



**SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060  
**MEDIA RELEASE**

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**DATE: January 18, 2023**

**TOPIC: Arrest in Stabbing Investigation**

**CASE NUMBER: 23S-00161**

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**INFORMATION:**

SANTA CRUZ, CA - On January 10, 2023, Santa Cruz Police Detectives investigated a stabbing that left a victim in critical condition at a local trauma center. Detectives identified the suspect, Danis Valle Miranda, and sought a warrant for his arrest for attempted homicide based on the follow-up investigation.

Today, January 18, 2023, Santa Cruz Police patrol officers located a wanted suspect in his vehicle in the area of Water Street and Magnolia Street. Officers conducted a high-risk vehicle stop and apprehended the suspect.

Santa Cruz Police booked the suspect, Danis Valle Miranda, 28 years old, from Watsonville, into custody on the warrant for attempted homicide.

Detectives believed the weapon used in the commission of the crime was recovered. Based on the investigation, this is an isolated incident between two people who were acquaintances at the time of the incident, and there are no outstanding suspects.

Anyone with additional information is asked to contact Detective Crowell at (831) 420-5823.

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