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Patrol's statistical recap shows areas where most driving under suspension arrests take place

COLUMBUS – Franklin and Scioto counties had the most driving under suspension (DUS) arrests over the past three years according to new statistics released by the Patrol today. Troopers made 84,632 DUS arrests statewide from 2006 through 2008.

According to the *Ohio State Highway Patrol Driving Under Suspension Arrests* statistical recap from the Patrol's Statistical Analysis Unit, during this three-year period troopers made 3,656 DUS arrests in Franklin County and 2,789 arrests in Scioto County, followed closely by Montgomery County with 2,755 arrests. Rounding the top five are Stark County with 2,578 and Clark County with 2,522. Counties in the Patrol's Wilmington District (southwest Ohio) accounted for 12,082 arrests, followed by the Patrol's Jackson District (southeast Ohio) with 11,652 of the DUS arrests.

Of the Patrol's DUS arrests throughout the state of Ohio 34 percent were for drivers 25 years-of-age or below and an additional 34 percent were between the ages of 26 – 35. Of the total arrests, 18 percent involved impaired motorists.

To view a copy of the entire statistical recap, visit
http://www.statepatrol.ohio.gov/doc/TrafficBulletin_Issue17.pdf

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