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Austin Man Charged with Aggravated Battery



Offender: Tabari Harris, 19

Residence: 5300 Block of West Harrison St, Chicago, IL

Charges: One felony count of Aggravated Battery/Discharge Firearm

Court : Central Bond Court - 2600 S. California Avenue – March 22, 2017

Narrative: Harris was placed into custody after being positively identified as the offender of an Aggravated Battery which occurred on March 20, 2017 at 9:29 a.m. on the 2500 block of S. California. Harris fired multiple shots striking a 21-year-old male multiple times before fleeing on foot. An off-duty Chicago Police Officer witnessed Harris, who was armed with a handgun, running away from the scene. The off-duty Officer initiated a foot pursuit and shortly thereafter, Harris was placed into custody on the 2800 block of W. 25th Place. A weapon was recovered on scene and Harris was charged accordingly. The victim was transported to Mt. Sinai Hospital in critical condition.

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