PRESS RELEASE

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AMES, Iowa - On Tuesday, April 27, Iowa State University police officers stopped a vehicle near the intersection of Harris Street and Bellflower Drive for failure to obey a traffic light and equipment violations. As officers approached the vehicle, the driver, Domoh D. Domoh – age 20 from Ames -- drove off before officers were able to make contact.

Officers pursued the vehicle for several blocks before turning eastbound on Lincoln Way from Beedle Drive. The vehicle continued traveling eastbound on Lincoln Way. As the driver attempted to make a turn onto Franklin Avenue from Lincoln Way, the driver lost control of the vehicle, coming to a stop on the west side of Geo 360 Water Logistics. Domoh exited the vehicle and started running. Officers were able to apprehend Domoh, a block away, behind Colorado Laundry.

Officers executed a search warrant on Domoh’s vehicle that resulted in the recovery of 64 grams of marijuana. Other charges related to the stop are pending.

Domoh was arrested on charges of: possession of a controlled substance (marijuana), failure to affix drug stamp, eluding, reckless driving, driving while license denied, suspended, cancelled or revoked, failure to respond to a steady red signal, excessive speed and improper rear lamp(s).

A review of the pursuit will be conducted per departmental policy.