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Update: Vista Arrest

On May 7th, 2018, the San Diego County Sheriff's Department received a 9-1-1 call from a woman who was the victim of domestic violence and being held against her will at 1120 Madera Lane, Vista. Deputies responded to the call. As a result of that call, two men were ultimately arrested. Gerardo Martinez Jr., 5/31/1994, was booked on charges of false imprisonment, inflicting corporal injury on a spouse/cohabitant, assault with a deadly weapon, obstruction/resisting executive officer and disobeying a court order. Gerardo Martinez Sr., 12/9/1967, was booked on charges of obstructing a public officer and 405a PC. Gerardo Sr. has bailed out of custody.

After initial review by command staff, two deputies were placed on paid administrative assignment pending an internal investigation. As we continue to gather and evaluate the facts of this case, the internal review might change in scope. This review will be comprehensive and include reviewing body-worn camera (BWC) video, all relevant reports and interviews with involved parties. All BWC video will be preserved as part of the investigation. We will share the results of our investigation with the District Attorney's Office.

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