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*****NEWS RELEASE*****

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VPD Report Number: 17-69978

Date/Time Occurred: 8-26-17/1328 hrs

Type of Incident: Attempted Vehicle Theft

Location: Mendonca/Houston

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Rodriguez, Dakota

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Yes

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Details: 8-26-17/1328 hrs: Visalia Police responded to the area of Mendonca and Houston for a subject trying to steal a scooter. The scooter was chained to a pole and advertised for sale. The suspect, Dakota Rodriguez 25 years old, was trying to cut the chain to get to the vehicle. When officers arrived, he fled from the scene. He was then apprehended and booked for attempted vehicle theft, possession of burglary tools, and resisting arrest.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol Division

Supervisor: Sgt. W. Diltz

