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NEWS RELEASE
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VPD Report Number: 21-009479 Date/Time Occurred: 02/03/2021 0819 hours

Type of Incident: Attempted Murder (Shooting) **Location:** 1400 block of S. Conyer

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect: Age: Arrested:

1. Ruben Lopez 30 Yes

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Details: On 02/03/21 at 0819 hours, officers were dispatched to the 1400 block of S. Conyer in regards to a disturbance that had involved a shooting. Upon arrival, the victim was found suffering a single, non-life threatening gunshot wound. The suspect, Ruben Lopez, was also still on scene. Lopez was found suffering from non-life threatening injuries that occurred when the victim attempted to detain him, after the shooting. Both parties were taken to KDMC for medical treatment. Upon being cleared from KDMC, Lopez was booked at Pre-Trial for Attempted Murder. The initial disturbance was found to have been because of a domestic incident.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol/VC Supervisor: Sgt. M. Verissimo, S36