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PRESS RELEASE

Abandoning or Endangering Child

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On Monday May 9th, 2016 at 03:17pm San Benito Police Officers were dispatched to the 300 block of Purvis in reference to an unsupervised child. A male who resides in the area found the 2 year old in his back yard wearing only a diaper. Officers went door to door trying to locate the parents of the child. A vehicle pulled into a drive way at a residence on the 100 block as the Officer knocked and did not get an answer. The female driver advised her daughter in-law resides at the residence with her small child. Contact was made with 25 year old Maribel Candelaria Ybarra who was asleep in her bedroom. Ms. Ybarra was unaware her 2 year old child was found two blocks from her residence. Ms. Ybarra was placed under arrest and charged accordingly. She was arraigned by Judge David Garza and bond was set at \$30,000 dollars. Child Protective Services was contacted and the child was released to his Grandmother.

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