



## **Central Falls Police Department Office of Public Information**

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### **Central Falls man charged with stolen firearm and narcotics violations:**

CENTRAL FALLS – On July 23, 2015 at approximately 2:15 PM, a joint narcotics operation was conducted by members of the Central Falls Police Departments Special Investigations Unit, the Alcohol Tobacco and Firearms Task Force and the Rhode Island Department of Corrections.

The team executed a court authorized search warrant at 120 Summer Street, first floor. The target of the investigation, Luis Torres (20) of Central Falls, was located within and detained. During a search of his apartment a Taurus .357 Magnum and 49 rounds of ammunition were located. The firearm in question was reported stolen during a breaking and entering in the City of Pawtucket.

During the search, a considerable amount of crack cocaine and marijuana was located along with \$792.00 in cash which was seized for forfeiture. Torres was placed into custody and transported to the Central Falls Police Station for processing where he was held overnight.

He was arraigned this morning in 6<sup>th</sup> District Court in Providence on the charge of possession of cocaine with intent to distribute; distribution of a controlled substance within a school zone; possession of a stolen firearm while in the commission of a crime; and possession of a firearm while in the commission of a controlled substance violation.

Torres was ordered held without bail at the Adult Correctional Institute until his August 8<sup>th</sup> scheduled hearing.

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