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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

FORT BENNING, Georgia – An incident occurred on Fort Benning this morning involving a high-speed chase, which originated off post and ended on post with two people being apprehended by Fort Benning authorities.

At 5:08 a.m., the Military Police received a call from Chattahoochee County Sheriff's Office of a high-speed chase that originated in Richland, GA. The subjects entered Fort Benning at Sand Hill and abruptly stopped as they failed to negotiate the turn and impacted the cement barriers at the top of the entrance ramp to the Access Control Point.

One of subjects was injured in the accident and the other subject fled on foot. The injured subject was immediately apprehended by Fort Benning Police. The second subject fled into Patton Village where he entered a home and stole a vehicle and attempted to escape. At 6:17 a.m. Fort Benning authorities issued a Be On the Lookout (BOLO) to all patrols and access control points.

At approximately 7:30 a.m. guards at the Access Control Point on Buena Vista Rd. observed the stolen vehicle in the area of Wildcat and Buena Vista and notified police who picked up pursuit. The vehicle was stopped at Red Arrow and Buena Vista where the second subject was apprehended. We have now returned to normal operations, and we are caring for the family affected. No one was injured and we're providing assistance to those impacted by the situation.

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