Clinton County Sheriffs Office News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

REPORTED BY: Deputy Todd

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Fugitive from Justice

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: Andres Felipe Garcia-Florez

ADDRESS: Florida

AGE-SEX: 34

CHARGES: Drug Trafficking, Money Laundering

DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 12/11/13

NARRATIVE: The Clinton County Sheriff's Office arrested Andres Felipe Garcia Florez as a Fugitive from Justice following information that Garcia Florez, a Columbian National was wanted in the State of Florida. An inquiry was made with the Miami-Dade Police department and it was confirmed that Garcia-Florez was wanted in the State of Florida and that extradition was requested. Garcia-Florez is wanted for Felony Drug Trafficking and Money Laundering in Florida. Garcia-Florez was currently being held as a Immigration detainee awaiting a deportation hearing in a federal court. The Federal deportation hearing will take place after all charges are disposed of in Florida. Garcia-Florez was arraigned in the Town of Plattsburgh Court on a Fugitive from Justice Warrant and remanded to the Clinton County Jail pending a waiver of extradition hearing later this week in Clinton County Court.

DISPOSITION: Held Pending County Court Hearing