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South Side Man Charged in Traffic Crash



Offender: Ricky Pearson, 27
5600 block of South Morgan St.

Charges: Three felony counts of Aggravated DUI/Accident/Bodily Harm
One misdemeanor count of Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol
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B.A.C. greater than 0.08
One misdemeanor count of Driving on a Suspended License
Citations for Insurance-Operate Motor Vehicle Without and Disobey Red
Circular Steady Signal Stop

Court: Central Bond Court, 2600 S. California – February 29, 2016

Narrative: Pearson was arrested after he was identified as the driver who caused a traffic crash on the 300 block of N. Hamlin on February 27, 2016 at approximately 6:25 a.m. Pearson was traveling eastbound on Lake St. when he failed to stop at a red light and struck a vehicle in the intersection causing the vehicle to strike a pillar. Two male juveniles were ejected from the vehicle that was struck and were transported to an area hospital with serious injuries. A female adult driver was transported to an area hospital with minor injuries. No other injuries were reported. Pearson was charged accordingly. No further information is available.

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