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## BROOME COUNTY SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT TASK FORCE PRESS RELEASE

Felony Charges after Meth, Fentanyl, Mushrooms and Illegal Weapon Recovered in Endicott

(ENDICOTT, NY) An Endicott woman is facing five felony charges after the Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force executed a narcotics search warrant in Endicott.

On August 8, 2023, the Task Force executed a narcotics search warrant at 107 N Washington Ave. in the Village of Endicott. Located at the residence was the target, Veronica A. Mitchell, age 34 of Endicott. During the execution of the search warrant, the following items of evidence were located:

- Quantities of Fentanyl
- 9.5 Grams of Methamphetamine
- 8.7 Grams of Psilocybin Mushrooms
- Scales, packaging materials used for weighing, and packaging narcotics for sale
- Metal knuckles and a metal knuckle knife
- \$122.00 in US Currency

Following the investigation, Mitchell was arrested and charged with the following:

- Three Counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, a Class B Felony;
- Two Counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, a Class D Felony
- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 7<sup>th</sup> degree, a Class A Misdemeanor;
- Three Counts of Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Class A Misdemeanors; and

Mitchell was taken to Central Arraignment at the Broome County Sheriff's Correctional Facility.

The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force was assisted by members of the Endicott Police Department and the Broome County Sheriff's Office Road Patrol.

The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force is comprised of members of the Broome County Sheriff's Office, the City of Binghamton Police Department, and the Village of Johnson City Police Department.

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