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*****NEWS RELEASE*****

April 24, 2015

VPD Report Number: 15-05443

Date/Time Occurred: 4/24/15 0700 hours

Type of Incident:

Possession of Heroin for Sales
Sales of Narcotics within 1000 feet of a School

Location: 1300 Block of S. Central

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Juan Luis Ramos Pena

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Yes

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3.

Details: On 4/24/15 at 0700 hours, detectives from the Narcotics Unit, Gang Suppression Unit, and Property Crimes Unit served search warrants at two locations in 1300 Block of S. Central as part of a narcotic investigation involving the sales of heroin. During the service of the search warrants, officers located a 1/4 ounce of heroin in (S) Pena's residence that was packaged for sales. In addition, officers located and seized packaging material, a digital scale, and currency.

(S) Pena was transported and booked into the Tulare County Jail for Possession of Heroin for Sales and Sales of Narcotics within 1000 feet of Divisadero Middle School.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Narcotics Unit

Supervisor: R. Epp

