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NEWS RELEASE

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Felon Charged with Series of Indian Trail Car Break Ins

Union County Sheriff's Deputies have identified a suspect in a series of motor vehicle break ins that happened in the Sandalwood subdivision near the end of August. Deputies arrested 28 year old **Adam Joseph Lebreton** of the 2600 block of Bobwhite Circle in Wingate last month and charged him with the following crimes:

(7) counts - Breaking and Entering of a Motor Vehicle

(4) counts - Misdemeanor Larceny

(2) counts - Possession of Firearm by Felon

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Deputies determined that most, if not all of the vehicles that Lebreton allegedly stole from were left unlocked. Items stolen include a Saiga 12 gauge shotgun and at least two handguns. Detectives later recovered the shotgun and one of the stolen handguns.

Lebreton is no stranger to law enforcement and was released from the North Carolina Division of Prisons in July 2017 after serving a sentence for a Burglary Conviction. In addition, he has previously been convicted of breaking into motor vehicles.



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Point of contact for this press release is Chief Communications Officer Tony Underwood, 704-292-2707.

Citizens with information concerning criminal activity are encouraged to call:

Union County Sheriff's Office at 704-283-3789

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Union County Crimestoppers at 704-283-5600

