

Mendocino County Sheriff's Office Press Release

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Location: South Highway 101/Gobbi Street in Ukiah, Ca.

When: **Date:** 03-12-2015 **Time:** 11:30 PM

Victim Info :

Name	Age	Street Address	City, State
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Suspect Info:

Name	Age	Street Address	City, State
Suspect #1: Rolando Rojas-Ramirez	34		Freedom, Ca.
Suspect #2: Gaudencia Gustavo Mendez	36		Santa Rosa, Ca.

Written by: Sergeant Derek Scott

Synopsis: On 03-12-2015 at 11:30 PM, a Mendocino County Sheriff's Deputy was driving behind a pickup truck on Highway 101, near the Gobbi Street exit, when he saw an occupant of the vehicle violate the Paul Buzzo act. The Deputy conducted an enforcement stop of the vehicle and contacted the occupants.

The Deputy could readily smell the odor of marijuana coming from the truck and also established that the driver, Guadencia Mendez, was driving with his license suspended and he was wanted for two outstanding arrest warrants.

The Deputy searched the vehicle and located about 15 pounds of processed marijuana, packaged for sale, and approximately 142,000.00 dollars. Mendez and the passenger, Rolando Rojas-Ramirez were arrested and taken into custody without incident. Rojas-Ramirez was found to be in possession of cocaine and methamphetamine.

Mendez along with his passenger Rojas-Ramirez were arrested and booked into the Mendocino County Jail for the above charges. Mendez' bail was set at \$40,000.00 and Rojas-Ramirez' bail was set at \$30,000.00.

Approved By: Lieutenant Greg Stefani

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