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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
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VPD Report Number: 21-056915

Date/Time Occurred: 7-8-21 / 1831 hours

Type of Incident: Possession of a Loaded Firearm in Public, Carrying a Concealed Firearm, and Possession of a High Capacity Magazine

Location: Locust St. / Pine St.

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Ezekiel Garcia

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Details: On 7-8-21 at approximately 1831 hours, an officer in the Special Enforcement Unit conducted a traffic stop in the area of Locust St. and Pine St. The front passenger of the vehicle, Suspect Ezekiel Garcia, was found to be in possession of a loaded firearm with a high capacity magazine. Suspect Garcia was placed under arrest and later booked into the Tulare County Pre-Trial Facility for possession of a loaded firearm in public, carrying a concealed firearm, and possession of a high capacity magazine.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Special Enforcement Unit

Supervisor: Sgt. A. Alvarez

