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NEWS RELEASE
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VPD Report Number: 17-87088 **Date/Time Occurred:** 10/19/17 at approx 0200 hours

Type of Incident: Stolen Vehicle Pursuit **Location:** SR 198 / Akers

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:	Age:	Arrested:
1. Galindo, Frank Jr.	29	Yes
2. Villarreal, Andrea	43	Yes
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Details: On 10/19/17 at approximately 0200 hours a Visalia Police Officer located an occupied stolen vehicle in the area of SR 198 and Akers. Upon attempting a traffic stop the driver, S/Galindo, failed to yield and a pursuit was initiated. The vehicle pursuit continued E/B on SR198 at speeds of 60-95 mph. S/Galindo voluntarily stopped the vehicle in the area of SR198 and Ave 256 where he was taken into custody without incident. There was no injuries or damage as a result of the pursuit. A female passenger, S/Villarreal, was arrested for narcotics charges. Both Galindo and Villarreal were booked into the Tulare County Adult Pre-trial Facility for charges related to the auto theft, narcotics, and outstanding warrants.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol **Supervisor:** Sgt. Curtis Brown

