Mendocino County Sheriff's Office Press Release

(Title of Crime/Incident) 10851 CVC [Theft of Vehicle], 148.9 PC [False Identification to Law Enforcement]

Report Number: 2015-13562

Coroner Number:

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Location: 22000 block of Branscomb Road, Westport, California

When: Date: 06-06-2015 **Time:** 12:11 AM

Victim Info:

Name Age Street Address City, State

Victim #1: Adult Male 26 Westport, California

Suspect Info:

Name Age Street Address City, State

Suspect #1: Ana Fee 36 Fort Bragg, California

Written by: Sergeant Dustin Lorenzo

Synopsis:

On 06-06-2015 at approximately 12:11 AM, Mendocino County Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to the 22000 block of Branscomb Road in Westport, California to the report of a vehicle theft.

Sheriff Deputies responded to the location and contacted the victim who related that he had picked up a female hitchhiker earlier in the afternoon. The victim provided a ride to the 22000 block of Branscomb Road, letting her out of the vehicle near his residence.

The female stayed in the area the remainder of the day. To remove the hitchhiker from the area of his residence, the victim then provided the female a ride into the town of Westport and returned home.

At about midnight, the victim heard a vehicle in his driveway. The victim looked out his window and observed his vehicle backing down his driveway and then turn west on Branscomb Road.

The victim and his friends pursued the vehicle and stopped it near the end of his driveway. The victim removed from the female hitchhiker from the vehicle and contacted law enforcement.

The hitchhiker, later identified as Ana Fee, was arrested at the scene by Sheriff Deputies.

Fee provided false identification to the Sheriff Deputies and was ultimately charged with vehicle theft and for providing false identification.

Fee was booked into the Mendocino County Jail where she was to be held in lieu of \$15,000.00 bail.

Approved By: Captain Greg Van Patten

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