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**PRESS RELEASE**

**CHARGED:**                    **William Wydner**  
                                      **619 Jackson Valley Road**  
                                      **Oxford, New Jersey 07863**  
                                      **DOB: February 2, 1991**

On July 14, 2017, the Hackettstown, Mansfield, and Washington Township Police Departments, the New Jersey State Police, the Warren County Prosecutor's Office Narcotics Unit and the Warren County Tactical Response Team executed a narcotics search warrant in Mansfield, New Jersey. As a result of the search warrant, approximately 17 pounds of marijuana and 130 grams of hash oil were seized. The following person was charged as a result of the investigation:

William Wydner is charged with:

1. One (1) count of Possession with the intent to distribute more than five pounds of marijuana, a second degree offense, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-5b(10)(B), and
2. One (1) count of Possession with the intent to distribute more than five grams of hashish, a third degree offense, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-5b(11), and
3. One (1) count of Possession of more than 50 grams of marijuana, a fourth degree offense, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-10a(3), and
4. One (1) count of Possession more than five grams of hashish, a fourth degree offense, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-10a(3).

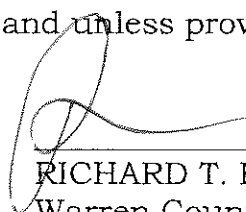
The charges were the result of a six month investigation conducted by the Hackettstown, Mansfield, and Washington Township Police Departments, the New Jersey State Police, and the Warren County Prosecutor's Office Narcotics Unit into the distribution of marijuana within the area of Mansfield Township.

The second degree offense carries a maximum term of imprisonment of ten years and/or a \$150,000 fine. The third degree offense carries a maximum term of imprisonment of five years and/or a fine of \$75,000 for possession and \$75,000 for possession with the intent to distribute a controlled dangerous substance. Each fourth degree offense carries a maximum term of imprisonment of 18 months and/or a fine of \$15,000.

The following agencies participated in the execution of search warrants and arrests: Warren County Prosecutor's Office, Washington Township Police Department, Mansfield Township Police Department, Hackettstown Police Department, Phillipsburg Police Department, Warren County Sheriff's Department, and the New Jersey State Police.

The accused is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

Approved by:



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RICHARD T. BURKE  
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Dated: July 17, 2017