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MONTEREY MAN FOUND GUILTY OF SPOUSAL ABUSE

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Monterey County District Attorney Dean D. Flippo announced today that on July 10, 2018, Thomas Vincent Dimaggio, age 58, a Monterey resident, was found guilty of corporal injury on a spouse or co-habitant and interference with a wireless communication device after a two-day jury trial.

On December 7, 2017, evening hours, Monterey police officers responded to a 911 call concerning domestic violence. Officer Andrew Herndon contacted Jane Doe, who told him that Thomas Vincent Dimaggio, with whom she had a romantic relationship for the past five years, got upset when she refused his request for sex. Then, after being told to leave her residence, his anger escalated into physical abuse, slamming her against a table, causing cuts to her head and hand. When Jane Doe began to call 911, he grabbed the phone out of her hand, delaying her call for help.

Judge Efren Iglesia presided over the trial. The defendant will be sentenced on August 10, 2018, and faces up to one year in county jail.

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