



***BROOME COUNTY SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT  
TASK FORCE***

**PRESS RELEASE**

**January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

***Police seize Handguns in drug raid***

On Tuesday January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021, Members of the Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force executed a narcotics search warrant at 37 Doubleday St in the City of Binghamton. Investigators recovered:

- Approximately **3.7 pounds of Marihuana**
- **4 loaded handguns (illegally possessed)**
- **2 high capacity magazines**
- Handgun ammunition
- Approximately \$ 5,000 in suspected drug sale proceeds

Investigators charged **Keenan Johnson, Noah Johnson-Smith, Mason Johnson-Smith** and a 17 year-old male in the investigation. The 17 year-old male was charged with Criminal Possession of a Weapon 2<sup>nd</sup>, Criminal Possession of a Firearm, both Felonies and Obstructing Governmental Administration 2<sup>nd</sup> and Resisting Arrest (Misdemeanors). The 17 year-old was arraigned in Broome County Family Court.

Noah Johnson-Smith was processed and released with an appearance ticket, to appear in Binghamton City Court at a later date. Keenan Johnson and Mason Johnson-Smith were remanded to the custody of the Broome County Correctional Facility.

\*See below for charges filed in the Investigation.

**Arrestee #1:** Keenan Johnson, 25, of Binghamton, NY

**Charges filed on Keenan Johnson:**

- **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 2<sup>nd</sup>** – (sub 3) – a class C Felony
- **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3<sup>rd</sup>** – (sub 1) – a class D Felony
- **Criminal Possession of Marihuana 3<sup>rd</sup>** – a class E Felony
- **Resisting Arrest** – a class A Misdemeanor
- **Obstructing Governmental Administration 2<sup>nd</sup>** – a class A Misdemeanor

**Arrestee # 2:** Mason Johnson-Smith, 18, Binghamton, NY

**Charges filed on Mason Johnson-Smith:**

- 2 counts - **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 2<sup>nd</sup>** – (sub 3) – a class C Felony
- 2 counts - **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3<sup>rd</sup>** – (sub 1) – a class D Felony
- **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3<sup>rd</sup>** – (sub 3) – a class D Felony
- 2 counts - **Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3<sup>rd</sup>** – (sub 8) – a class D Felony
- **Criminal Possession of Marihuana 2<sup>nd</sup>** – a class D Felony
- **Resisting Arrest** – a class A Misdemeanor
- **Obstructing Governmental Administration 2<sup>nd</sup>** – a class A Misdemeanor

**Arrestee #3:** Noah Johnson-Smith, 19, Binghamton, NY

**Charge filed on Noah Johnson-Smith:**

- **Criminal Possession of Marihuana 3<sup>rd</sup>** – a class E Felony

The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force is comprised of members of the City of Binghamton Police Department, Broome County Sheriff's Office, the Village of Endicott Police Department and the Village of Johnson City Police Department. The Task Force was additionally assisted by the Southern Tier Crime Analysis Center and the Binghamton Police Community Response Team (CRT).