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NEWS RELEASE

Man Arrested for Exploitation of Elderly

10/12/2023

Date: 10-06-2023 Time: 9:12 pm

Location 1000 S. El Paso

Victim#1: 88-year-old Joseph Homsy, resident of West El Paso, TX Victim#2: 92-year-old Maria Homsy, resident of West El Paso, TX

Arrested: 44-year-old Jesus Rodriguez, resident of Central El Paso, TX

Charge: Exploitation of Child/ Elderly/ Disabled

Judge: S. Priddy **Bond:** \$75,000

El Paso, Texas— On February 2023, both victims reported to police that 44year-old Jesus Rodriguez had used money in their bank account without their consent. The case was assigned to the Special Victims Unit of the El Paso Police Department. The Investigation revealed that Rodriguez took over \$56,000 in three months to pay his credit card bills. A warrant was filed for his arrest.

On October 6, 2023, at approximately 9:05 p.m., Rodriguez was detained by customs at the Paso Del Norte port of entry for the outstanding warrant. Rodriguez was released to the El Paso Police Department. Rodriguez was booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility.

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