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**County Narcotics Task Force Seizes Guns, Arrests Two Individuals**

**TRENTON** -- Mercer County Prosecutor Joseph L. Bocchini Jr. announced that a week-long investigation led by his Special Investigations Unit (SIU), under the command of Lt. Mike Novembre, concluded Tuesday with two arrests and the seizure of two guns.

Just after 5:30 a.m. Tuesday, SIU officers, the New Jersey State Police, the Mercer County Sheriff's Office and the Ewing, Hamilton, Lawrence and Trenton police departments executed search warrants at 511 Genesee Street in Trenton. Dorian Fleming and Eric Hicks were located inside of the residence and taken into custody without incident.

A search of the residence revealed a sawed-off shotgun, shotgun shells and 20 bags of marijuana in the basement. A .380 caliber semi-automatic handgun and a large capacity magazine were located in the refrigerator. Several holsters and bullets were found in various areas throughout the residence, and a rifle scope was seized from the living room.

Fleming, 26, of 511 Genesee Street, was charged with certain persons not to possess a firearm and possession of a high-capacity magazine. He is being held at the Mercer County Correction Center in lieu of \$150,000 bail.

Hicks, 29, of Philadelphia, was charged with possession of marijuana, possession of marijuana with the intent to distribute, possession with the intent to distribute within 1,000 feet of a school, possession of a prohibited weapon and possession of a firearm while committing a narcotics offense. He is being held at the Mercer County Correction Center in lieu of \$50,000 bail.

Despite having been charged, every defendant is presumed innocent until found guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law.

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