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PRESS RELEASE

DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED

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On Saturday December 1st, 2012, at 5:17 PM. a San Benito Police Officer conducted a traffic stop on a Blue 2001 Chevrolet Pick Up by the 24000 Block of Pennsylvania avenue due to a moving violation. The Police Officer then made contact with the driver who was identified as 50 year old Efren Olivo out of San Benito. The Police Officer then noticed signs of impairment on the driver due to possible consumption of alcohol, and asked the driver to perform a standardized field sobriety test. The Officer then requested a breath test from Efren Olivo who then provided a breath specimen that tested over the legal limit. Efren Olivo was arrested, and charged with DWI 2nd Offense due to a prior DWI arrest, and taken before Municipal Judge David Garza who issued a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

On Sunday November 2nd, 2012, at 01:45 am. A San Benito Police Officer observed a color Sand 2011 Chevrolet Suburban disregard a stop sign by the intersection of Combes and Centro streets. The Police Officer followed the vehicle, and conducted a traffic stop by a convenience store located in the intersection of Williams and Frontage roads. The Officer then made contact with the driver who was identified as 35 year old Jose Tamez Jr. out of Harlingen. The Police Officer then noticed signs of impairment on the driver due to alcohol consumption, and requested a standardized field sobriety test. The Police Officer was then informed that the driver had several DWI arrest and convictions, and transported Jose Tamez Jr. to a local hospital for a mandatory blood withdrawal. Jose Tamez was later taken to City Jail where he was arraigned on DWI-3RD or more by Judge David Garza who set bond at \$ 2,000.

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