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ATF OFFERS UP TO \$10,000 REWARD IN FIREARM STORE BURGLARIES

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) is offering a reward of up to \$10,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for burglary of three Federal firearms licensed dealers on four separate occasions in the Mahoning Valley area. A total of 70 firearms were stolen from these firearm stores during the burglaries.

On May 8, 2007 at approximately 11:30 p.m., Buckeye Firearms in Rogers, Ohio was burglarized.

On May 13, 2007 at approximately 1:30 a.m. Midwest Money Center in Liberty, Ohio was burglarized.

On May 14, 2007 and May 20, 2007 at approximately 4:00 a.m., Miller Rod and Gun, Boardman, Ohio was burglarized.

ATF, Boardman Township Police and Liberty Township Police investigators have developed information regarding these burglaries. However, they need additional information from the public that may assist them in solving the case.

Anyone having information concerning any or all of the burglaries should call ATF's 24 hour hotline 1-800-ATF-GUNS (1-800-283-4867), Special Agent Jay Gebhart of the ATF Youngstown Field Office at 330-707-2305 or Boardman Police Sergeant Stephen Riwniak at 330-729-2077.

ATF is the federal law enforcement agency with the jurisdiction for regulating federally licensed firearms dealers. More information on ATF and its programs can be located at www.ATF.GOV.