

MEDIA RELEASE

TRAFFIC STOP FOR SPEED ENDS IN ARRESTS FOR GUN, DRUG AND ALCOHOL VIOLATIONS

ELLETTSVILLE, IN (June 27, 2016): On Sunday, June 26, 2016 just before 1:30 AM, Officer Alec Leggio of the Ellettsville Police Department stopped a car for travelling 61 MPH in a 45 MPH zone. The driver of the vehicle was identified as Trenton Sherard Borom II (23 years old) of Indianapolis. Officer Leggio smelled the strong odor of burnt marijuana and the strong odor of an alcoholic beverage coming from the vehicle. Trenton Borom II failed field sobriety testing. Boroms' two passengers were identified as Jermaine Montex Southward (22 years old) of Indianapolis and Kyle Lance Reed (23 years old) of Blackjack, Missouri.

A search of the vehicle yielded twenty Tramadol 50 milligram pills, which are a Schedule IV controlled substance and a green leafy substance identified as marijuana. The vehicle had a pass-through from the back seat area to allow access to the trunk from the passenger compartment and located just through that pass-through was a loaded 9 mm handgun and a shotgun.

All three men were arrested and transported to the Monroe County Correctional Center to face criminal charges.

Trenton Borom II was arrested and booked on the following charges:

1. Operating While Intoxicated – Prior Conviction within Five Years: IC 9-30-5-3, a Level 6 Felony
2. Possession of a Schedule IV Controlled Substance: IC 35-48-4-7, a Class A misdemeanor
3. Possession of Marijuana: IC 35-48-4-11, a Class B misdemeanor

Jermaine Montex Southward was arrested and booked on the following charges:

1. Possession of a Controlled Substance with a Handgun IC: 35-48-4-7(b)), a Level 6 felony
2. Carrying a Handgun without a License: IC 35-47-2-23, a Class A misdemeanor
3. Possession of Marijuana IC: 35-48-4-11, a Class B misdemeanor

Kyle Lance Reed was arrested and booked on the following charges:

1. Possession of a Schedule IV Controlled Substance: IC 35-48-4-7, a Class A misdemeanor
2. Possession of Marijuana IC: 35-48-4-11, a Class B misdemeanor