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Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: May 25, 2019

PURSUIT SUSPECT ARRESTED

As a follow up to the press release made by the Napoleon Police Department on May 24, 2019 the suspect in that incident has been arrested.

During the early morning hours of May 25, 2019, John William Brown IV was identified as the operator of the vehicle that failed to stop for Officers on May 24, 2019. He was located at a residence in the City of Napoleon where he was arrested on an active arrest warrant from Fulton County and later interviewed. Mr. Brown provided an admission to having led Officers on the high speed pursuit less than 24 hours prior, as well removing the rear license plate from the vehicle after the pursuit was terminated.

Mr. Brown was subsequently charged with *Failure to comply with the order of or signal of a police officer* (felony of the third degree) along with several traffic citations before being transported to the Corrections Center of Northwest Ohio. Additional criminal charges are pending.

The Napoleon Police Department was assisted on scene and during the investigation by the Henry County Sheriff's Office.

Chief David Mack

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