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Sent: Tuesday, November 24, 2009 2:27:52 PM

To: Burke, Dennis (USAAZ)

Subject: RE: Gun seizure in Agua Prieta, Sonora

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10-4, at Naco - not Agua Prieta (that's where the seizure was taken). Mexican Customs canine alerted to the vehicle. Here's the PGR's preliminary report on the incident. Appears to be a brother and sister. We have an Special Agent/Border Liaison down there now verifying all the info. The original firearms information was wrong so the traces are pending.

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From: Burke, Dennis (USAAZ) mailto:Dennis.Burke@usdoj.gov

Sent: Tuesday, November 24, 2009 11:59 AM

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Wow, frickin-A.

They were already across the Border heading south?

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From: Newell, William D. (ATF)

Sent: Tuesday, November 24, 2009 10:25 AM

To: Burke, Dennis (USAAZ)

Subject: Gun seizure in Agua Prieta, Sonora

Just making sure you're aware of this large gun seizure this past Friday in Agua Prieta, Sonora. Woman and juvenile (15) from Florida. Mexican Canine (trained by ATF!) alerted to vehicle due to presence of firearms and ammunition. ICE and ATF in Mexico are coord interviewing the woman. We are tracing the firearms to see what we can do with the info in terms of violations, most likely to be filed in Florida - if appropriate. FYI.

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