



Wyckoff Police Department PRESS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release:

Wyckoff Police Chief David Murphy announced today that arrest warrants have been filed charging Kevin J. Urena, age; 26 of Bronx, NY and Howard V. Ayllon, age; 30 of Elizabeth, NJ. The charges originate from an incident which occurred on September 2, 2018 on Route 208 Northbound. The investigation was conducted by Det. Sgt. Kevin Kasak and Det. Sgt. Michael Ragucci of the Wyckoff Police Department under the direction of Chief Murphy. The Wyckoff Detectives were assisted by members of the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office Special Investigations Squad, under the direction of Acting Prosecutor Dennis Calo. Assistance was also provided by the Yonkers NY Police Department, the NYPD, the New Jersey State Police, and the DEA.

On Sunday September 2, 2018, the Wyckoff Police Department received a report from a motorist that he had been the victim of a robbery. The motorist advised that he left a casino in New York at approximately 5:30 AM. While driving home, his vehicle was struck from behind by another vehicle in the area of Route 208 North at Cedar Hill Avenue. When the motorist exited his vehicle, he was approached by two male occupants from the other vehicle. One of the men identified himself as a law enforcement officer and instructed him to place his hands on the trunk of his vehicle. They then held him while they removed cash from his pocket, along with his iPhone. The males quickly re-entered their vehicle and left the area. An investigation was initiated by detectives from the Wyckoff Police Department, who discovered that the victim was followed by the suspects while he was in the casino, and also while driving home. With assistance from the Bergen County Prosecutor's Special Investigations Squad, the Yonkers NY Police Department, the NYPD, the New Jersey State Police, and the DEA, the suspects were identified, located, and arrested.

Both suspects are currently lodged in New York City and are awaiting extradition to New Jersey.

Chief Murphy states that these charges are merely accusations and that the defendants are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt and would like to thank the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office, Yonkers NY Police Department, the NYPD, the NJ State Police, and the DEA for their assistance in this investigation.

Wyckoff Police Department Charge Information Form

Defendant: Kevin J. Urena

Age: 26

Last Known Address: 1930 Grand Concourse, Bronx NY 10457

Marital status: Single

Occupation: Unemployed

ARREST INFORMATION

Date of arrest: 10/29/2018 at 6:30 AM

Place of arrest: Bronx, NY

Agencies effecting arrest: Wyckoff Police Department, Bergen County Prosecutor's Office, NYPD, DEA.

CHARGES AND STATUTE CITATIONS

One count of Robbery, in violation of N.J.S.A 2C:15-1A(1), a second degree crime.

One count of Theft, in violation of 2C:20-3A, a third degree crime.

One count of Impersonating a Law Enforcement Officer, 2C:28-8b, a fourth degree crime.

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Defendant: Howard V. Ayllonn

Age: 30

Last Known Address: 24 South 5th Street, Elizabeth NJ 07206

Marital status: Single

Occupation: Unemployed

ARREST INFORMATION

Date of arrest: 10/29/2018 at 7:00 AM

Place of arrest: Bronx, NY

Agencies effecting arrest: Wyckoff Police Department, Bergen County Prosecutor's Office, NYPD, DEA.

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