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

April 7, 2021

VPD Report Number: 21-028520

Date/Time Occurred:04/07/2021 7:30 am

Type of Incident: Cultivation of Marijuana

Location: 900 block of N. Vista, 3400 block of E. Howard, 3700 block of E. Seeger

Name of Business (if applicable):

State of CA

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Zhen Zang
2. Guang Lin
3. Xue Chen
4. Jin Chen

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Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes

Details: On 04/07/2021 at 7:30 am Narcotic Detectives along with the Special Enforcement Unit responded to the 900 block of N. Vista and the 3400 block of E. Howard and conducted search warrants for illegal cultivation of marijuana. Suspects Zhen Zang, Guang Lin, Xue Chen and Jin Chen were contacted and arrested at the residence on Vista. A search warrant was served at an additional residence located in the 3700 block of E. Seeger after evidence was located of an additional grow. During the search of the three residences over 1,700 marijuana plants were located and seized along with currency. All four suspects were transported and booked at the Tulare County Pre-Trial Facility for cultivation of marijuana and conspiracy.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Narcotics Detectives/SEU

Supervisor: Sgt. J. Hughes

