

Mendocino County Sheriff's Office

Press Release

(Title of Crime/Incident) **11359 H&S-possession of marijuana for sale, 11360(A)H&S-transportation of marijuana, 1203.2 PC- violation of probation**

Report Number: 2015-31097

Coroner Number:

Crime/Incident: 11359 H&S-possession of marijuana for sale, 11360(A)H&S- transportation of marijuana, 1203.2 PC- violation of probation

Location: MPM 12 Sherwood Road Laytonville, CA

When: Date: 12-07-2015 **Time:** 8:08 PM

Victim Info :

Name	Age	Street Address	City, State
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Suspect Info:

Name	Age	Street Address	City, State
Suspect #1: Timothy James Bennett	27		Laytonville, CA

Written by: Sergeant Mike Davis

Synopsis:

On 12-07-2015 at approximately 8:00 PM, a California Department of Fish and Wildlife Warden observed a pickup truck in the area of MPM 12 on Sherwood Road in Willits, California.

The vehicle was parked sideways in the roadway, completely blocking it. The Warden contacted the driver, Timothy James Bennett.

As the Warden spoke to Bennett, the Warden detected the odor of marijuana coming from inside the truck. A subsequent search of the truck resulted in the discovery of a duffle bag containing approximately seven pounds of bud marijuana.

The Warden called for a Mendocino County Sheriff's Deputy to assist further.

A Deputy Sheriff arrived a few minutes later and assumed responsibility of the investigation.

Bennett was determined to be on felony probation for an unrelated offense and possession of marijuana was a violation his probationary terms.

Bennett was arrested for possession of marijuana for sale, transportation of marijuana and violation of probation.

Bennett was booked into the Mendocino County Jail where he was to be held without bail.

A female passenger was released without charges.

Approved By: Captain Greg Van Patten

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