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SUFFOLK POLICE MAKE ARREST IN CHILD NEGLECT CASE

SUFFOLK, Virginia (November 5, 2014) Suffolk Police have made an arrest following a report to Emergency Communications that a child was observed alone at night standing in the doorway of the premises.

At 8:17 p.m. on November 4, 2014, officers responded to a residence in the 1200 block of Truman Road and found a 4-year old girl alone and crying. Officers called out to determine if anyone else was in the premises, and no one responded.

While officers were on scene the mother, Jamie Deloria Darden, age 25, of the 1200 block of Truman Road, eventually returned to the premises.

Darden was charged with Cruelty and Injuries to Children and was transported to Western Tidewater Regional Jail. The child was not injured and is currently in the care of a family member.

The investigation is ongoing.

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