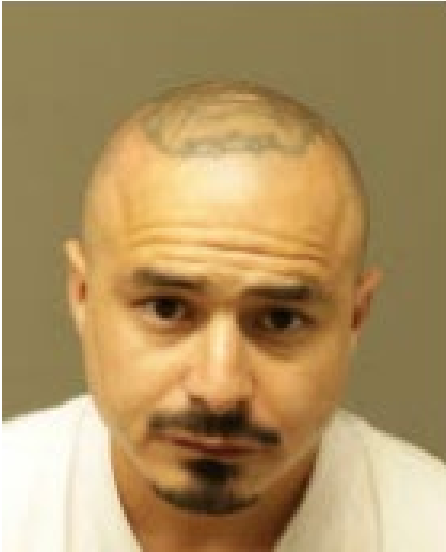




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VITAL STATS

Name: MELENDEZ, EDWARD

Age: 33

Race and Gender: HISPANIC MALE

Height: 5'5"

Weight: 183

Distinguishing marks/characteristics: TAT HEAD, TAT RF ARM, TAT R ARM, TAT L ARM, TAT BACK, TAT ABDOM, TAT LF ARM

GANG: DOG TOWN

Last Known Geographic Location: LOS ANGELES AREA

Warrant Confirmed (Check Box):

NARRATIVE:

Edward Melendez is a documented gang member and has an extensive adult criminal history that began at the age of 18. His convictions include vehicle theft, false ID to peace officer, felon in possession of a firearm, burglary, possession of controlled substances, possession of a firearm by felon/addict, carrying concealed dirk/dagger, and vandalism. He has served multiple state prison terms, the longest being a 3 year term for possession of a firearm by felon/addict. Melendez was released from state prison to the supervision of the Los Angeles County Probation Department on May 31, 2022. Under the Governor's Public Safety Realignment Act of 2011, better known as Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109) the responsibility of lower-level offenders was shifted from the State to Los Angeles County. He subsequently failed to report to his probation officer and an arrest warrant was issued in December 2022 after he absconded from post release community supervision (PRCS). Melendez qualified to be released to the supervision of probation, under AB 109, because his current commitment offense for possession of a firearm by felon/addict is defined as non-serious and non-violent under the California penal code. His criminal history, gang member status and current failure to comply with the terms of release make him a most wanted. If you know his whereabouts please contact...

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