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144 drug and alcohol related arrests made at two-day concert

(Pomona, California) – California Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Agents made 144 arrests during the two-day “HARD Day of the Dead” concert held November 1st and 2nd at the Pomona Fairgrounds. The arrests included 5 bookings for possession and/or sales of narcotics, as well as misdemeanor citations for offenses including minors in possession of alcoholic beverages, possession of false identifications (ID’s) and misdemeanor drug charges. The two day festival attracted approximately 80,000 attendees.

“Public safety is jeopardized when there is criminal activity involving illegal drugs and under-age drinking,” said ABC Director Timothy Gorsuch. “ABC will continue with an enforcement presence at large community events where alcohol is sold to the public, in order to reduce alcohol and drug-related crimes.”

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