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PRESS RELEASE

PHILADELPHIA – United States Attorney Patrick L. Meehan today announced the filing of a two-count indictment¹ charging **RAKAHN BURTON**, a/k/a “RAK,” a/k/a “RAKHAN BURTON” with possession with intent to distribute cocaine base (“crack”) and possession with intent to distribute crack within 1,000 feet of Abraham Lincoln High School in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Rakahn Burton	Philadelphia, PA	26 years old

If convicted, **RAKAHN BURTON** faces life imprisonment with a mandatory minimum of 20 years imprisonment, an \$8,000,000 fine, lifetime supervised release with a mandatory minimum of 20 years supervised release, and a \$200 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Philadelphia Police Department, and the Philadelphia District Attorney’s Office, and has been assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Jessica Natali.

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