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Chicago Police Recover \$6.75 Million Worth of Narcotics



Name: Juan Roberto Vazquez, 28

4500 block of S. Christiana Ave.

Charges: One Felony Count of Poss. of Controlled Substance-Possess 900+ Grams-Cocaine

One Misdemeanor Count of Driving/Never Issued License Citations for Disobey Turn Signal Indicator and No Insurance

Bond: Central Bond Court, 2600 S. California – January 31, 2015

Narrative: The above offender were arrested and charged after over \$6 million dollars worth of

cocaine was found in his possession on January 30, 2015, at approximately 2:30 pm. Chicago Police Narcotics Division officers were conducting a narcotics related investigation involving the above offender when the offender was observed placing two heavy suitcases into his vehicle. As the offender drove off, his vehicle was stopped by police after the offender committed a traffic violation in the 1500 block of N. Kedvale. The offender could not produce a driver's license and was placed into custody. Further investigation revealed the contents of the suitcases to contain 90 brick shaped objects containing cocaine. The estimated weight of the narcotics was 54,000 grams and has an estimated street value of \$6.75 million dollars. The

offender was charged accordingly and there is no further information.

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