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NEWS RELEASE
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VPD Report Number: 17-100086

Type of Incident: Possession of Methamphetamine, Paraphernalia and Possession of a loaded, concealed

firearm

Date/Time Occurred: 11-30-17 / 0209

Location: Mooney / Sunnyside

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect: Age: Arrested:

1. Nancy Alvarado Yes

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Details: On 11-30-17 at approximately 0209 hours, a Visalia Police Department patrol officer iniated a traffic stop on a silver colored Chevrolet pickup on Mooney and Sunnyside for a vehicle code violation. The officer contacted the three occupants of the vehicle and learned one of the passengers, Nancy Alvarado had an active warrant. When Alvarado was removed from the vehicle, officers recovered a loaded and concealed, 9mm semi-automatic handgun from her immediate area. Officers also located a small amount of methamphetamine and a glass pipe used to smoke methamphetamine. Alvarado was subsequently taken to the Adult Pre-Trial Facility where she was booked. The driver and additional passenger were released at the scene.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol Supervisor: Sgt. Chris Jennings