



NEWS RELEASE

Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with Murder of 42-Year-Old Male



No Mugshot Available

Offender: Ammar Houssamo, 53
1600 block of W. Farwell Ave
Chicago, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – Murder - First Degree
Two (2) felony counts – AGG UPW/Person/Loaded/No FCCA

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department on May 14, 2026, at 8:09 a.m. in the 300 block of Ridge Rd. in Evanston, Illinois. He was identified as the offender who, approximately one hour earlier, fatally shot a 42-year-old male victim in the 1400 block of W. Thome Ave. (24th District). The offender was placed into custody and subsequently charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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