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**EASTON POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
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# **PRESS RELEASE**

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- **Arrest Warrant Service:** An arrest warrant was served on 49 year old Larry Darnell Johnson of Hurlock, MD in reference to an incident that occurred on July 15, 2015. According to the charging documents, Easton Police responded to Target of Easton in reference to a theft in progress. Upon arrival, officers located and met with Johnson. At the time of the incident, Johnson gave officers a false name. Further investigation revealed his true identity at which time charges were filed under his correct name of Larry Darnell Johnson. Johnson was charged with theft under \$1000.00, malicious destruction of property under \$1000.00 and Personal identification fraud. Johnson's disposition after meeting with a court commissioner was not known at the time of this press release.
- **Multiple Arrest warrants and Criminal Summons service:** On August 24, 2015, Easton Police took custody of 38 year old Joshua Andrew Robbins of Frederica, DE. Robbins was found to have 2 outstanding criminal summonses and 2 outstanding arrest warrants.
  1. **Arrest Warrant:** According to charging documents, Robbins stole merchandise from Giant food stores of Easton on July 29, 2015. On this warrant, Robbins was charged with theft under \$1000.00. Robbins was taken before a District court commissioner and held on \$3500.00 bond.
  2. **Arrest Warrant:** According to charging documents, Robbins Stole merchandise from Walmart of Easton on August 08, 2015. On this warrant, Robbins was charged with theft between \$1000.00 and 10,000.00 and Trespassing on private property. Robbins was taken before a District court commissioner and held on \$3500.00 bond.
  3. **Criminal Summons Service:** According to charging documents, Robbins stole merchandise from Giant foods of Easton on August 03, 2015. Robbins was charged with theft under \$100.00 and released upon his signature of the criminal summons.
  4. **Criminal Summons Service:** According to charging documents, Robbins stole merchandise from Walmart of Easton on July 29, 2015. Robbins is charged with theft under \$1000.00 and Trespassing on private property. Robbins was released upon his signature of the charging documents.

- **Possession of a handgun / Possession of Marihuana under 10 Grams:** On August 25, 2015, Easton police conducted a traffic stop in the area of Dover St. and East Ave in reference to a sound amplification system that could be heard beyond 50 Feet. Upon further investigation into the traffic stop, it was learned that the operator of the vehicle, identified as 27 year old George Dwight Butler Jr. of Preston, MD was in possession of under 10 Grams of Marihuana. A further search of the vehicle located a loaded .380 handgun. Butler is also the respondent of an active protective order which prohibits him from possessing a handgun. Butler was placed under arrest and charged with Concealing a dangerous weapon, transporting a handgun in a vehicle, transporting a handgun on their person and violation of an Exparte / protective order. For the listed criminal charges, Butler was transported before a District court commissioner where he was ordered held at the Talbot county detention center on \$3000.00 bond. Butler was also issued a civil citation for possession of Marihuana under 10 Grams.
- **Possession of Marijuana under 10 Grams:** On August 25, 2015, Easton Police conducted a traffic stop in the area of Dover Rd. and Aurura St. for the vehicle having tinted windows. Upon further investigation into the traffic stop, officers learned that the passenger of the vehicle, 22 year old Jarritt Ulysses Sybert of Georgetown , DE was in possession of marihuana under 10 Grams. Sybert was issued a Maryland civil citation for possession of marihuana under 10 grams and was released upon his signature of the documents.

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