



Department of Homeland Security
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MARIJUANA SMUGGLER: RIVERA
BOLO



HECTOR ENRIQUE RIVERA FIGUEROA

DOB: 02/01/1946
I-551: A030774295
FBI: NEG
SID: NEG
TECS: NUMEROUS SEE BELOW
SSN: 526-21-3441

On June 10, 2011, at 12:38 p.m., Hector RIVERA-Figueroa applied for entry into the United States at the Port of Douglas, Arizona driving a 1992 Silver Dodge Ram truck.

The primary Officer at the Port noticed that the 56 boxes of ceramic tile in the bed of the truck were banded together in sets of two. This is unusual because of the weight of tile boxes. Officers separated one of the pairs of tile boxes and discovered a bundle of marijuana.

Though CBP Officers reported seizing 28 bundles of marijuana (289 pounds), prosecution was declined and RIVERA was released (no NCIC record of law enforcement action).

RIVERA has 22 border crossings in which six of these crossings were in the vehicle he used on the day of the 289 pound marijuana seizure. In the remainder of RIVERA's border crossings, he used the three vehicles listed in the following pages. Though the subject's last name is common, a query by name and date of birth returned 13 TECS Hits related to narcotic smuggling. However, these TECS Hits were from 1999 through 2001 and did not have a date of birth input in the records. Lastly, RIVERA uses the Nogales International Airport on a regular basis.

Due to RIVERA's travel history, agents/officers can expect to encounter this smuggler on state and interstate highways between Douglas/Nogales areas of operation and the Tonopah, Buckeye and Peoria area.

Interesting seizure photographs are provided on the following pages of this BOLO.

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Subject has lived in numerous places within the general area depicted in the map below.



Vehicle descriptions and photographs on the following page.

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NOT ACTUAL VEHICLE

**1999 FORD F150
AZ ALS9183 (US)
1FTRX17W7XKB27376
RO: RIVERA**



NOT ACTUAL VEHICLE

**2002 BUICK RCX
AZ 525XRS (US)
3G5DA03E42S504690
RO: RIVERA**



NOT ACTUAL VEHICLE

**2006 NISS TITA
AZ AEC2250 (US)
1N6AA06A36N522048
RO: RIVERA**

Seizure Photographs on Following Page

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