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PRESS RELEASE

Assault Family Violence w/Previous Conviction

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On March 11, 2015 at 05:27pm a Patrol Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of S. Milam in reference to a verbal dispute in progress. Upon arrival contact was made with a male sitting in a vehicle that seemed to be upset and was uncooperative. Contact was then made with a female standing at the front door of the residence. She had visible redness to her face and was crying. She stated her spouse who was identified as 23 year old Jose Mancilla slapped her in the face which caused her to fall to the ground. Mancilla was placed under arrest for the assault and transported to the city jail. Mancilla had 5 local citation warrants for traffic violations and his criminal history showed Mancilla had a previous conviction of assault family violence which enhanced the charge to a 3rd degree felony. He was arraigned by Judge David Garza and bond was set at \$15,000 dollars.

All people are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of Law