

Timothy Burton
Chief of Police

NEWS RELEASE

DATE: December 14, 2009

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Aggravated Assault, Felony 2nd Degree

DATE/TIME OCCURRED: December 12, 2009, at approximately 1:20 a.m.

LOCATION: Billy Weirs, 1421 E. 8th Street

SUMMARY/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Officers with the Odessa Police Department responded to Billy Weirs, 1421 E. 8th Street in reference to shots fired. Upon arrival, officers located two Hispanic males with gunshot wounds to their torso region. Angel Dominguez, 20yoa of Odessa, received one gunshot wound to his torso, the second victim, Samuel Martinez, 21yoa of Odessa, received multiple gunshot wounds to his lower torso. Both victims were transported to Medical Center Hospital by the Odessa Fire Department for treatment. Both victims had been shot with a handgun.

Investigators with the Operations Bureau-Detective Division responded to the scene. During the investigation the suspect involved in the shooting turned himself in at the Odessa Police Department. Subsequently, two arrest warrants, signed by Judge Dennis Jones, was issued for Gabriel Rene Casias Jr., D.O.B. 09-30-1988. Casias was arrested and transported to the Ector County Law Enforcement Center. Bond has been set at \$75,000.00 each.



Gabriel Rene Casias Jr

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