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Woman Charged with Assault After Pointing Gun in Hollywood Fight

A Los Angeles woman was charged today with six counts of assault with a firearm after she allegedly pointed a gun during a fight in a Hollywood parking structure, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced today.

Diamond Shirley Vargas (dob 3/14/67), charged in case BA432470, will be arraigned at a later date due to medical issues. Prosecutors will ask that her bail be set at \$1.3 million.

Vargas was arrested Dec. 26 following a fight that occurred in a parking structure at Hollywood and Highland. Police shot Vargas after she brandished a firearm at officers.

The complaint alleges Vargas has prior convictions for assault and robbery. If convicted, she faces more than 30 years in state prison.

The case remains under investigation by the Los Angeles Police Department.

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About the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office

Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to seeking justice for victims of crime and enhancing public safety. Last year, the [Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office](#) prosecuted more than 73,000 felony defendants and 113,000 misdemeanor defendants.