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## ***PRESS RELEASE***

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At approximately 3:45 this afternoon, 23 year old Ahmed Ismail turned himself into his attorney's office on Congress Street in Portland and is now at the Cumberland County Jail. Ismail has been the focus of a search since being mistakenly released from the CCJ on Wednesday, December 2, 2009.

At the time, Ismail was being held for 2 counts of robbery and two counts of aggravated Reckless Conduct with a Dangerous Weapon. He now faces a class "C" Escape charge. More charges could follow.

The Cumberland County Sheriff's Office, Portland Police Department and the Southern Maine Violent Crimes Task Force all worked in conjunction to bring this situation to a successful conclusion.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Chief Deputy Kevin Joyce at 774-1444 extension 2115.