

SUSPECTS ARRESTED FOR COMMERCIAL BURGLARY IN RICHMOND DISTRICT

By Trevor Roberts

SAN FRANCISCO—On September 18, the SFPD disclosed that on September 17, at 9:39 p.m., citywide plainclothes officers were deployed to a robbery/burglary abatement operation when dispatch broadcast a burglary in progress at a business on the 1600 block of Balboa Street in the Richmond District.

The SFPD reported officers from Richmond Station arrived on scene and observed significant property damage to the business. The suspects fled prior to the officers' arrival. Officers stayed on scene to investigate and gather evidence. The preliminary investigation determined the business had been vandalized and burglarized by multiple suspects and two different suspect vehicles were involved.

Plainclothes officers spotted the suspect vehicles near I-80 eastbound at Octavia Boulevard and continued surveillance as

the vehicles traveled to Oakland. Officers formulated a plan and the suspect vehicle was disabled near 8th and Center Streets in Oakland. The occupants, later identified as Enrique Johnson-Antunez, 27, of Emeryville and Valerie Brinkmann, 33, of Newark, were taken into custody.

Two additional suspects, identified as Esteban Vasquez Lara of Oakland and Elena Carlson, were taken into custody by the Oakland Police Department as they attempted to cash in stolen lottery tickets at a business in the area of 14th and Adeline Streets.

All four suspects were booked at San Francisco County Jail #1 on the following charges:

-Enrique Johnson Antunez: 459 PC 2nd degree), conspiracy to commit a felony (182(a)(1)PC), , theft of a vehicle (10851(a)CVC), possession of burglary

tools (466 PC), buying or receiving a stolen vehicle (496d(a) PC), vandalism (594(b)(1)PC), vehicle registration fraud (4463(a)(1)CVC) and parole violation (3056(a)PC).

-Valerie Brinkmann: burglary (459 PC), conspiracy to commit a felony (182(a)(1)PC), theft of a vehicle (10851(a)CVC), buying or receiving stolen property (496PC), possession of burglary tools (466 PC), vandalism (594(b)(1)PC), vehicle registration fraud (4463(a)(1)CVC) and buying or receiving a stolen vehicle (496d(a)PC).

-Esteban Vasquez Lara: burglary (459PC), conspiracy to commit a felony (182(a)(1)PC), theft of a vehicle (10851(a) CVC), possession of burglary tools (466 PC), buying or receiving a stolen vehicle (496d(a)PC), vandalism (594(b)(1)PC), vehicle registration fraud (4463(a)(1)CVC)

and buying or receiving stolen property (496 PC).

-Elena Carlson: burglary in the second degree (459 PC 2nd degree), conspiracy to commit a felony (182(a)(1)PC), possession of drug paraphernalia (11364 H&S), possession of methamphetamine (11377(a)H&S), theft of a vehicle (10851(a) CVC), possession of burglary tools (466 PC), buying or receiving a stolen vehicle (496d(a)PC), vandalism (594(b)(1)PC), vehicle registration fraud (4463(a)(1) CVC) and buying or receiving stolen property (496 PC).

The SFPD are still investigating the case. Anyone with details is asked to contact the SFPD at 1-415-575-4444 or text a tip to TIP411 and begin the message with SFPD.

SFPD SEIZE 850 GRAMS IN NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING IN TENDERLOIN DISTRICT

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SAN FRANCISCO—On September 19, the San Francisco Police Department announced in a news release that during the course of the past two months, members of the SFPD Narcotics Unit conducted an investigation of two known narcotics traffickers in the Tenderloin District who had pending cases in the San Francisco Superior Court.

Officers from the Narcotics Unit developed probable cause to obtain arrest warrants for the suspects and search warrants for a residence in Oakland, California. SFPD Narcotics Unit investigators coordinated efforts with the Tenderloin Violence Reduction Team to conduct the search warrant service and to make the arrests.

The SFPD reported at approximately 10:45 p.m. on September 17, authorities located Dennison Aguilera-Moncada, 31, of Oakland on Golden Gate Avenue near Laguna and Gough Streets and placed him under arrest. A search of Aguilera-Moncada's person and vehicle yielded suspected narcotics and evidence related to narcotics trafficking.



Photo courtesy of the San Francisco Police Department.

Officers from SFPD Narcotics and Tenderloin Station continued their investigation to a residence on the 2300 block of International Boulevard in Oakland to serve the search warrant. The second suspect, Marlo Cruz-Lopez, 46, was located at the residence

and taken into custody. A search of the residence yielded large amounts of suspected narcotics and over \$5,000 in U.S. currency. Officers seized suspected fentanyl, methamphetamine, and cocaine totaling more than 850 grams as well as

ammunition and other evidence related to narcotics trafficking.

Both suspects were transported to San Francisco County Jail #1. Aguilera-Moncada was booked on the charges of 3 counts of possession for sale of a controlled substance (11351 H&S), transportation or sale of methamphetamine (11379 H&S), possession of methamphetamine for sale (11378 H&S), committing a felony while on bail or release (12022.1(b)PC), conspiracy (182 PC) and operating or maintaining a drug house (11366 H&S).

Cruz-Lopez was booked on the charges of possession of methamphetamine for sale (11378 H&S), transportation or sale of methamphetamine (11379(a) H&S), committing a felony while on bail or release (12022.1(b) H&S), and conspiracy (182 PC).

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