



Saskatoon Police Service

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Armed Robbery Prevention Tips

Decrease the chances of your business being robbed:

- Move display shelves away from windows to maintain good visibility inside and out. Employees can better keep an eye on suspicious persons and someone outside may notice if a robbery does occur.
- Advertise a cash control policy. Adopt a cash limit and deposit excess in a safe.
- Install and advertise surveillance cameras. They serve as a deterrent and provide evidence of robberies.
- Instruct employees to follow the robber's instructions. Employees should hand over the money or items being demanded. They should not attempt to fight back.
- Employees should try to observe and remember the robber's description and vehicle if one is used. This could prove useful for police.
- Lock the doors following a robbery, notify police and avoid touching any areas of evidence.

