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Arrest Made for Deceptive Business Practice

Date: 03/15/2022

Location: 11800 Block of Scott Simpson

Offender: Jacob Matthew Vasquez, 29-year-old, East El Paso Resident

Victim: Rafael Jasso, 75-year-old East El Paso Resident

Charge: Deceptive Business Practice Bond: \$5,000.00 Judge: Priddy

Pebble Hills Regional Command Detective Section made an arrest for Deceptive Business Practice. Jacob Vasquez presented himself to 75-year-old Rafael Jasso as an energy consultant for a company he was no longer working for. Jasso paid Vasquez \$500 as a down payment for installation of refrigeration services, however, Vasquez never showed up to start the installation. On July 6th, 2022 a warrant was obtained for Deceptive Business Practice and Vasquez was booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility with a bond of \$5,000 signed by Judge Priddy. As a reminder, it is good practice to obtain a salesperson's name, business identity, telephone number, street address, mailing address, and business license number before you transact business.



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