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PRESS RELEASE

ASSAULT ON A PUBLIC SERVANT, RESISTING ARREST, EVADING ARREST OR DETENTION, CRIMINAL TRESPASS

FRIDAY JANUARY 18, 2013



ON FRIDAY JANUARY 18, 2013 AT OR ABOUT 12:19AM, OFFICERS WERE DISPATCHED TO THE GAS STATION BAR LOCATED ON THE 100 BLOCK OF NORTH TRAVIS IN REFERENCE TO TWO MALES INVOLVED IN A DISPUTE. THE OFFICERS ARRIVED AT LOCATION AND WERE ADVISED BY THE BARTENDER THAT ONE OF THE MALES HAD LEFT THE AREA AND EVERYTHING WAS FINE. AN OFFICER NOTICED A MALE TRYING TO LEAVE THE BAR THROUGH THE EDGE OF THE WALL. THE OFFICER RECOGNIZED THE MALE AND BELIEVED TO HAVE HAD ACTIVE WARRANTS FOR HIS ARREST. THE OFFICER MADE CONTACT WITH THE MALE AND DETAINED HIM PENDING CONFIRMATION FOR THE WARRANTS. THE MALE BEGAN TO WALK BACKWARDS TOWARDS THE EXIT DOOR. THE OFFICER TOLD HIM TO STOP AND THE MALE TURNED AROUND AND RAN TOWARDS THE EXIT. THE OFFICER WAS ABLE TO GRAB THE MALE BY THE ARM AND A BACK UP BEGAN TO ASSIST. THE MALE BEGAN TO SWING HIS ARMS THEN HE STRUCK THE OFFICER ON THE LEFT SIDE OF HIS FACE AND CHEEK AREA WITH HIS ELBOW. THE OFFICERS USED SUFFICIENT FORCE TO MOVE HIM DOWN TO THE FLOOR AND THE MALE RESISTED AND STOOD UP SEVERAL TIMES ATTEMPTING TO FLEE. THE OFFICERS HANDCUFFED THE MALE AND THE WARRANTS WERE CONFIRMED THAT JACOB BARRIENTOS HAD ACTIVE WARRANTS FOR EVADING ARREST OR DETENTION AND CRIMINAL TRESPASS. ADDITIONAL CHARGES OF ASSAULT ON A PUBLIC SERVANT, RESISTING ARREST AND EVADING ARREST OR DETENTION WERE ADDED AS A RESULT OF THIS CURRENT INCIDENT. MR. BARRIENTOS WAS TAKEN TO THE CITY JAIL AND BOOKED IN ACCORDINGLY. MR. BARRIENTOS WAS ARRAIGNED BY JUDGE BENJAMIN M. YUDESIS WHO SET BONDS TOTALING \$62,000 DOLLARS.

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