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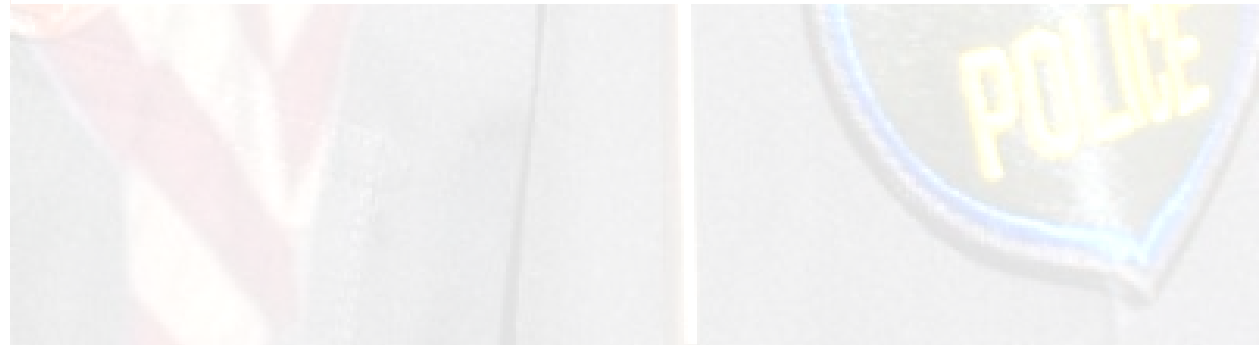
INCIDENT TYPE – ARMED ROBBERY WITH ARREST

HIGH POINT, NC - On October 10, 2017, around 7:47 PM High Point Police officers responded to Domino's Pizza located at 2310 S. Main Street, in reference to an armed robbery. A black male suspect entered the business, armed with a silver and black handgun while demanding money from the employees. The suspect took an undisclosed amount of currency before fleeing the business on foot.

Around 8:14 PM on the same date, High Point Police officers responded to the ABC Store #6 located at 2806 W. English Road, in reference to another armed robbery. The suspect, described in similar clothing and weapon to the suspect from Domino's, entered the business and stole an undisclosed amount of currency from the business. The suspect was last seen fleeing the business out of the back door.

Prior to these two (2) robberies in High Point, Thomasville Police Department had provided information to the High Point Police Department about a robbery suspect(s) and a vehicle that had been committing armed robberies in Thomasville and was suspected in other jurisdictions.

After the robbery of the ABC Store in High Point, Thomasville Police officers observed a white Chevrolet Traverse unoccupied and running in the PVA of a sweepstakes business located at 375 Scenic Way (in Thomasville), when the apparent driver of the vehicle exited the business he was confronted and detained. The driver was identified as JASON DEWAN WILLAMS (B/M, 41) of Thomasville.



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High Point Police officers and detectives responded to this location in Thomasville and Williams was placed under arrest and transported back to the High Point for interviewing and processing. Several items of evidence were seized from the vehicle, including the weapon displayed in the robberies as well as the suspected stolen currency. Williams was charged with two (2) counts of armed robbery in High Point and placed in the HP City jail under \$350,000.00 secured bond.

Evidence gathered by authorities linked Williams to the robberies that occurred in Thomasville, High Point, Davidson County and Kernersville. TPD has charged Williams in connection with the October 6 robbery at China Wok, 900-C W. Cooksey Drive and the October 8 robbery at China City, 1447 National Highway.

The High Point Police Department would like to thank officers from the Thomasville Police Department, their proactive efforts ensured that the person responsible for last nights and possibly other recent violent acts in the City of High Point and the surrounding area was apprehended without incident and held responsible.

Additional Charges from other jurisdictions may be forthcoming.

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