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Media Release

Incident: Distribution of a Controlled Substance

Location: Interstate 70, between Highway 63 and Lake of the Woods

Date & time: 04-16-2009 at about 9:34 p.m.

Case Number: #2009-2344, #2009-2345

Details:

On 04-16-2009 at about 9:34 p.m., members of the Boone County Sheriff's Department's Proactive Patrol Unit traffic stopped a vehicle traveling eastbound on Interstate 70 in the area of Highway 63.

The driver of the vehicle was identified as Nicholas J.W. Porter, an 18-year-old resident of Fulton, MO. Deputies arrested Porter on an active arrest warrant. During a search of the vehicle, incident to the driver's arrest, a strong odor of marijuana led Deputies to discover about three pounds of packaged marijuana.

In addition to the warrant, Porter was arrested for one count of Distribution of a Controlled Substance (RSMO 195.211). A Boone County judge set Porter's bond for the drug charge at \$20,000. Porter's warrant had a \$500 bond. At this time, Porter remains in the custody of the Boone County Jail. His total bond is \$20,500.

The passenger in Porter's vehicle was a 15 year of resident of Fulton. The juvenile was detained for one count of Distribution of a Controlled Substance (RSMO 195.211). The juvenile was released to a guardian following a referral to the Boone County Juvenile Office.

Porter's jail photograph has been included below.



Release date & time: 04-17-2009 at about 2:00 a.m.
Release authorized by: Sgt. David Alexander