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On March 26th 2025 the Cleveland County Sheriff's Office Community Interdiction Team (CIT) conducted a vehicle stop on Highway 74 at the intersection of Old Boiling Springs Rd. in Shelby, NC. During the vehicle stop Deputies located 15.85 lbs. of Cocaine, with a street value of \$180,000 and \$20,198.00 dollars in cash. Armando Loya-Cendjas, Alejandro Inurereta Cordova and Diego Emir Ojeda-Sanchez were arrested and taken to the Cleveland County Sheriff's Office Detention Center.



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Armando Loya-Cendjas Dob 08/18/1977
928 West Octave St.
Pasco Washington 99301
(\$300,000 Secured Bond)

Alejandro Inurereta Cordova Dob 01/08/2001
6708 Tenaza Drive
Olmito Texas 78575
(\$400,000 Secured Bond)

Diego Emir Ojeda-Sanchez Dob 08/01/2002
1081 New Circle Rd.
Lexington Kentucky 40505
(\$400,000 Secured Bond)

"The Sheriff's Office will continue to make drug investigations a high priority," Sheriff Alan Norman said. "Statistics have shown for years that drug use leads to other crimes, in particular breaking and entering and larcenies, where users have to steal to fund their habit."

"The violence associated with drug dealing is also a huge concern of mine, and those dealers who possess guns during drug transactions will be a very high priority."

The Sheriff's Office takes complaints of drug sales very seriously, Norman said, and requests that anyone with information on drug dealers in their neighborhood contact the Vice/Narcotics Division at 704-484-4987.