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### **Deputies Apprehend Man Threatening Others With Knife at Airport**



Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County sheriff's deputies responded to a report of a man near a General Mitchell International Airport ticketing counter who was armed with a knife and threatening employees at about 10:00 p.m. Sunday.

Deputies arrested Pedro Desir, age 61, of Milwaukee, and located a butcher knife behind an airport computer keyboard. Desir, an employee with a subcontract service provider for an airline, had gotten into an argument with coworkers, entered an office in the baggage area, and returned waving a knife at them.

Charges of Disorderly Conduct, Use of a Dangerous Weapon have been filed against him. If convicted, he faces up to 90 days in jail on the Disorderly Conduct charge, and an additional six months because he committed the crime while using a dangerous weapon.

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