



MEDIA RELEASE - February 27, 2020

Acting Hunterdon County Prosecutor Michael J. Williams, Acting Chief of Detectives Frank R. Crisologo, and Clinton Township Police Department Officer in Charge Lieutenant Thomas A. DeRosa announce the arrest of one individual for driving while intoxicated and narcotics violations.

On Tuesday, February 18, 2020, at approximately 3:19 am, Clinton Township Patrol Officer Shane Carle was on patrol when he was dispatched to an erratic driver complaint. Patrol Officer Carle observed the suspect vehicle traveling southbound on Route 31 near Echo Lane. Officer Carle observed multiple motor vehicle violations and stopped the vehicle. Upon approaching the vehicle, officer Carle observed that the driver, Jakob Hoskin, age 21, of Bangor, PA, appeared to be under the influence of an intoxicating substance. Upon completion of a roadside investigation, Mr. Hoskin was placed under arrest for driving while intoxicated, 3rd degree Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Marijuana, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Mr. Hoskins was transported to the Hunterdon County Jail and later released pending his first court appearance.

The filing of a criminal complaint is merely a step in the criminal justice process. The defendant is presumed innocent until the matter is resolved in a court of law.

Anonymous tips can be submitted by calling Crime Stoppers at 1-800-321-0010, going online at www.CrimeStoppersHunterdon.com, or through the free "P3 Tips" smartphone app. All tips are anonymous and kept confidential.