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**PRESS RELEASE**

On Sunday, May 30, at 1:00 p.m., the Sioux County Sheriff's Office initiated a traffic stop on 400th Street just east of Sioux Center, IA.

Upon further investigation it was found that the driver had given the deputy a false name. The deputy found that Benito Olmedo-Hernandez, age 30, from Orange City, IA was his real name and that he had two arrest warrants out for him. He was arrested and charged with Failure to have a valid driver license and Interference with Official Acts along with the two warrants, which were for Failure to Appear.

The owner of the car, Juan Jose Olmedo-Hernandez, age 31, from Orange City, IA was cited for Permitting an Unauthorized Person to Drive. Upon further investigation of Juan Jose Olmedo-Hernandez, it was found that he was working under a false Social Security number at Rolling View Farms, of Boyden, IA. He was arrested on Wednesday, June 2, at 2:30 p.m., and charged with Identity Theft, a class D felony.

The investigation is ongoing.



**Benito Olmedo-Hernandez**



**Juan Jose Olmedo-Hernandez**