



Milpitas Police Department

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PRESS RELEASE

BARRICADED SUSPECT ARRESTED

Date: October 27, 2010
Location: 1100(B) Stellar Way, Milpitas
Case: 10-300-165
Suspect #1: Charles Khanh Nguyen, 26 year-old, Milpitas resident

On October 27, 2010, at approximately 7:59 p.m., a Milpitas Police Officer responded to a domestic disturbance in the 1100 block of Stellar Way. Upon arrival, officers were informed that Charles Khanh Nguyen had been in a verbal dispute with his family, he retrieved an eight-inch butcher knife and barricaded himself, alone, in his bedroom. When officers attempted to contact Nguyen, he began threatening them and refusing to comply with their directives. Nguyen was extremely agitated and exhibited signs of being under the influence of controlled substance. Officers continued to negotiate with Nguyen for several hours and, at one point, he began slashing items within his bedroom while continuing to threaten the officers' lives. Officers breached the door after deploying pepper spray and a Taser. Nguyen was taken into custody without further incident.

Nguyen was arrested for terrorist threats to police officers, resisting arrest and being under the influence of a controlled substance. Nguyen was examined at a local hospital and then booked at the Santa Clara County Main Jail. Nguyen received a minor abrasion to his face during the incident.

Anyone with any information regarding this case or other similar incidents is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400 or the law enforcement jurisdiction where the incident occurred. Information can be given anonymously by calling (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at:

http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/government/police/crime_tip.asp

By: Sergeant Daryl Sequeira #189
Date: October 28, 2010, 2:15 p.m.