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PRESS RELEASE

ASSAULT A FAMILY VIOLENCE / RESISTING ARREST

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On Sunday September 9, 2012, at 03:27 am. San Benito Police responded to a residence located on the 20700 block of Nixon Road in reference to a domestic disturbance between a couple. Upon the Police Officers arrival they made contact with a 19 year old Hispanic male as well as his girlfriend who was identified as 18 year old Francisca Nichole Gonzalez. As the Officers were investigating the disturbance they noted that the male subject presented scratch marks around his neck as well as bite marks on his upper right arms. The male subject stated that his girlfriend became upset over domestic issues between them. The male victim refused to cooperate with the Police Officers, and did not wish to file charges. Acting under the authority given to them by State Law regarding Family violence the Police Officers attempted to place Francisca Nichole Gonzalez under arrest, but she began resisting and at one point she climbed on top of a picnic table, and refused to cooperate with the Police Officers demands. The Officers then managed to place the female suspect under arrest, but she continued resisting, and once inside a marked police unit she continued being uncooperative, and began kicking the doors and windows of the police unit. The investigating officers later received information that the female had also caused damage to the victim's personal car before the Officers arrival by scratching the doors with a large rock. Francisca Nichole Gonzalez was taken to City Jail where she was arraigned by Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis who set bonds totaling \$7,500. Female suspect was later taken to the Cameron County Jail.

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