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Type of Incident: Weapons and CDS Distribution Location: Wildwood Crest Date: December 14, 2021 Time: 5:31pm

Person(s) Involved: Seaver Sittineri Age: 28 Address: Lindenwold, NJ

Charges: Unlawful possession of a Weapon (x2) 4th Degree, Distribution of Marijuana 3rd Degree, Drug Paraphernalia DP

Officer(s) Involved: Sgt. Michael Hebert, Cpl. Grant Hofferica, P/O Shane Moyer

Summary: On Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at approximately 5:31pm, officers from the Wildwood Crest Police Department responded to the 5400 block of Seaview Avenue for a report of someone knocking on a home owner's door in an attempt to sell marijuana. P/O Moyer observed a vehicle driven by a subject matching the description, later identified as Seaver Sittineri, and conducted a motor vehicle stop of that vehicle.

During the motor vehicle stop, it was revealed that Mr. Sittineri was in possession of weapons (a machete and a tomahawk axe). A large quantity of suspected marijuana was also found, along with CDS paraphernalia.

Mr. Sittineri was placed under arrest and charged with unlawful possession of weapons, distribution of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. Additionally, Mr. Sittineri was charged with multiple traffic violations and later released on a summons with a future court date.

We would like to remind the public that although simple possession of marijuana has been decriminalized, distribution of any amount of marijuana still remains a criminal violation. Only State regulated cannabis may be possessed and can only be purchased from State licensed regulated cannabis distribution facility.

It should be noted that all person(s) arrested are innocent until proven guilty.