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MAN ARRESTED FOR VIOLENT SEX ASSAULT IN HOME

Trumbull Police arrested Richard Gray, age 43 of Trumbull, after a woman reported a violent assault during the overnight hours on July 8-9, 2017 in a Trumbull home.

Gray was arrested at his home and charged with, Unlawful Restraint, Strangulation, Assault, Sexual Assault, Threatening, Interfering with a 911 Call and Disorderly Conduct.

The female victim reportedly told investigators that Gray was angry at her and had been drinking during the evening. Gray later confronted the woman in the home and he forcefully placed her in a headlock, held the woman down by her neck and threatened to strike her with a bottle. At one point the woman said she broke free and tried to call 911 but Gray threw her phone and it broke. Gray then picked the woman up and threw her into another room, where Gray again held her down, grabbed her by the throat and sexually assaulted her. After the attack, the victim waited for an opportunity to leave the house and once safe, she called police.

The victim was taken to a local hospital for treatment. Richard Gray was held on a \$250,000 Bond for court on July 10, 2017.

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