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ATF OFFERS \$3,000 REWARD IN ROCKINGHAM COUNTY GUN SHOP BURGLARY

HARRISONBURG, Va. - The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) is offering a \$3,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible for the Dec. 19, 2007, burglary of the Rockingham County Farm Cooperative in Timberville, Va.

The investigation revealed that after entry was made into the store, the suspect(s) broke into locked display cases and wall racks and stole 36 firearms from the federal firearms licensee. In addition, several crossbows and ammunition were also taken during the burglary.

ATF, the Timberville Police Department, and the Rockingham County Sheriff's Office, who are investigating the theft of the firearms (including 14 handguns), have developed information regarding this burglary; however, they need additional information from the public that may assist them in concluding the case. These firearms pose a potential danger to the public; investigators are seeking information that would aid in the recovery of these firearms and arrest and prosecution of those responsible for the burglary.

ATF is asking that anyone with information regarding this burglary call the ATF toll-free hotline at **1-800-ATF-GUNS** (800-283-4867).

ATF is the federal agency with jurisdiction for investigating gun shop thefts. More information on ATF and its programs can be found at www.atf.gov.

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