

**ACTIVITY:** Surfing

**CASE:** GSAF 2008.06.24

**DATE:** Tuesday June 24, 2008

**LOCATION:** The incident took place in the Atlantic Ocean at Guarajuba, Bahia, Brazil.  
12°41'60S, 38°6'0W

**NAME:** Ricardo Garcia Santo Sé

**BACKGROUND**

**MOON PHASE:** Last Quarter, June 26, 2008

**NARRATIVE:** The surfer was alone when a shark charged his board. He caught a wave to shore and as he ran for the sand he saw the shark biting his surfboard.

**INJURY:** The surfer was not injured by the shark.

**DAMAGE TO SURFBOARD:** The board was bitten by the shark.

**SPECIES:** Not identified.



**Surfista baiano é atacado por tubarão**

Um surfista baiano viveu momentos de pânico na manhã desta terça-feira (24), na praia de Guarajuba, no Litoral Norte. Ricardo Garcia Santo Sé foi atacado por um tubarão enquanto surfava. Na prancha, ficou a marca dos dentes. Ricardo disse que teria visto o animal depois da arrebentação, mas uma onda acabou aproximando surfista e tubarão.

Ricardo conta, que nesse momento, o tubarão teria atacado. O surfista conseguiu sair da prancha antes do animal atingi-lo. Ele ainda viu o tubarão mordendo a prancha quando corria para a areia. Ricardo estava sozinho no momento do ataque.

*Fonte: ibahia*

**Bahian Surfer is attacked by shark**

A bahian surfista lived moments of panic in the morning of this tuesday (24), in the beach of Guarajuba, the Coast North.

Ricardo Garcia Santo Sé was attacked by a shark while it surfed. In the board, it was the mark of teeth. Ricardo said that it would have seen the animal after the arrebentação, but a wave finished approaching surfista and shark. Ricardo counts, that at this moment, the shark would have attacked. The surfista obtained to leave the plate before the animal atingiz it. It still saw the shark biting the board when he ran for the sand. Ricardo was alone at the moment of the attack.

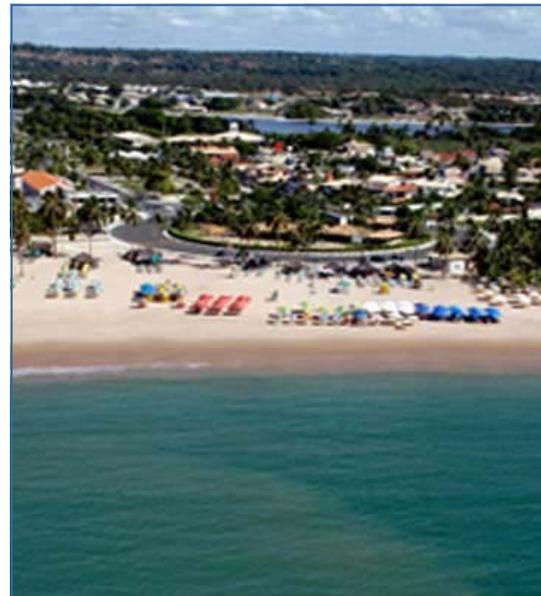
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### Surfer is attacked by shark at beach in Bahia

The surfer Bahia Ricardo Garcia Holy See was attacked by a shark when surfing, on the morning of Tuesday (24), on the beach in Guarajuba in Camacari (BA). *Na prancha, ficou a marca do que parece ser uma mordida do animal.* On board, was the mark of what appears to be a bite of the animal. *Ricardo teria visto o tubarão depois da arrebentação, mas uma onda jogou o surfista eo tubarão a menos de 20 metros da areia.* Ricardo had seen the shark after the surf, but a wave threw the surfer and shark to less than 20 meters of sand.

*Segundo Ricardo, foi nesse momento que o tubarão atacou.* According to Ricardo, was then that the shark attacked. *O surfista conseguiu sair da prancha antes de ser atingido.* The surfer managed to leave the board before being hit. *Ele diz ter visto o tubarão mordendo a prancha quando corria para a areia.* He claimed to have seen the shark biting when the board ran into the sand. *Ricardo estava sozinho no momento do ataque.* Richard was alone at the time of the attack.

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*Guarajuba beach, Bahia, Brazil*