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PRESS RELEASE

**CHARGED & ARRESTED: KAJAUN D. MANLEY
PORT MURRAY, NEW JERSEY
AGE: 34**

On Friday, May 24, 2024, at approximately 10:15 P.M., members of the Mansfield Township Police Department responded to the area of Gulick Street after receiving a report of gunfire. Upon patrols arrival, officers were informed that no one had been shot but that Kajaun D. Manley had discharged a firearm into the ground approximately 9 times in an effort to break up an altercation nearby.

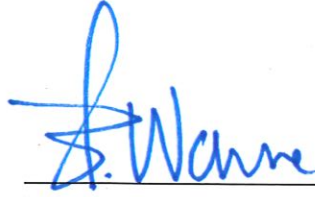
As a result of the investigation, Kajaun D. Manley was charged with the following offense:

- 1) Possession of a Firearm for an Unlawful Purpose, specifically a Smith and Wesson M&P 15, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:39-4a(1), a crime of the second degree.

Second degree crimes carry a maximum sentence of 10 years in the New Jersey State Prison.

The charges are merely accusations. The defendant is presumed innocent **until and unless** proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law.

The Mansfield Township Police Department was assisted on scene by the Washington Township Police Department (Warren County) and the New Jersey State Police.



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