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Sketch released of girl's abductor

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Dallas police Monday released a composite sketch of a man believed to have briefly abducted a girl three days before Christie Proctor disappeared from the same North Dallas neighborhood.

Christie, 9, last was seen Feb. 15 as she walked from a friend's home to her apartment complex.

An intensive search by the fourth-grader's family and volunteers of a large area near LBJ Freeway and North Central Expressway has proved fruitless.

A 10-year-old girl has said a man abducted her Feb. 12 about two blocks from where Christie last was seen. He forced her to call her mother, then released her, police

said.

FBI agents drew the sketch from descriptions the girl provided while under hypnosis, youth division Lt. David Clary said Monday.

"We want to emphasize that we do not know if this incident is connected with Christie's disappearance, but there is a strong possibility," Clary said.

He said police hope people will link the sketch with a white van used in abducting the 10-year-old. The girl told police the van had horizontal brown stripes below the door handles, a sliding side door, and a bench-type shelf in its interior.

The abductor is described as white, in his mid-20s, with a tall, thin build, short, wavy, dark brown



Police have issued this sketch of a man believed to have briefly abducted a 10-year-old North Dallas girl three days before Christie Proctor disappeared.

hair and a mustache. He was wearing a denim long-sleeve shirt and dark brown pants and smelled of gas or oil and sweat, police said.