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A business owner has told Citizens Against Trafficking that late last year, an Asian woman fled a spa-brothel nearby and came to their shop to ask for assistance.

She burst into their store and excitedly tried to communicate. She could only speak a few words of English. She pointed to the brothel and used hand motions and the word “f***” to indicate that she was being forced to engage in sex acts.

When asked if she wanted to call the police, she said, “Me, no English. You.” When asked if she wanted them to call the police, she nodded her head to indicate yes.

She frightened and confused the shop owner by pointing to their little girl, then to the brothel, saying, “Baby. Bad. Bad.”

They asked her if she had any family or friends nearby. She said, “New York.”

They asked her to wait in another room until the police arrived. When the police arrived, they discovered she has gone, presumably through a side door. The shop owner and workers in nearby shops looked around the neighborhood for her, but didn’t find her.

While they looked for her an Asian woman came out of the brothel and stood talking very loudly on her cell phone in a language they did not understand.

For more information about prostitution and sex trafficking in Rhode Island and citizens’ work to pass much needed, legitimate laws against prostitution and human trafficking see <http://citizensagainsttrafficking.org>