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**PRESS RELEASE**

On Thursday, February 4, at 5:59 a.m., the Sioux County Sheriff's Office investigated a motor vehicle accident that occurred on Hwy 75, one mile north of Sioux Center, IA.

Derek Hanson, 23, of Sioux Falls SD was driving a 1994 Peterbuilt northbound on Hwy 75. Hanson struck a cow that was lying in the roadway.

No injuries were reported.

The truck sustained approximately \$2,500 in damages.

The owner of the cow was Keith Asseln of rural route Ireton, IA. The value of the cow was estimated at \$750.

The Sioux County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Sioux Center Police Department.