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PRESS RELEASE

FAILURE TO IDENTIFY / THEFT CLASS B

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On Tuesday October 9, 2012, at 6:39 PM, A San Benito Police Detective conducting a follow up on an investigation made contact with a male subject who initially identified himself as 58 year old Rolando Saldivar out of San Benito. The Police Detective later found out that the subject had lied about his Date of birth, and was 54 years old. The Police Detective then confronted Rolando Saldivar with his finding, and the male subject admitted that had lied about his date of birth due to owing the City of San Benito a total of \$845.00 in traffic warrants. The search also revealed that Rolando Saldivar had an active warrant of arrest from the Cameron County Sheriff's Department for failure to identify. Rolando Saldivar was then charged with Failure to identify (fugitive from Justice) class A misdemeanor, and placed in City Jail. Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis arraigned Rolando Saldivar, who set bond at \$5,000 Dollars. Mr. Saldivar was taken to the Cameron County Jail with an Immigration Detainer.

On Tuesday October 9, 2012, at 6:06 PM, San Benito Police responded to the HEB store located on the 1000 Block of West Business 77 in reference to a female detained for shoplifting by loss prevention. Upon the Police Officers arrival they made contact with Loss Prevention staff who stated that they had stopped a 17 year old female identified as Cassandra De La Garza out of San Benito as she attempted to leave the store with unpaid cosmetics that she had concealed in her purse. The total amount of the recovered merchandise was \$112.86 and the store requested to file criminal charges for theft class B on the female suspect. Cassandra De La Garza was arrested and taken to City Jail. Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis arraigned her and set bond at \$1,000 Dollars.