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Shooting

Date: October 3, 2022
Time: 11:26 PM
Location: 1316 S. Meadow Lane, Colton CA
Suspect: BMA 33 years of age
From: Lt. Ray Mendez
Case: 22-05512

Summary:

On October 3, 2022 at about 11:26 PM, officers were dispatched to 1316 South Meadow Lane in reference to a possible domestic violence call. As officers arrived on scene, they could hear gunshots coming from inside an apartment. Officers located the apartment where the shooting had occurred and began evacuating nearby residents. Patrol officers made contact with the suspect who initially refused to comply with officers' commands, and remained inside his apartment. Through negotiations, the suspect ultimately surrendered to officers and was taken into custody. Further investigation revealed the suspect fired several rounds from a handgun while his seven juvenile children were inside the apartment. No one was struck by the suspect's gunfire. The suspect was taken to a nearby hospital for a mental health evaluation. The Colton Police Department detective bureau is currently investigating this incident. Anyone with additional information is encouraged to contact Detective Ramirez at (909) 370-5000.