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PRESS RELEASE

AGGRAVATED ROBBERY / AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

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On Saturday October 13, 2012, at 4:25 pm, San Benito Police Officers proceeded to execute a warrant of arrest for Aggravated Robbery on 25 year Old Michael Galvan at his residence located on the 800 block of Avon St. Michael Galvan was wanted by Justice Court after an alleged incident that took place on September 30, 2012 at his residence in which a 15 year old male accused Michael Galvan of taking his bicycle at knife point, and later punched and kicked the victim. The 15 year old victim refused medical attention. 25 year old Michael Galvan was then taken into custody and transported to City Jail where he was later arraigned by Justice of the Peace David Garza who set bond at \$25,000. Suspect was later transported to the Cameron County jail.

On Sunday October 14, 2012, at 01:37 am, San Benito Police responded to the 600 Block of Doherty Street in reference to a domestic disturbance in progress between father and son. Upon the Police Officers arrival they made contact with a 20 year old male who presented a laceration to his left arm, and was bleeding profusely. Police Officer also made contact with a 50 year old male who had also sustained injuries to his face. The investigation revealed that the 50 year old male who was later identified as Luis Garcia Sr. arrived home intoxicated, and began to argue with his 20 year old son, and at one point the father threw a portable electric fan at his son. The victim's mother who apparently witnessed the incident claims that her son was only defending himself from his father. During the altercation the 20 year old male sustained a laceration caused by the 50 year old male when he pushed his son against a bed rail. Luis Garcia Sr. was then placed under arrest, and taken to a local hospital for treatment. Victim was also taken to a local for treatment. Luis Garcia Sr. after being released from the Hospital was taken to City Jail and charged with one count of aggravated assault (family violence), and later arraigned by Municipal Judge David Garza who set bond at \$5,000. Suspect was later taken to the Cameron County Jail.