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Seat Belt Violation Yields Multiple Guns and Arrests

On June 15, 2020, LCSO deputies witnessed a white Nissan exit a business in the 3200 block of North Monroe Street. Deputies observed the front passenger of the vehicle, 30-year-old Calvin Thompson, not wearing his seat belt. A traffic stop was conducted, and deputies made contact with Thompson and the driver of the vehicle, 30-year-old Nadeonte Howard.

During the traffic stop, consent was given to search the vehicle. Upon searching the vehicle, deputies located a loaded .40 caliber magazine underneath the driver's side floor mat and a loaded Glock .40 caliber handgun containing a .40 caliber extended magazine in the rear left floorboard. Alongside the Glock handgun was another .40 caliber magazine. Deputies also found a fanny pack containing a .380 Diamond Back handgun with an altered serial number, one loose .380 round, and a loaded .380 magazine. Further investigation yielded another bag containing numerous plastic baggies, two packages of multiple dime size baggies, and a tied plastic baggie containing a green leafy substance.

Thompson admitted to owning the fanny pack and the items inside, specifically the .380 Diamond Back handgun.

Both subjects were confirmed to be convicted felons.

Thompson and Howard were arrested and transported to the Leon County Detention Facility.



ARRESTED: Calvin Thompson Jr. DOB: 5/15/1990 CHARGES: Alter Identification on Weapon Poss. of Narcotic Equipment Poss. of Weapon or Ammo by Felon (2 counts)



ARRESTED: Nadeonte Howard DOB: 5/13/1990 CHARGES: Poss. of Narcotic Equipment Poss. of Weapon or Ammo by Felon (2 counts)



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