



NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Prowling, Under the Influence of a Controlled Substance

Location: 1400 Block of Nathan Ln..

Date/Time Occurred: 02/19/17 @ 1950 hrs.

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol, Ventura City Fire

Suspect(s): Kevin Pinto, 31 years, Ventura Resident

Report #: 17-2338

Narrative:

On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received a 911 call from a resident in the 1400 block of Nathan Ln., reporting an unknown subject in the backyard of the residence. While officers responded to the call, the 911 dispatcher stayed on the line with the resident. Before officers arrived on scene the subject, later identified as Kevin Pinto, had left and had reportedly entered the backyard of a neighboring residence. When officers arrived on scene, Pinto was still in the backyard and taken into custody without incident.

During the investigation, officers found that Pinto was displaying signs of being under the influence of a controlled substance. He had previously been on the beach and gone into the ocean, and was suffering from hypothermia.

Ventura City Fire personnel responded and treated Pinto at the scene.

He was arrested and later booked into the Ventura County Jail for prowling and being under the influence of a controlled substance.

No one was hurt as a result of this incident.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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