



## BOONE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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### Media Release

Incident: Unlawful Use of Weapon  
Location: Mari's Convenience Store  
Date & time: 06/01/12 1800  
Case Number: 2012002885

#### Details:

On 06/01/12 at approximately 1800 hours Boone County Deputies responded to a local convenience store to take report of an assault. Upon arrival, deputies learned a customer had been in an argument with the store operator over smoking near the fuel pumps.

While negotiating payment for the fuel, the store operator and customer continued to argue. As the customer exited the facility, the store operator, produced a small caliber pistol and brandished it in the area of the customer and several others in the immediate area.

The customer retreated to his vehicle in the parking lot and called 911. Deputies arrested 58 year old Columbia resident, Rafiqul Khan for one count of Unlawful Use of a Weapon and one count of Assault Third Degree. Mr. Khan posted \$5000.00 bond and was released.

Release date & time: 06/01/12 2335  
Release authorized by: Sergeant Mike Krohn

