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MEDIA RELEASE

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On April 16, 2014 at approximately 7:25 pm an unknown white male entered the Hobby Town USA store located at 325 Benner Pike, College Township, State College, PA and stole a remote control helicopter valued at \$470.00.

Store video footage captured two unknown white males enter the Hobby Town USA store at separate times between 7:10pm and 7:15pm. The males appeared to work together in distracting the store clerk. While the clerk was assisting one of the suspects at the back of the store the second suspect stole a RTF helicopter in a large box and fled the store. The suspect male with the stolen merchandise was last seen running toward the Walmart.

The first suspect that distracted the store clerk was described as a large, heavy set white male over 6' tall, close shaved hair, possibly gray, with a goatee wearing a black jacket and tan pants. The second suspect that fled the store with the RTF helicopter was described as a white male, thin build, average height, wearing a two-toned ball cap, white sunglasses, a dark colored Penn State hooded sweatshirt with a Penn State emblem on the left chest and left arm sleeve, and baggie light colored jeans.

If you can provide any information pertaining to this incident, please contact State College Police at 814-234-7150 or submit an [anonymous tip](#) through the web.

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