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INCIDENT TYPE – KIDNAPPING / RAPE ARREST

HIGH POINT, NC – During the month of February, High Point Police Officers responded to three (3) separate reports of assaults involving sex offenses in the Southwest area of High Point. Information gathered by patrol officers and the investigating detective helped to identify **Michael Dean Myers (W/M 31)** of High Point as the offender in each of these cases. It was discovered that during these crimes Myers operated a Blue 2009 Toyota Rav 4 Sports Utility vehicle. Myers was arrested by High Point Police on March 25, 2018 and confined to the Guilford County (High Point) Jail under a \$2 million-dollar Bond. Investigators conducted several search warrants for the vehicle, home and person of Myers for items of evidence. During a first appearance hearing on March 29, 2018 Myers bond was raised to \$5 million dollars.



Myers (HPPD Booking Photo)



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Myers was charged with the following offenses related to the listed Case Report Numbers:

February 23, 2018 (2018-08075) – 14-year-old female victim. Myers was charged with the following: 1st Degree Kidnapping, Attempted 1st Degree Forcible Rape, Statutory Sex Offense with a Child Under 15, Assault by Strangulation, and Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon.

February 24, 2018 (2018-08090) – 33-year-old female victim. Myers was charged with the following: 2 counts of 2nd Degree Forcible Sex Offense, 2 counts of 1st Degree Kidnapping and 2 counts of Assault on a Female.

February 25, 2018 (2018-08184) – 31-year-old female victim. Myers was charged with the following: 1st Degree Kidnapping, Attempted 2nd Degree Forcible Sex Offense and Assault on a Female.

March 25, 2018 (2018-12187) – 47-year-old female victim. Myers was charged with the following: 2nd Degree Kidnapping and Assault on a Female.

High Point Police Detectives remain diligent in identifying those persons involved in criminal activity in High Point and holding them and their associates responsible for their actions. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Crimestoppers at 336-889-4000

Case Report Number(s): 2018-08075, 08090, 08184, 12187

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