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PRESS RELEASE

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Vehicle Pursuit / Death Investigation

(Charleston County, SC) On January 24, 2018 just after 2:43 p.m., Charleston County Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to a domestic disturbance at 1460 St. Hubert Way in Charleston. Prior to our deputies' arrival, the male half of the disturbance left the residence in a vehicle. Deputies patrolled the area and located the subject on Bees Ferry Rd. Deputies attempted to approach the subject, at which time he fled in his vehicle. After a short vehicle pursuit, the subject stopped in front of the same residence at 1460 St. Hubert Way. When deputies attempted to confront the subject, he produced a handgun and shot himself while still inside his vehicle. As a result, the subject was pronounced dead at the scene.

The Coroner's Office is investigating the incident. The Sheriff's Office has requested SLED to conduct an investigation as well.

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