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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

(CPD #25-33312)

CONCORD, NH – On August 27, 2025 at approximately 10:35 p.m., Concord Police officers conducted a motor vehicle stop on a blue colored Subaru Legacy on I-93 in Concord, NH. During the traffic stop, a male occupant brandished a firearm and pointed it at the Officers. The vehicle then fled the traffic stop. A BOLO (Be On The Lookout) for the vehicle was distributed to surrounding agencies.

On August 28, 2025 the vehicle was located by a New Hampshire State Trooper at the Circle K gas station at 500 Rt. 3A in Bow, NH. The suspect was contacted and arrested at that location. While being taken into custody, the suspect attempted to grab the Trooper's rifle and was eventually placed into handcuffs. Arrested was:

BRUCE SANBORN, AGE 54
CENTER HARBOR, NH

The New Hampshire State Police charged SANBORN with:

RESISTING ARREST OR DETENTION
CONVICTED FELONS (POSSESSION OF DEADLY WEAPON)
TAKING A FIREARM FROM A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

Sanborn was later held at the Merrimack County House of Corrections on preventative detention status. Sanborn was arraigned at Concord District Court on August 28, 2025 at 11 a.m.

There is believed to be no threat to the public related to this incident at this time. This remains an open and active investigation. Anyone with relevant information regarding this incident is asked to contact Det. Shaughnessy at the Concord Police Department at (603) 225-8600.

Anyone who has information relative to this incident and wishes to remain anonymous is asked to call the Concord Regional Crimeline at (603) 226-3100, or submit information online through the Crimeline website at: www.concordregionalcrimeline.com, or text message TIP234 and your message to CRIMES (274637). Crimeline awards cash to anyone whose information leads to the arrest and indictment of criminals. All tips remain anonymous.

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