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NEWS RELEASE
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VPD Report Number: 17-93488

Type of Incident:

Possession of Methamphetamine for sale

Possession of Cocaine for sale

Date/Time Occurred: 11/8/17 0830 Hours

Location: 100 block S. Cottage, Porterville

300 block N. Cottage, Porterville

Name of Business (if applicable):

| Suspect: | Age: | Arrested: |
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| 1. Pedro Lopez | 41 | Yes |
| 2. Salvador Vegara | 49 | Yes |
| 3. Oscar Vegara | 23 | Yes |

Details: On 11/8/17 at 0830 hours members of the Visalia Police Department Narcotics Unit, Special Enforcement Unit and Porterville Police Department served search warrants in the 100 block of S. Cottage and 300 block of N. Cottage in Porterville. During the search of the residences, officers located 11.6 pounds of Methamphetamine, ½ pound of Cocaine, scales and packaging materials. Suspects Vegara and Vegara were arrested at that time and booking into the Tulare County Jail System on the above listed charges. On 11/9/17, Suspect Lopez was located and also booked into the Tulare County Jail System for the above listed charges.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Narcotics Unit Supervisor: Sgt. S. Scofield

