



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

PRESS RELEASE

October 30th, 2023

Police seize firearms and narcotics in Search Warrants

On Thursday, October 26th 2023, Members of the Metro SWAT Team executed a search warrant at 10 Holland Street Apartment 1 located in the City of Binghamton, assisting the Broome County Special Investigation Unit Task Force. As a result of the search warrant investigators located:

- **A loaded .9mm caliber Stoeger brand handgun**
- **1 High capacity magazine**
- **9 millimeter ammunition**
- **Approximately 175.64 grams (6.2 ounces) of methamphetamine**
- **Approximately 42 grams (1.5 ounces) of cocaine**
- **Approximately 45 grams (1.6 ounces) of fentanyl**
- **\$906 of suspects drug proceeds**
- **Items used for packaging and weighing narcotics**
(All items pictured below)

As a result of the investigation the Joshua J. Milton DOB: 3/14/1996 and Stephanie Nelson DOB: 9/3/1996 were arrested and transported to the Binghamton Police Department to be processed on the following charges:

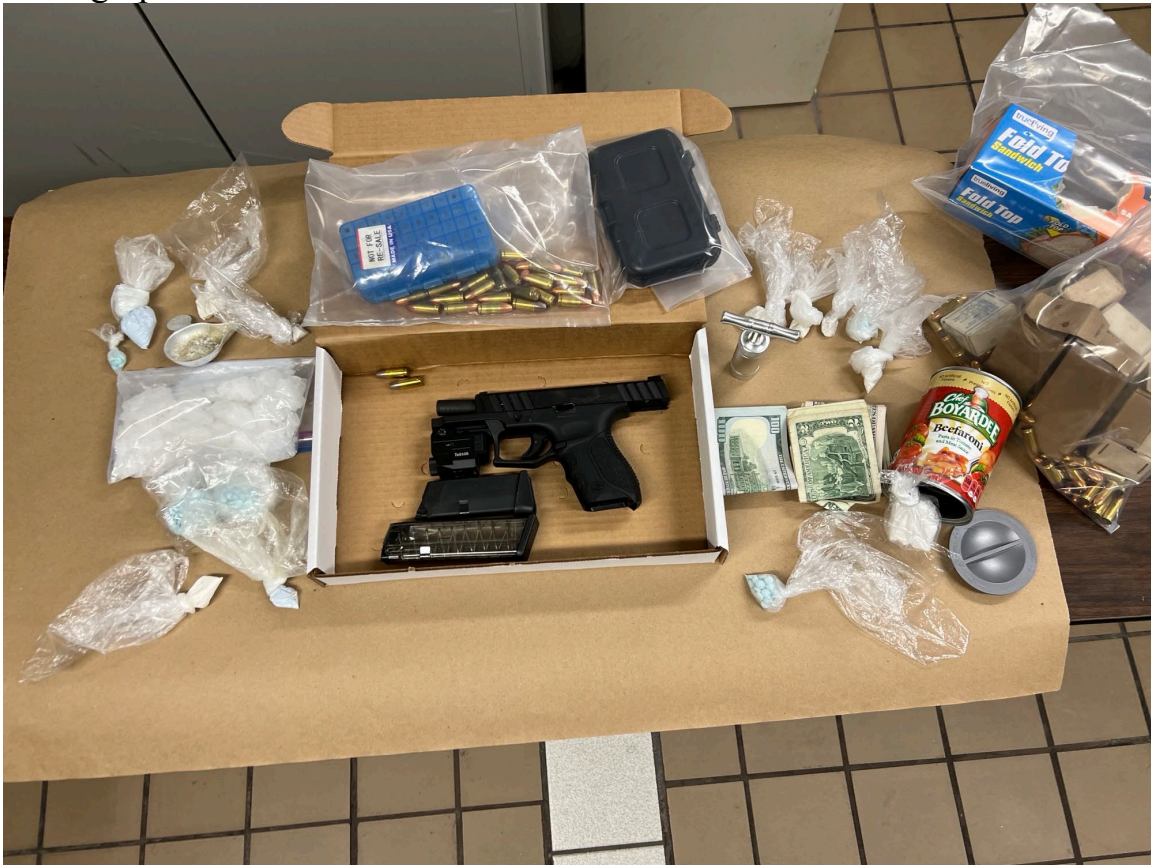
- Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3rd degree (1 count)
- Criminal Possession of a Firearm (1 count)
- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 2nd degree (1 count)
- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree (5 counts)
- Criminal Use of Drug Paraphernalia 2nd degree (2 count)
- Endangering the Welfare of Child (1 count)

In addition to this investigation Joshua J. Milton was wanted for an arrest warrant out of Dutchess County Court for 12 counts of Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree, 14 counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree, and 1 count of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 2nd degree. They have been notified of his arrest.

The Metro SWAT team is comprised of members of the City of Binghamton Police Department, the Village of Johnson City Police Department and the Town of Vestal Police Department.

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.

Photograph of items seized:



On Friday, October 27th 2023, Members of the Broome County Special Investigations Unit Taskforce executed a search warrant at 118 Liberty St located in the City of Binghamton. As a result of the search warrant investigators located:

- Approximately **42 grams (1.5 ounces) of cocaine**
- Approximately **33 grams (1.15 ounces) of fentanyl**
- **\$2,554** of suspects drug proceeds
- 9mm ammunition
- Items used for cutting, packaging and weighing narcotics
(All items pictured below)

As a result of the investigation the John M. Reed DOB: 6/2/1970 and Danielle S. Mensah DOB: 8/19/1977 were arrested and transported to the Binghamton Police Department to be processed on the following charges:

John M. Reed charges:

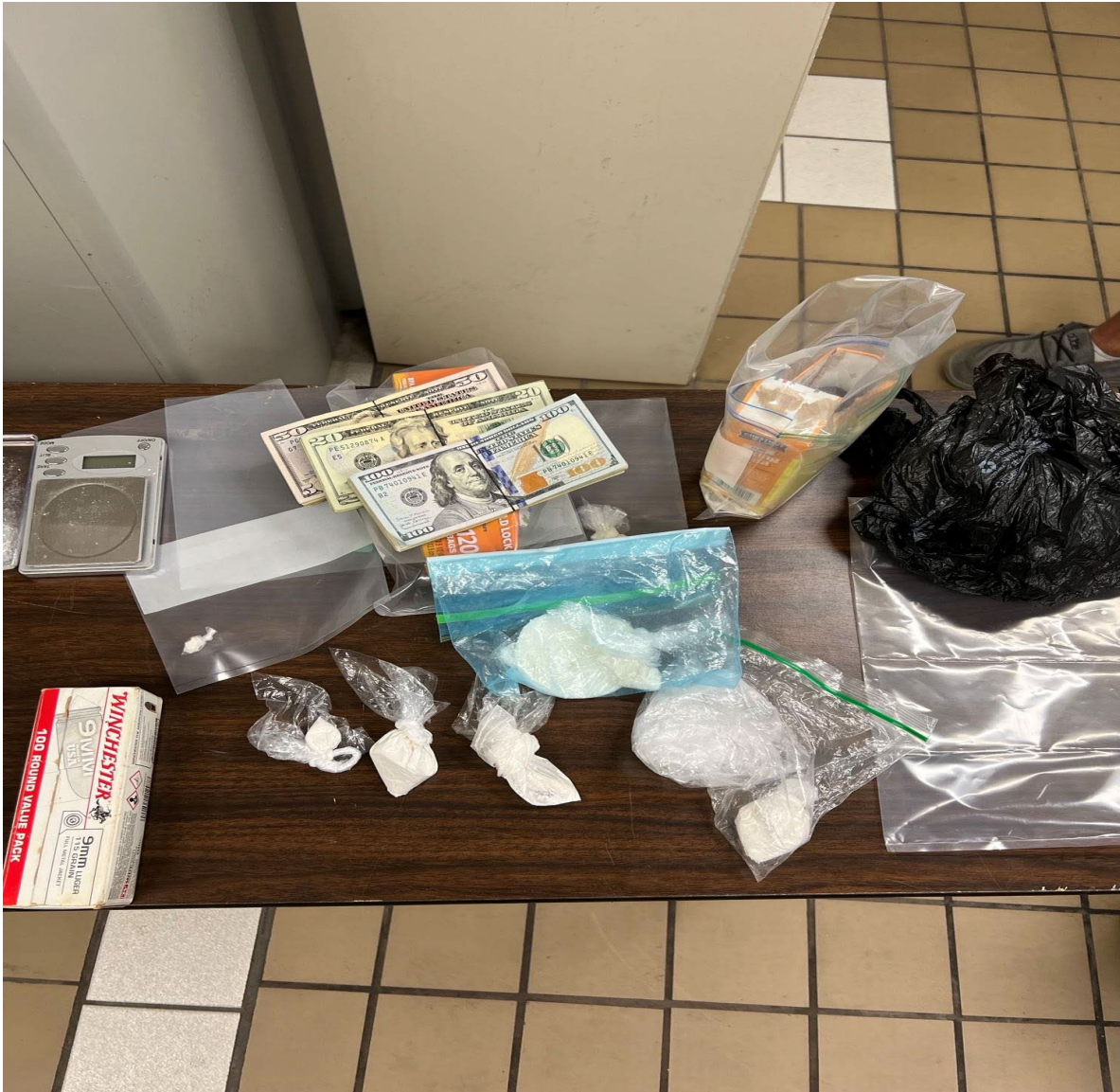
- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree (5 counts)
- Criminal Use of Drug Paraphernalia 2nd degree (3 count)
- Obstruction of Governmental 2nd degree (1 count)

Danielle S. Mensah charges:

- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree (4 counts)
- Criminal Use of Drug Paraphernalia 2nd degree (3 count)

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Photograph of items seized:



On Monday, October 30th 2023, Members of the Metro SWAT Team executed a search warrant at 14 Isbell Street Apartment 5-16 located in the City of Binghamton, assisting the U.S Marshal's Binghamton Division of the New York/New Jersey Regional Fugitive Task Force (NY/NJ RFTF) in the apprehension of a wanted individual and the Broome County Special Investigation Unit Task Force with a search warrant of the location. As a result of the search warrant investigators located:

- **A loaded 10mm caliber Glock brand automatic handgun**
- **A loaded 9mm caliber Glock brand handgun**
- **3 High capacity magazine**
- **9 millimeter, 10 millimeter and .45 caliber ammunition**

- 1 soft body armor
(Items pictured below)

As a result of the investigation the Tasheem L. Scott DOB: 9/11/2004 and a juvenile 17 year old female were arrested and transported to the Binghamton Police Department to be processed on the following charges:

Tasheem L. Scott charges:

- Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3rd degree (4 counts)
- Criminal Possession of a Firearm (2 counts)
- Unlawful purchase of body armor (1 count)

17 year old female charges:

- Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3rd degree (3 counts)
- Criminal Possession of a Firearm (1 count)
- Unlawful purchase of body armor (1 count)

In addition to this investigation Tasheem L. Scott was wanted by the Broome County Sheriff's Office for a probation violation.

It should be noted the 10mm handgun was equipped with a modification to make it a fully automatic firearm.

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The NY/NJ RFTF-Binghamton Division is composed of several different agencies including, the Binghamton Police, U.S. Marshals Service, New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision, New York State Police, and the Broome County Sheriff's Office.

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The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Taskforce was assisted by the Southern Tier Crime Analysis Center on this investigation.

Photograph of items located:



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