



# **SAN BENITO POLICE**

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **CONTINUOUS VIOLENCE AGAINST FAMILY**

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 25, 2012**



On Wednesday October 24, 2012, at 07:47am. San Benito Police responded to an apartment located on the 1700 block of Combes Street in reference to a domestic disturbance between husband and wife. Two blocks away from the scene a 37 year old female flagged down a police officer responding to the call, and identified herself as the caller who stated that her 37 year old common law husband who she identified as Antonio Garcia had assaulted her by striking her abdominal area with a closed fist causing pain. According to the victim it all started over a domestic disagreement that turned violent. According to the female victim this was not the first time she had been assaulted by her common law husband, and the officers were able to locate other family violence reports that the victim had filed against her assailant. The Police Officers did not locate Antonio Garcia at the apartment, but managed to find him at a residence located on the 300 block of Palo Rosa Street. Antonio Garcia was then placed under arrest, and taken to City Jail where he was arraigned on Charges of Continuous Violence against the Family which is a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Felony by Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis who set bond at \$15,000. Arraigning Judge also issued an emergency protective order against Antonio Garcia.

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