

# U.S. House Speaker Pelosi's husband assaulted with hammer at home

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 28 (Reuters) – A hammer-wielding man attacked U.S. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi's husband during a break-in at the couple's San Francisco home early on Friday, authorities said, in an assault that raised fears about political violence ahead of the Nov. 8 midterm elections.

Paul Pelosi, 82, was taken to a hospital for treatment and was expected to make a full recovery, Pelosi's office said. Several media outlets reported he underwent surgery.

The man arrested at the scene, David Depape, 42, will be charged with attempted homicide, assault with a deadly weapon, elder abuse, burglary, and several other felony charges, San Francisco Police Chief William Scott said.

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