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Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with Aggravated Vehicular Hijacking of 31-Year-Old Female



Offender: Jose Mendoza, 19
2000 block of W. 70th Pl.
Chicago, Illinois

Charge: Two (2) felony counts – Vehicular Hijacking - Aggravated - Firearm

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – February 25, 2025

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Vehicular Hijacking Task Force on February 23, 2025, at 4:24 p.m., in the 2000 block of W. 70th Pl. He was identified as one of the offenders who, hours earlier, displayed a handgun and took a vehicle by force from a 31-year-old female in the 2800 block of W. 65th St (8th District). The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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