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News Release

*Captain Pat Yoes
Public Information Officer
December 19, 2016
Drug Arrest*

Anyone with information regarding this incident(s) is asked to call Crime stoppers at 1-877-903-STOP. Citizens do not have to give their name nor testify and could receive up to \$2,500.

ARRESTEE:	Garcia, Elijah Joseph, 18, Male- 7373 Jefferson Highway Harahan, LA
LOCATION:	River Road in St. Rose, LA
DATE:	December 18, 2016
ITEM NO.:	L-01311-16

CHGS: Headlamp Required, Aggravated Flight from Officer, Hit and Run, Possession of Marijuana, General Speed Law, Driver not Licensed

Sheriff Greg Champagne reports that officers attempted to stop Mr. Garcia's vehicle for a traffic violation. Mr. Garcia refused to stop the vehicle and crashed into a fence a short distance later. Mr. Garcia fled on foot and was located in a wooded area near where he was last seen. Mr. Garcia was arrested accordingly.