhalable nitrous oxide.

"I would like to personally commend the quick response from the CCPD officers and DNSO deputies involved with this investigation," Crescent City Police Chief Richard Griffin wrote on the CCPD Facebook

page. “Their actions allowed for the suspect to be quickly taken into custody and for a quality investigation to be forwarded to the Del Norte County District Attorney’s Office for review.”