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*****NEWS RELEASE*****

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VPD Report Number: 16-07428

Date/Time Occurred: 5/26/2016, 1332 hrs

Type of Incident: Officer Involved Shooting

Location: 300 block NE 2nd

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

1. Eliseo Jose Briseno

Age:

28

Arrested:

Yes

Details: On the listed date and time, officers from the Visalia Police Department Special Enforcement Unit received information of a male gang member on a bike armed with a gun in the area of Houston and Court. An officer near NE 2nd and Grape saw the suspect and attempted to make contact with him. The male suspect attempted to flee on his bicycle to a home in the 300 block of NE 2nd, where he left his bike and fled on foot to the backyard. The officer pursued the suspect on foot and caught up to him in this backyard. The suspect ignored officer orders and reached into his waistband, removing an item, and turning toward the officer. The officer fired his handgun at the suspect striking him. A loaded handgun and holster were located at the scene. The suspect was then taken into custody and transported to a local hospital.

The Tulare County Sheriff's Office is handling the criminal investigation into this incident.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: VPD / TCSO

Supervisor: Sgt. J. Pree

