



# VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\***

**September 4, 2014**

**VPD Report Number:** 14-10516

**Date/Time Occurred:** 8-30-2014 at 0806 hours

**Type of Incident:** Assault with a Deadly Weapon

**Location:** 600 block of N. Church, Visalia

**Name of Business (if applicable):**

**Suspect:**

**Age:**

**Arrested:**

1. Viscarra, Zachariah
- 2.
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Yes

**Details:** On 08-30-14, at approximately 0806 hours, officers with the Visalia Police Department responded to a report of shots fired in the area of the 600 block of N. Church. Officers located a 26 year-old male and a 25 year-old male, both with non-life threatening gunshot wounds. Both males were transported by ambulance to an area hospital for their injuries. It is unknown if the shooting is gang-related and the shooting is being investigated by the Violent Crimes Division.

\*\*\*\*\*UPDATE\*\*\*\*\*

On 09-03-2014, at approximately 1515 hours, detectives with the Violent Crimes Unit arrested Zachariah Viscarra. After further investigation, it was determined that Zachariah Viscarra entered the victim's backyard and got into an altercation with the victim. During the altercation, both males were shot. Zachariah Viscarra was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon and for being a convicted felon in possession of a firearm. He was transported and booked at the Tulare County Adult Pretrial Facility.

**Arresting / Investigating Officer:** Patrol/Violent Crimes Unit

**Supervisor:** Sgt. O. Dominguez

