



NEWS RELEASE

Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with Attempt Murder and Aggravated Battery



Offender: Bernard Butler, 44
1800 block of S. Fairfield Ave.
Chicago, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – Attempt - Murder - First Degree
One (1) felony count – Aggravated Battery/Discharge Firearm
One (1) felony count – Possession Firearm Repeat Fel Offen
Three (3) felony counts – PCS Possession - Possess amount of controlled
Substance except (A) (D)
One (1) misdemeanor count – Resisting/Obstruct/ Peace Officer/ Corrections
Employee/ Firefighter

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – July 7, 2025

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department on July 4, 2025, in the 0-100 block of N. Hamlin Blvd. He was identified as the offender who on July 3, 2025, shot and seriously injured a 36-year-old male in the 0-100 block of N. Hamlin Blvd. (11th District). The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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