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

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VPD Report Number: 17-71992 & 17-94158

Date/Time Occurred: 11-10-17 / 0304 hours

Type of Incident: Residential Burglary, Vehicle Burglary, Auto Theft, Possession of Stolen Property, Possession of Burglary Tools, Possession of Heroin

Location: 3600 Block of E. Oak and 518 S. Lovers Lane (7-11 Convenience Store)

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Durham, Ray

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Yes

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Details: On 11-10-17 at approximately 0304 hours, patrol officers were dispatched to the 3600 block of E. Oak regarding a residential burglary that just occurred. A witness reported seeing an adult male suspect enter their neighbors vehicles and garage, and steal a bicycle before fleeing in a grey truck. As officers responded to the area, an officer noticed a vehicle matching the description given of the suspect vehicle parked at the 7-11 convenience store on Lovers Lane and Noble. Suspect Ray Durham of Visalia was detained at that location as the driver of the vehicle. Officers learned the truck he was driving was stolen and the bike that had been stolen from the Oak Street address was in the bed of the truck, along with other stolen items. The suspect was positively identified by a witness having committed the burglary. During a search of the stolen vehicle suspect Durham was driving, officers located a small amount of suspected heroin, burglary tools and items associated with identity theft. Suspect Durham was booked at the Adult Pre-Trial Facility for the above listed charges.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol Division

Supervisor: Sgt. Chris Jennings

