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Media Release

The Broome County Sheriff's Office made the following arrest over the weekend.

At about 9:36 PM on Friday, May 21, 2021 Sheriff's Office personnel observed a vehicle traveling on State Route 7 in the Village of Port Dickinson at a speed well below the posted speed limit. The vehicle also had the turn signal indicator activated for a period of time without making any turns. Deputies followed the vehicle onto Interstate 88 eastbound to observe the driver's actions. Deputies conducted a traffic stop of the vehicle, a 2005 Acura, on I-88 eastbound in the Town of Fenton. Upon interviewing the operator identified as Katty Cogan, Deputies detected an odor of an alcoholic beverage on her breath. Upon further investigation, Cogan displayed other signs of intoxication and admitted to being 'buzzed'. Cogan refused to participate in field sobriety testing and was ultimately arrested under the suspicion of driving while intoxicated. An open container of the beverage 'Four Loko' was located inside the vehicle. Cogan was transported to the Sheriff's Office headquarters for further investigation. While at the Sheriff's Office, Cogan refused to give a sample of her breath. She was processed and released on the offenses listed below. Cogan was transported to a relative's residence and released to their custody. She was directed to appear in the Town of Fenton Court at a later date. The Acura was towed from the scene of the traffic stop.

Arrested:

Katty Cogan, 42, of Chenango Forks, NY

Charges:

NYS Vehicle and Traffic Law and NYS Penal Law:

Driving while intoxicated, an unclassified misdemeanor

Improper Turn Signal, a violation

Driving too slowly, a violation

Consumption of alcohol in a motor vehicle, a violation