



## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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### Media Release

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**From:** Michael Terry  
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**Re:** Vice & Narcotics Search Warrant – Three J Jewelers – 2024-00293535

**Date:** November 26, 2024

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On 11-22-2024, the Hernando County Sheriff's Office Vice and Narcotics Unit executed a search warrant at Three J Jewelers located at 4066 Deltona Blvd., Spring Hill as a result of cocaine sales.

The Vice and Narcotics Unit has been conducting an investigation into this business for the past several months as the owner of the business and suspect, **Pedro Martinez DOB/08-22-1970**, has been selling trafficking amounts of cocaine.

Upon execution of the search warrant, detectives located cocaine and crack cocaine inside the business. Martinez was subsequently placed into custody at the business and transported to the Hernando County Detention Center. As a result of the investigation and search warrant, Martinez's charges are as follows:

- **Trafficking in Cocaine (1 count)**
- **Sale of Cocaine (4 counts)**
- **Possession of a Structure with the Intent to Sell a Controlled Substance (4 counts)**
- **Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Sell (4 counts)**
- **Unlawful Use of a Two-Way Communication Device (4 counts)**
- **Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (4 counts)**

Martinez is currently being held on a \$275,000 for all charges.



**Pedro Martinez**

*Hernando County Crime Stoppers / Anonymous Tips*

*If you have information on this case, please contact Hernando County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous!*

*Hernando County Crime Stoppers can be reached by phone at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or \*\*TIPS from a cell phone.*

*You may also submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> .*

*You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000 cash!*