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

February 28, 2017

VPD Report Number: 17-16153

Date/Time Occurred: 02/28/17 at 1130 hours

Type of Incident: Residential Burglary ARREST

Location: Multiple in Visalia

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Joseph Angel Cervantes
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YES

Details: During the past week, the Visalia PD Property Crimes Unit began an investigation into several residential burglaries where a red Honda CRV was listed as the suspect vehicle. On 02/28/17, Detectives located that vehicle in the 300 block of NE 4th. Detectives followed the SUSPECT in that vehicle to another location and arrested him in connection with a residential burglary. CERVANTES is on early release from prison and on Probation. A search of his residence turned up property from several other residential burglaries. Those victims have been contacted and have recovered their property. CERVANTES was booked into jail for burglary and possession of stolen property.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: VPD Property Crimes Unit

Supervisor: Sgt. Mark Feller

