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PRESS RELEASE

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Impersonation of a Peace Officer

Location of Incident: Somerton Avenue and County 14th Street - Somerton, AZ

On January 13, 2015, at approximately 7:30 p.m., the Yuma County Sheriff's Office received a report from a citizen who stated that on January 9, 2015, she had been "pulled over" by a vehicle that was not a law enforcement vehicle.

The reporting party stated that she was travelling in the area of Somerton Avenue and County 14th Street when the suspect vehicle activated emergency lights (alternating headlights and red/blue lights by the visor) and she pulled over. She stated that when the driver of the suspect vehicle was walking up to her vehicle driver's door, he started to laugh. The driver then turned around and headed back to his vehicle, and proceeded to leave. Moments later, the victim saw that the suspect vehicle had another vehicle pulled over on the side of the road in the same area.

The suspect vehicle is described as a late 1980's light brown Honda. The victim was unable to obtain a vehicle license plate number; however, she did witness two other subjects in the vehicle with the driver.

The case remains under investigation. Anyone with information regarding this case, please contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at 928-783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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