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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Subject: Assault with Deadly Weapon

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On 06/20/14 at approximately 5:03 a.m., officers responded to a possible stabbing at an apartment building on the 2900 block of California Street. Upon arrival, officers found a male and a female with stab wounds outside the apartment building. Both victims were transported to St. Joseph's Hospital and are in stable condition.

The male victim is Thomas Frank, 36 of Eureka and the female victim is Ruth Wortman, 28 of Fortuna. Investigators are looking into whether this was gang motivated.

No suspect information is available at this time. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Detective Harpham at (707)441-4305.