



**Porterville Police Department
Press Release**

Incident: **Domestic Violence and Possession of a Loaded Firearm**
Case No. 09-253

Date/Time: January 10, 2008/11:00 p.m.

Location: 100 block of North Red Oak, Porterville

Involved Parties: **Dennis Rushing** (age 30) Porterville Resident
 Ryan Muller (age 30) Porterville Resident

Summary:

On January 10, 2008 at approximately 11:00 p.m. officers were dispatched to an address located in the 100 block of North Red Oak Street regarding a disturbance. Upon arrival **Dennis Rushing** and **Ryan Muller** were contacted in front of the residence.

An investigation into the incident revealed Mr. Rushing had assaulted a confidential victim **causing minor injury**. Mr. Rushing was arrested at the scene without incident.

Mr. Muller was also contacted at the scene. Mr. Muller was found to be in **possession of a loaded firearm in a public place**. Mr. Muller was also arrested at the scene without incident.

Mr. Rushing was booked into Tulare County Jail on a felony charge of domestic violence. Mr. Muller was also booked into Tulare County Jail on a felony charge of possession of a loaded firearm.

Investigating Officer(s)
Officer M. Hatch

Supervisor
Sgt. M. Azevedo