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Arrest Made in Domestic Abuse Case



Cortne Randolph

At approximately 2:24 AM on November 1, 2024, Shreveport Police Department officers responded to a report of domestic abuse battery in the 2700 block of Lakehurst Drive. Upon arrival, officers made contact with the victim, who reported that her boyfriend, identified as 38-year-old Cortne Randolph, had physically assaulted her following an altercation.

The victim stated that Randolph, who was intoxicated, initially woke her by urinating in their bed, leading to a confrontation during which she sustained injuries. According to the victim, Randolph then armed himself with a handgun and struck her multiple times with it. The victim managed to escape and call police for assistance.

Officers took Randolph into custody without further incident. He has been charged with domestic abuse aggravated assault and domestic abuse battery. The victim was treated for injuries and is expected to recover. The firearm was seized by officers.

The Shreveport Police Department urges anyone facing domestic violence to remember that help is always available. Resources and support are ready for those in need, and we encourage anyone affected to reach out.