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Female in Custody After Making Threats at Church Service

San Diego – Today at approximately 12:02 pm, San Diego Police Communications received multiple 911 telephone calls regarding a female holding a baby and gun during church services at 4350 Mount Everest Blvd. The female walked up on stage and made threats that she was going to blow up the church while waving the handgun. Prior to San Diego Police officers arriving on scene, church members approached the female and disarmed her. San Diego Police officers arrived on scene within two minutes of the initial call and took custody of the female. The gun was also recovered and determined not to be loaded.

Due to the statements made by the suspect, a sweep of the facility along with the suspect's vehicle was conducted by a bomb detection canine. Nothing was found and the area was determined to be safe. In addition to the 10 month old baby at the scene, the suspect's 5 year old daughter was located during a follow-up and was found to be healthy and unhurt. Both children have been taken into protective custody and will be evaluated by Child Welfare Services. The female suspect will be booked into jail on the appropriate criminal charges which will include making criminal threats and displaying a handgun in a threatening manner. She has been identified as Anna Conkey, date of birth of 9-6-1987.

The church has been identified as the Tsidkenu Church, a non-denominational church which leases the space on Mount Everest Blvd.

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