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PRESS RELEASE

POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE DRUG FREE ZONE (COCAINE), PUBLIC INTOXICATION

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On Friday April 5, 2013 at 01:51am, Officers were dispatched to the Warehouse Bar and Grill located on the 500 block of S. Sam Houston in reference to unwanted persons. The Officers arrived at the location and a female walking out of the building was approached by Officers. The Officers began interviewing the female and a male approached the Officers requesting to take the female home. The male had a strong odor of alcohol emitting from his breath and showed signs of being intoxicated. The male had poor balance, and glossy blood shot eyes. Incident to arrest, the Officer began identifying the male by locating his wallet in his back right pocket. The Officer identified him as 41 year old Pedro Rodriguez. The Officer found in his wallet a small plastic baggie sticking out of an internal pocket within the wallet. The small plastic baggie contained a white powdery substance that was field tested positive for cocaine. The Officer charged Mr. Rodriguez for Possession of Controlled Substance (Cocaine) Drug Free Zone, and Public Intoxication. Mr. Rodriguez was transported to the city jail and was arraigned by Justice of the Peace Judge David Garza who set bond at \$5,000 dollars.

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