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DRUGS AND FIREARM SEIZED IN TRAFFIC STOP

PITTSBURGH – **As part of the PIRC Initiative**, on October 17, 2012 at 2:27PM, Zone 1 Officers were patrolling the Homewood Area and observed a silver 2005 Nissan Altima bearing PA registration with 3 male occupants traveling at a high rate of speed down Lemington Ave and failed to stop at a stop sign. Officers conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of E. Lemington and Brushton Avenues. Officers observed the passenger bending down as if he were trying to hide something at his feet. Officers approached the vehicle and spoke to the driver advising him of his violation. Officers inquired if there were any drugs and/or firearms in the vehicle. Officers smelled a very strong odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle while speaking to the driver.

Due to the passenger's movements and the strong smell of marijuana, Officers ordered the passengers to exit the vehicle. Upon patting down the individuals a firearm was found on one of the males. Officers arrested the individual with the firearm identified as **KYLE WILSON JR., 18yo** from Pittsburgh, 15221 without incident. Wilson told Officers that the vehicle belonged to him.

With search incident to arrest Officers also found 16 stamped bags of Heroin in Wilson's left sock and in the vehicle, \$1100 was recovered from a dashboard compartment, a cell phone and two counterfeit \$20 bills from the center console. The other two remaining individuals were released from the scene and **KYLE WILSON JR.**, was transported to the ACJ and charged with **Former Convict not to own a Firearm, Firearms Not to be Carried Without a License, Possession of a Controlled Substance, Possession to Intent to Deliver Controlled Substance, Receiving Stolen Property and Forgery.**

The vehicle was towed by McGann & Chester. The firearm, a stainless steel .45 caliber pistol with magazine and rounds, was run and came back stolen from Kittanning, PA on June 27, 2012. The driver of the vehicle will receive multiple citations in the mail.

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KYLE WILSON JR.

