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Press Release

Today's Date: 01/09/09
Date & Time Occurred: 01/08/09 at approx. 7:06 p.m.
Submitted By: Sgt. Jeff King
Phone: (707) 449-5407
Case Number 09-00229
Type of Crime/Incident: 11350 H&S, 2800.1 VC, 123152 VC
Location: Lagoon Valley @ I-80
Suspects: Rhea, Ken - 53 year old WMA, Residence
Stateline Nevada

Narrative:

On January 8, 2009 at approximately 7:06 p.m., Officer Frank Piro attempted to make enforcement stop on a light colored pickup on west bound I-80 near Lagoon Valley Road. The driver of the vehicle failed to yield to the marked patrol vehicle and a short pursuit ensued. The driver continued west bound on I-80 driving in the number four lane at speeds between 40 and 55 MPH. CHP and Fairfield PD units assisted in the pursuit. CHP finally stopped the vehicle at W/B I-80 at Suisun Valley Road.

The driver was taken into custody at that location and turned over to the Vacaville Police. An investigation was conducted and the driver was identified as Ken Rhea of Stateline Nevada. Mr. Rhea was booked into Solano County Jail for the charges of Possession of cocaine, failure to yield to a police vehicle and driving under the influence.