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## Media Release

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On January 14, 2017 at approximately 10:42pm, OFC Maybush observed a vehicle accelerating to a high rate of speed while exiting Rt. 806 and continuing NB on Rt. 15. OFC Maybush attempted to stop for vehicle for two miles before the vehicle exited Rt. 15 and turned into a business on Frederick Rd. OFC Maybush identified the operator as: Jessica Rosa Poff, age 36, of Thurmont. Further investigation caused OFC Maybush to conduct a search and discover that Ms. Poff was in possession of CDS and CDS Paraphernalia. Ms. Poff was placed under arrest and charged with: Speeding, Fleeing and Eluding, Possession of CDS not Marijuana-Cocaine, Possession of CDS Paraphernalia. Ms. Poff was taken to Central Booking and released on Personal Recognizance at her Initial Appearance.

On January 16, 2017 at approximately 6:22pm, Thurmont Police responded to the Weis Market on Thurmont Blvd. for a reported robbery. The responding officers learned that three males had entered the Grocery Store and then one of the males jumped the counter at the Pharmacy and stole bottles of Promethazine and Codeine. No one was injured during the robbery. Detective Bowen of the Thurmont Police Department is working with other agencies who have had similar incidents their jurisdictions as the investigation is continuing.

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