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PRESS RELEASE

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Date: April 1, 2019

Pursuit leads to arrest of two felons for drug and gun possession

Chico, CA – On April 1, 2019, at 1:42 a.m., a Chico Police Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for speeding on E. 9th Street at the Hwy 99 overpass. The vehicle did not yield and led the Officer on a pursuit which terminated on Humboldt Avenue at Bartlett Street when the driver fled from the, still moving, vehicle. The Officer pursued the suspect on foot as he fled over fences and through the back area of the Square Deal Mattress Factory. During the foot pursuit, the suspect, identified as David Pacheco, dropped a loaded 9mm pistol. Pacheco was caught by the officer after the short foot pursuit. He was found to be in possession of Cocaine, Ecstasy and Psilocybin (mushrooms). Pacheco is a convicted felon and prohibited from possessing a firearm. He was arrested for the following charges: Reckless Evading, Possession of a firearm by a felon, Possession of ammunition by a felon, Possession of specific drugs for the purpose of sales, Being armed while possessing drugs for sale and resisting arrest.

A passenger in the vehicle, Charles Augmon, also a convicted felon, began to drive the vehicle after Pacheco fled on foot. Augmon was stopped by responding CPD Officers and was subsequently arrested for possession of a firearm by a felon and possession of ammunition by a felon after a second gun was found in the vehicle.

Both Pacheco and Augmon were transported to The Butte County Jail in Oroville and booked for the listed charges.

Location: 1354 Humboldt Avenue, Chico

Date/Time: 04/01/19 0142 hours Incident Case Number: 19-2263

Victim: State of California

Suspect 1: David Pacheco, a 28 year old Chico resident

Suspect 2: Charles Augmon, a 27 year old Citrus Heights resident

Supervisor: T. Tupper S11

Watch Commander: M. Rodden C6



David Lewis Pacheco



Charles Ray Augmon