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The Kootenai County Sheriff's Office reports that an arrest has been made in the recent robbery of a clerk at the 7-11 Store in Hayden, Idaho.

Saturday, May 14th, about 4:30 p.m., Kootenai County Sheriff's Investigators assigned to the Violent Crimes Task Force arrested Timothy Wesley Allen, 29, of Coeur d'Alene for the robbery that occurred just after 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 11th. Allen was taken into custody without incident at his residence on Coeur d'Alene Lake Drive.

Allen has been booked at the Kootenai County Jail on one charge each of Robbery, Grand Theft and Aggravated Battery.

The female victim of the robbery was struck from behind as she walked to her vehicle last Wednesday evening and her purse was taken from her. The suspect fled on foot, eastbound from the store on Hayden Avenue.

Allen has previously been booked at the Kootenai County Jail for Inattentive Driving on March 17, 2009 and for Burglary, Shoplifting, Probation Violation and two outstanding warrants from Benewah County on December 9, 2010.

Further information may be released after Allen appears in court later today.

Rocky Watson, Sheriff

By: Major Ben Wolfinger