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Domestic stabbing incident leads to arrest



Suspect Leon Stevenson

Shreveport Police have a man in custody following a mid-day domestic dispute that left a man hospitalized and a woman injured.

On December 30, 2017 just before 12:00 pm, Shreveport Police responded to the 6300 block of Tulsa Avenue on reports of a man stabbed. Officers arrived and located Leon Stevenson, 29, suffering from a stab wound just below his right shoulder. Stevenson was transported to University Health Hospital with serious but non-life threatening injuries. Officers quickly learned that the stabbing occurred in the 8500 block of Range Lane and Stevenson fled to Tulsa. Units responded to Range Lane where they located and secured the crime scene.

Detectives with the Violent Crimes and Domestic Violence Unit responded to the scene and began their investigation. Through information gathered at the scene and witness statements detectives learned that Stevenson was the aggressor in the incident and the victim stabbed Stevenson in an effort to stop him from attacking her. Stevenson was charged with Felony Domestic Abuse Battery, Simple Criminal Property Damage, a Shreveport Police Department warrant for telephone harassment, and a fugitive warrant out of Caddo Parish. Stevenson remains hospitalized and will be booked into the Shreveport City Jail upon discharge.

** The booking photo attached is from May of 2017.

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