



HARRISON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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*****PRESS RELEASE*****
For Immediate Release

On February 29, 2016 Sheriff Troy Peterson announced the arrest of 33 year old Jose Rodriguez-Mederos whom resides at 9931 Deawoods Lane Houston, Texas and 50 year old Pablo Lopez Prado whom resides at 19617 Rustic Lake Lane Cypress, Texas on a Possession of a Counterfeit Instrument.

According to Sheriff Peterson at approximately 12:00pm. Deputies conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for careless driving. Upon contact with the occupants Deputies noticed in plain view a small bag of marijuana. Deputies obtained consent to search the vehicle. Deputies located a gas pump skimmer used to obtain credit card information to make fraudulent credit cards. Deputies also located several fraudulent credit cards inside the vehicle.

Jose Rodriguez-Mederos and Pablo Lopez Prado both were cited for possession of marijuana and booked into the Harrison County Adult Detention Facility on a \$50,000.00 dollar bond each for Possession of a Counterfeit Instrument set by Judge Brandon Ladner. Both subjects are also being held on an immigration hold through ICE.

Investigative Officer: _____

Arresting Officer(s): _____

Approved For Release: _____


Troy J. Peterson, Sheriff, Harrison County, Mississippi

