



PRESS RELEASE

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TYPE OF CRIME:

PC 245-Assault with Deadly Weapon

CASE NUMBER: 11-1547

LOCATION: 700 Block W. Ninth St.

DATE: 4/2/2011

TIME: 23:05 ...

VICTIM: 30 year old male (name withheld)

SUSPECT #1: Michael Pritchard

DOB: 09/25/1983

ADDRESS:

BOOKING CHARGES: PC 245 (a)(1) Assault with Deadly Weapon

Details

On 04/02/11 at 23:05 hours Gilroy Police Officers responded to a reported stabbing at a residence in the 700 block of W. Ninth St. in Gilroy. Officers located the suspect at the residence who was arrested without incident. The investigation revealed that the suspect had been causing a disturbance at the residence when he armed himself with a knife. He made threats to cause harm and cut the victim with the knife. The suspect also cut himself with the knife prior to the police arriving. The weapon was recovered at the scene.

The victim received non-life threatening injuries and refused medical treatment. The suspect received medical treatment for non-life threatening injuries at a bay-area hospital after which he was booked into San Jose Main Jail for the listed charges.

For any media inquiries please call (408) 846-0347. Parties wishing to remain anonymous may call WeTip at 1-800-782-7463 (1-800-78-Crime).

End of Media Advisory

By: Sgt. Locke-Paddon

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