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PRESS RELEASE SAFETY ALERT

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Date: March 9, 2020
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Media: RVPD Spray Sanitizer Alert 01 [Image]. *Photo courtesy of the River Vale Police Department.*

RVPD ISSUES ALERT ABOUT “SPRAY SANITIZER” SOLD AT LOCAL 7-11

On Monday, March 9, 2020, the River Vale Police Department responded to the 7-Eleven at 8:13 p.m. An Officer became aware of an issue related to an item sold as “Spray Sanitizer” after pictures were posted to social media depicting a young boy with apparent burns to his arm and leg. Police responded to the store and immediately seized the remaining bottles.

Lieutenant John DeVoe stated, “While further investigation is underway, our first priority is to make the public aware that they should not use this item if they purchased it at the River Vale 7-Eleven. As far as we know, this issue is limited to the River Vale store at this time. From the information that we received, approximately one dozen of the bottles were sold to customers today.”

“We have alerted local, county, and state authorities and our investigation is ongoing at this time. Anyone who purchased this item from the River Vale 7-Eleven is asked to contact the River Vale Police Department at 201-664-1111.”

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