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### TOHONO O'ODHAM POLICE INVESTIGATE VANDALISM AT SAN XAVIER MISSION

SELLS, Ariz. – At approximately 6:00 AM this morning, spray paint vandalism was discovered at the historic San Xavier del Bac Mission on the Tohono O'odham Nation's San Xavier District. The vandalism was removed by 1:00 P.M. today.

The Tohono O'odham Police Department (TOPD) is investigating the incident. Anyone with additional information is asked to contact TOPD at 520-622-1587.

No further comment will be available until the investigation is concluded.

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Editor's Note: Attached are photos of the vandalism and its removal.