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Subject: EPD Arrest of Meth Sales Suspect Jack Kyle Daniels

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On 11/25/11, at about 10:00 PM, a Eureka Police Department officer on patrol observed suspicious activity between two males associated with a vehicle in a gas station parking lot on the 1300 block of 5th Street, Eureka. Upon seeing the officer approaching, both subjects walked away from the vehicle.

The officer followed the male driver, who appeared visibly nervous, into the gas station minimart where he contacted him. The officer recalled the driver, Jack Kyle Daniels (age 30 of Eureka), was on active parole. During a subsequent search of Daniels' person, officers located a large amount of unexplained cash (\$1,818.00 total), a baggy containing 12.8 grams (approximately ½ ounce gross field weight) of crystal methamphetamine, and 10 illegally possessed oxycodone (Roxicodone) pills.

Officers also searched Daniels' car, where they located approximately 5.8 grams (gross field weight) of heroin, a digital gram scale with suspected drug residue, and over an ounce of processed marijuana. Additionally, officers found written records associated with Daniels that were highly indicative of drugs sales activity.

At the officer's request, a detective with EPD's Problem Oriented Policing Unit responded to assist and take over the investigation

In Daniels' pockets, investigators found room keys to a nearby motel on the 1100 block of 5th Street. Officers responded to Daniels' motel room where they located two small baggies containing more processed marijuana, a glass meth pipe, and a bag containing 20 gauge shotgun ammunition.

Daniels was arrested and transported to the Humboldt County Correctional Facility where he was booked for possession of a controlled substance for sale, possession of over 1 ounce of marijuana, and possession of drug paraphernalia. A 15-year-old female passenger in Daniels' car was released into the care and custody of her mother at the scene.

