

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Search Warrant at Illegal Marijuana Dispensary in Spring Valley

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SYNOPSIS:

On January 11, 2018, at 8:00 a.m., deputies from the Sheriff's Rancho San Diego Station, with assistance from County Code Enforcement and the Sheriff's Special Enforcement Detail, served a search warrant at The Bakery, a marijuana dispensary located at 9215 Birch Street in Spring Valley. The search warrant was the direct result of numerous complaints from concerned citizens regarding the illegal marijuana dispensary. As a result of the search warrant, deputies located a large amount of marijuana, marijuana edibles, cash, marijuana paraphernalia as well as items used in the sales of marijuana. One person was initially detained for sales of marijuana. No arrests were made at this time. The investigation is ongoing.

All medical and non-medical marijuana facilities are banned in the unincorporated area of San Diego County as of April 14, 2017. Although Proposition 64 went into effect on January 1, 2018, medical and non-medical (recreational use) marijuana facilities are not allowed to operate in the County. All new and existing illegal marijuana facilities in the unincorporated area of San Diego County are subject to enforcement action.

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