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Offender Charged with Aggravated Battery of Three Victims



Offender: Melchor Hernandez Rodriguez, 40

4200 block of W. Potomac Ave.

Chicago, Illinois

Charges: Two (2) felony counts – Aggravated Battery/Great Bodily Harm

One (1) felony count - Aggravated Battery/Public Place

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – April 1, 2025

Narrative: The above offender was arrested on March 30, 2025, at 5:34 a.m., in the 5600

block of W. Grand. He was identified as an offender who, approximately 25 minutes earlier, stabbed three victims, a 32-year-old male, 30-year-old female and a 20-year-old female, in the 5700 block of W. Grand Ave. (25th District). Responding officers quickly located the offender, who was placed into custody and

charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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