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Press Release

Today's Date: 01/28/09
Date & Time Occurred: 01/27/09, 5:00 a.m.
Submitted By: Matt Lydon, Sergeant
Phone: 707-449-5236
Case Number 09-842
Type of Crime/Incident: 459 PC Auto Burglary; 496 PC Possession of Stolen Property;
182 PC Conspiracy to Commit Burglary
Arrest Location: 100 block of Gable Street, Vacaville
Suspects: Rene Vizcarra (Male) 23 years old
Jose Perez Ramirez (Male) 23 years old
Wendy Castro (Female) 18 years old

Narrative:

On January 27, 2009 at approximately 5:00 a.m., Officer Steve Carey initiated a traffic stop on a 1995 Chevy Silverado pickup truck for having a headlight out. The driver (Ramirez) of vehicle had no identification and was unlicensed. The investigation revealed the entire bed of the pickup truck had numerous tools, speaker boxes, stereos, CD players, CD cases, and other miscellaneous items.

During the stop Officer Carey was able to identify one item in the truck as stolen from a vehicle on Brookwood Drive earlier in the morning.

Ramirez, Vizcarra, and Castro were arrested and booked at Solano County Jail for 459 PC, Auto Burglary; 182 PC, Conspiracy to Commit Auto Burglary; 496 PC, Possession of Stolen Property; and Ramirez was also charged with 12500(a) CVC, Unlicensed Driver.

As the investigation continued the majority of the items were connected to more Vacaville auto burglaries. Some items remain at the Vacaville Police Department and have not yet been identified by victims.

A fourth suspect is being sought by police. The suspect goes by the Moniker, "Smokey" and may frequent the Gable Street area of Vacaville. If you have any suspect information or believe you were a victim on an auto burglary please call Detective Otha Livingston at 707-449-5270.