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Theft suspect delivers stolen motorcycle to police

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After police traced him to a mobile home, one of two men suspected of stealing an almost-new motorcycle Saturday night from a restaurant parking lot delivered the dirt bike to a police station Sunday, the Oakland County Sheriff's Office said today.

The owner of the 2010 Honda CR250 — valued at \$7,500 — had seen two men at about 11:30 p.m. Saturday loading his motorcycle into the back of a Plymouth Voyager minivan and he was able to get the van's license-plate number as they drove out of the parking lot of Mr. B's Roadhouse, 6761 Dixie Highway just south of Clarkston, Oakland County Undersheriff Mike McCabe said.

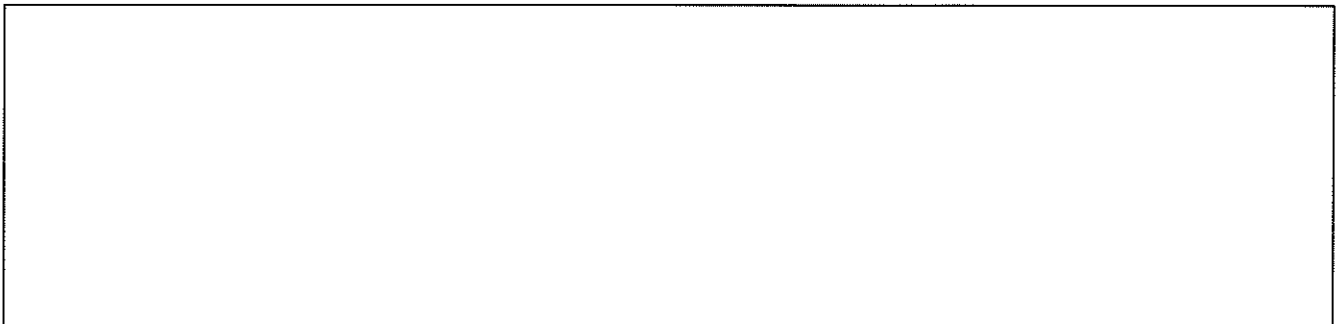
Police traced the license plate to an address in the Sashabaw Meadows Mobile Home Park in Brandon Township, locating one suspect who confessed to the theft, McCabe said. That man loaded the motorcycle onto his pickup and delivered it at 4 p.m. Sunday to the Oakland County Sheriff's Brandon Township substation, Lt. Dale Miller said in an e-mail.

The county's auto theft team also was seeking the second suspect, McCabe said. Police expect

both men to be charged with vehicle theft, McCabe said.

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