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PRESS RELEASE

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Homicide

Location of Incident: 600 block of South May Avenue - Yuma, AZ

On Saturday, May 23, 2015, at approximately 2:30 a.m., the Yuma County Sheriff's Office responded to the 600 block of South May Avenue in reference to a man that had been shot.

Upon arrival, deputies met with the reporting party who stated that her son had shot her husband during an argument between her husband and her daughter, the suspect's sister. The victim, Hector Martinez, 47, of Yuma, was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The suspect, Simon Martinez, 20, of Yuma, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for Domestic Violence 2nd Degree Murder.

The case remains under investigation. Anyone with information regarding this case is asked to please contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at (928) 783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.



Simon Martinez

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