

MISSISSIPPI COUNTY SHERIFFS OFFICE

Incident Report

Case Number: 2017-0339

INCIDENT # : 2017-0339

Report Date: 04/17/2017

Address: JOINER, HWY 61

Report Time: 21:50- hours

City, State, Zip: JOINER, AR. 72350-

Date Occured From: 04/17/2017 - 20:56

Zone: O-2

Date Occured Thru: 04/17/2017 - 21:22

Reporting Officer: 593 - ELLIS, CHRISTOPHER

Reportable: Yes

Assigned Officer:

Assigned Date:

Exceptional Clearance:

INCIDENT OFFENSE(S)

U.C.R.: 35A -POSS/DEL OF CONT SUBS=FELONY

VICTIM(S)

Victim: STATE OF ARKANSAS

Address: 685 NCR 599

City, State, Zip: LUXORA, AR. 72358-

Race: Sex: Height: Weight:

Hair: Eyes: Hispanic: Unk

Home Phone: Work Phone:

Cell Phone: SSN:

Employer: Occupation:

Email: DL#: D.O.B. : 0

SUSPECT(S) / ARRESTEE(S) / MISSING PERSON(S)

ARRESTEE: LETSON, EMMETT KELSIE

Arrest Date: 04/17/2017 Time: 20:56 Hours UCR 35A

Home Address: [REDACTED]

Arrested By: 593 - ELLIS, CHRISTOPHER

City, State, Zip: JOINER, AR. 72350- Apt:

Arrested At: 150 S. U.S. HWY 61

Home Phone: Cell Phone:

Armed With: UNARMED

Occupation: Warrants Signed:

Employer: UNEMPLOYEED Work Phone:

D.O.B. : (62) S.S.N. : xxx-xx-xxxx DL#:

Race: W Sex: M Height: 510 Weight: 150 Hair: GRY Eyes: GRN Hispanic: No

CHARGE	Court	Court Date	TIME	DOCKET	BOND	TERMS	CHARGE DESCRIPTION
5-64-401-A					.00		POSS/DEL OF CONT SUBS=FELONY
5-64-403					.00		DRUG PARAPHERNALIA, POSSESSION OF

COMPLAINANT(S)

Name: ELLIS, CHRIS

Address: 685 NCR 599 /

Race: W Sex: M Height: Weight:

City, State, Zip: LUXORA, AR. 72358-

Hair: Eyes: Hispanic: Unk

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NARRATIVE

On Monday, April 17, 2017 at approximately 8:46 PM I, Cpl. Ellis, was traveling south on Highway 61 through AR when I observed a black Chevy pickup truck pull out of the Winford's Grocery parking lot. The vehicle pulled into the wrong lane of traffic and continued in the wrong lane of traffic for several hundred feet. I then caught up with the vehicle, Arkansas [REDACTED], on Highway 61 in Joiner, AR. I exited my vehicle and made contact the driver, identified as Emmett Letson. I informed Mr. Letson for the reason he was stopped and asked for his driver's license. While he was getting his driver's license, I noticed his hands were visibly shaking, he lacked eye contact with me and he was taking very short and shallow but rapid breaths. I then asked if he was currently on probation or parole and he confirmed he was on probation for a drug charge. This information was verified by dispatch and I was also informed Mr. Letson had a search waiver on file. I then asked Mr. Letson to exit the vehicle so I could perform a search. Nothing was located inside the vehicle. After searching the vehicle, I asked Mr. Letson if he had anything illegal at his residence and he hesitated and then answered "no". Mr. Letson refused

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to look at me when I asked him about contraband at his residence. Mr. Letson did advise he lived on Highway 61 Shawnee school and he had lived there for about 2 years. I then advised Mr. Letson I was going to conduct a probation search of his residence. Mr. Letson drove his vehicle to his residence and I followed him to 150 South U.S. Highway 61 in Joiner, AR. I informed dispatch of this location and I exit my vehicle. I escorted Mr. Letson to the front door of the residence and Mr. Letson was unable to find his keys. Mr. Letson walked back to his truck and located his keys and then came back to the door. He advised he was sorry but he was nervous. When we the residence, Mr. Letson sat on the couch in the living room. I again asked if there was anything illegal in the residence and he advised the only thing was a xanax bottle. While sitting on the couch, I noticed Mr. Letson's hand continued to tremble and his breathing was the same. Mr. Letson appeared extremely nervous when I entered the house. I then escorted Mr. Letson into his bedroom and I began the search. I located several loose pieces of suspected methamphetamine on the top of his dresser and several more loose pieces in the top dresser drawer. At this time, I placed Mr. Letson into custody. I continued to search the room and I located a used glass meth pipe under Mr. Letson's pillow on his bed. I then informed Mr. Letson if he had any more narcotics to tell me where they were. Mr. Letson then got off the bed and knocked one of his shoes over and stated, "it's in there." I recovered a prescription pill bottle and inside the bottle was a bag of suspected methamphetamine and several loose pieces. Also in the shoe was a broken glass pipe. The above evidence was collected and the residence was then secured. The suspected methamphetamine was field tested and showed a positive result for methamphetamine. Mr. Letson was transported to the Mississippi County Sheriff's Department and charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance (Meth) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. The bag of methamphetamine and the loose pieces were weighed and had an approximate weight of 1.0 grams.

Nothing further at this time.

PROPERTY INVOLVED

Item #: SEIZED- PILL BOTTLE CONTAINING APPX. 0.8 GRAMS OF METH
Qty: 1. Value: \$1.00 Weight: .8 Measurement: GM
Recovered Date: 04/17/2017 / Value: 1.00
Item Related To: STATE OF ARKANSAS,

Item #: SEIZED- SEVERAL LOOSE PIECES OF METHAMPHETAMINE
Qty: 1. Value: \$1.00 Weight: .2 Measurement: GM
Recovered Date: 04/17/2017 / Value: 1.00
Item Related To: STATE OF ARKANSAS,

Item #: SEIZED- 2 METH PIPES (1 BROKEN)
Qty: 1. Value: \$1.00
Item Related To: STATE OF ARKANSAS,

CASE MANAGEMENT INFO

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Report Date: 04/17/2017

Approving Officer:

Approving Date:

Assigned Officer:

Assigned Date:

Clearing Officer: 121 - ROUNSAVALL, ROBB

Clearing Date: 04/18/2017

Officer Signature: Date: Supervisor:

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