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On April 25, 2018 at approximately 9:00 PM, officers from the Nashua Police Department's Uniformed Field Operations Bureau arrested Alex Ortiz, age 25, of Nashua, New Hampshire on a warrant for Domestic Violence; Criminal Threatening - Deadly Weapon, Class B Felony.

On April 24, 2018 at approximately 1:53 PM, officers responded to a residence in Nashua for the report of an assault. The female victim known to Alex Ortiz, reported that Ortiz twice threatened her with a knife the night before. The victim also reported that she had been assaulted by Ortiz and was afraid to leave her residence. Detectives from the Special Investigations Division were notified and furthered the investigation.

On April 24, 2018 Detectives applied for and were granted an arrest warrant for Ortiz for Domestic Violence; Criminal Threatening – Deadly Weapon, Class B Felony. Based on the investigation, Ortiz was also charged with an additional count of Domestic Violence; Criminal Threatening - Deadly Weapon, Class B Felony, one count of Criminal Restraint, Class B Felony, one count of Domestic Violence; Simple Assault, Class A Misdemeanor

Each Class B Felony is punishable by up to seven years in Prison, exclusive of fines. A Class A Misdemeanor is punishable by up to one year in the House of Corrections, exclusive of fines. Ortiz refused bail and will be held at Valley Street Jail pending his arraignment at the Hillsborough County Superior Court South on April 26, 2018.

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