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Media Release: October 7, 2020 **Correctional Officer Arrested**

At around 6:30pm October 4, 2020, 35-year-old Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Office Correctional Officer Jenna Baldwin was arrested and booked into the Main Jail. She was booked on charges including 289.6PC (sexual activity with an inmate), 149PC (assault by a public officer) and 4573.5PC (bringing contraband into a detention facility).

The investigation began in May 2020 after detectives received information that Baldwin was having an inappropriate relationship with an incarcerated person at the Santa Cruz County Main Jail. After a thorough investigation, detectives arrested Baldwin for the unlawful relationship and bringing contraband into the Main Jail.

Baldwin has worked for the Sheriff's Office since 2008. She is no longer employed with our agency.

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