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CHARGED:

Duane Yancey DOB: 03/14/1984 3119 Derry St. Harrisburg, PA 17111 Darryn D. Corbett DOB: 11/16/1975 3119 Derry St. Harrisburg, PA 17111

On Wednesday, November 1, 2023, at approximately 1817 hours, Officers were dispatched to 9 Union Square (Free Bridge Wine & Spirits) for an armed robbery with shots fired. Investigation revealed that the alleged gunman (Yancey) entered the store and fired a shot into the ceiling. Yancey then ordered the clerk and customers onto the ground while pointing the gun at them. There were six customers in the store at the time. The gunman took cash from the register as well as additional cash and two cell phones from the customers before exiting the store and entering an awaiting vehicle. The vehicle fled to Pennsylvania. The vehicle was identified through surveillance video. The Swatara (PA) police located the vehicle at the home of the registered owner (Corbett). Several pieces of evidence were recovered. Yancey and Corbett were charged accordingly.

As a result, Yancey and Corbett were charged with the following offenses. The defendants were charged with unrelated charges in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and remain in custody in Pennsylvania at this time.

YANCEY	CORBETT
Armed Robbery – 7 Counts	Armed Robbery – 1 Count
First Degree, 2C:15-1(a)(2)	First Degree, 2C:15-1(a)(2)
Conspiracy to Commit Armed Robbery	Conspiracy to Commit Armed Robbery
Second Degree, 2C:5-2/2C:15-1(a)(2)	Second Degree, 2C:5-2/2C:15-1(a)(2)
Aggravated Assault (Pointing a Firearm) – 7 counts Fourth Degree, 2C:12-1(b)(4)	
Possession of a Weapon for Unlawful Purpose Second Degree, 2C:39-4(a)	
Unlawful Possession of a Handgun	
Second Degree, 2C:39-5	

First Degree charges carry a maximum potential sentence of 20 years in New Jersey State Prison. Second Degree charges carry a maximum potential sentence of 10 years in New Jersey State Prison. Third Degree crimes carry a maximum potential sentence of 5 years in New Jersey State Prison. Fourth degree crimes carry a maximum potential sentence of 18 months New Jersey State Prison.

The Prosecutor thanks Swatara Police and the Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission for their invaluable assistance during this investigation. The investigation was conducted jointly by the Warren County Prosecutor's Office and the Phillipsburg Police Department.

Please be advised that the charges are merely accusations and that the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial beyond a reasonable doubt.

Approved by:

Date: November 6, 2023

JAMES L. PFEHFER

Warren County Prosecutor