



# VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\***

**March 27, 2014**

**VPD Report Number:** 14-03736

**Date/Time Occurred:** 3/27/14 1200 hours

**Type of Incident:**

Possession for Marijuana for Sales

**Location:** 2400 Block of N. Vickie

**Name of Business (if applicable):**

**Suspect:**

1. Vongdeuan Vongmany
- 2.
- 3.

**Age:**

71

**Arrested:**

Yes

**Details:** On 3/27/14, detectives from the Visalia Police Department Narcotics Unit and TARGET served a search warrant at a residence in the 2400 block of N. Vickie as part of a marijuana investigation. During the search of the residence, detectives located 53 pounds of processed marijuana and approximately 50 pounds of unprocessed marijuana. (S) Vongmany who lived at the residence had a medical marijuana recommendation; however the total weight far exceeded that recommendation.

(S) Vongmany was transported and booked into the Tulare County Jail for possession of marijuana for sales. In addition, there was an outdoor marijuana grow site that violated the current City Ordinance and a notice of violation was issued by Code Enforcement.

**Arresting / Investigating Officer:** Narcotics Unit

**Supervisor:** R. Epp

