



**Porterville Police Department
Press Release**

Incident: 273a P.C. – Child Endangerment
4059a B. P. – Providing Prescription to Another

Date/Time: March 10, 2010 / 9:45 A. M.

Location: 500 Block North Sunwood, Porterville

Suspect(s): Male Juvenile, 17 Years, Porterville Resident

Summary:

On March 10, 2010 at approximately 9:45 A.M. Porterville Police Officers were dispatched to the 500 block of North Sunwood Street regarding a 17 year old female that had overdosed on pills and was non-responsive. When officers arrived they located the female who was awake but very lethargic. Ambulance personnel arrived and transported the female to Sierra View District Hospital for treatment. Officers spoke to a 17 year old male at the residence and determined that he was prescribed a muscle relaxer which he unlawfully furnished to the female causing her to overdose. The male juvenile was arrested for child endangerment and providing his prescription to another. He was later booked into Juvenile Hall. The female juvenile was treated and released from the hospital.

Investigating Officer(s)
Ofc. L. Kirk #164

Supervisor
Sgt. B. Nix #146