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POLICE DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Felon in Possession of a Firearm, Possession of a Firearm in a Vehicle, and Possession of Narcotics Arrest

Location: 1590 Ocean Ave. (Ocean Avenue Park)

Date/Time Occurred: 09/25/16 @ 2229 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol, Ventura Police K-9

Suspect(s):

#1: Christian Torres, 28 years, Ventura Resident

#2: Chris Gallegos, 19 years, Ventura Resident

#3: Christian Albarran, 18 years, Ventura Resident

Report #: 16-13447

Narrative:

On the above date and time, a Ventura Police K-9 officer was patrolling the area of Ocean Avenue Park, 1590 Ocean Ave., and contacted several subjects drinking inside of a parked vehicle, which was inside the park after hours.

During a search of the vehicle, several shotgun shells and an unloaded shotgun was found concealed near the driver's seat and cocaine was found in the center console.

Christian Torres was arrested and booked into the Ventura County Jail for being a felon in possession of a firearm and having a firearm concealed in a vehicle. Chris Gallegos was cited and released for possession of a controlled substance and Christian Albarran was cited and released for a probation violation.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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