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**NEWS
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10/23/2021

Shooting At Viscount Apartment Complex

Date/Time: 10/23/2021 @ 12:14 A.M.

Location: 7900 Viscount (La Estancia Apartments)

Victim 1: Hispanic female, 25 years of age, East El Paso Resident

Victim 2: Hispanic female, 20 years of age, Northeast El Paso Resident

Suspect: Black male, 20 years of age, East El Paso Resident

EL PASO, Texas — At 12:14 A.M., Officers from the Pebble Hills Regional Command Center responded to a shooting call at the La Estancia Apartment complex. Several 911 callers advised of hearing multiple gunshots. On arrival, the Officers found two females injured in the gunfire. A 25-year-old female was wounded on her leg, and a 20-year-old female was grazed by a bullet. The 25-year-old victim was taken to the hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening injuries. The 20-year old victim did not require treatment. Crimes Against Persons Detectives responded to assist with the investigation. The suspect who fired the handgun, a 20-year-old male, approached investigators about his involvement. Investigators learned that the shooting was related to a burglary where the suspect's apartment was burglarized by individuals in the apartment where the female victims were. The shooting victims did not want to press charges, and the suspect did not want to press charges on the burglary. Currently, no additional information is available for public release. Due to the continuing investigation, and that neither party is pressing charges, names will be withheld.

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