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Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with Aggravated Reckless Driving



Offender: Ricardo Ortega-Flores, 19
4800 block of W. Belmont Rd.
Downers Grove, Illinois

Charges: Two (2) felony count – Aggravated Reckless Driving/Bodily Harm
Two (2) felony counts – Leave Scene of Accident - Injury/Death

Court: Central Bond Court – 2600 S. California – April 22, 2023

Narrative: The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department and the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force on April 20, 2023, in the 1700 block of S. State. He was identified as the offender responsible for a vehicle crash that occurred on April 2, 2023, in the 4200 block of S. Kedzie (9th District). The offender was driving at a high rate of speed and collided with another vehicle, seriously injuring two of his passengers, a 17-year-old and a 19-year-old male. The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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