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**News Release**

**CASE # 2019 - 408                      DATE: January 12, 2019                      TIME: 8:12 PM**

**TYPE OF INCIDENT: Assault**

**LOCATION/ADDRESS:              Breakneck Road/Hopewell Road**

**NAME OF BUSINESS:              N/A**

**PROPERTY TAKEN/DAMAGES:                      SJ Gas marker pole and guard rail along Breakneck Road**

**DEFENDANT/DRIVERS NAME, AGE, ADDRESS: Defendant: Corey L. McClaine, age 31, Kohler Avenue, Deptford, NJ 08096**

**CHARGES/SUMMONS:              Unlawful possession of a weapon 2C:39-5B, Possession of a weapon by a certain person 2C:39-7B, Aggravated Assault 2C:12-1B(1), Aggravated assault 2C:12-1B(12), Simple assault 2C:12-1A(1), Terroristic threats 2C:12-3B, 2 counts of Criminal Mischief 2C:17-3A(1), Distribution of CDS 2C: 35-5b(11), Possession of marijuana greater than 50 grams 2c:35-10a(3), Driving while suspended 39:3-40, Unlicensed driver 39:3-10, Reckless driving 39:4-, Failure to maintain lane 39:, and Possession of CDS in a motor vehicle 39:4-49.1.**

**AMOUNT OF BAIL:    0                      SET BY:**  
    10% AUTHORIZED                          R.O.R.

**SUSPECTS/INJURED:              NAME, AGE, ADDRESS:    N/A**

**TYPE OF INJURY:    None**  
**WHERE HOSPITALIZED:    None**

**SQUAD TRANSPORTING:    None**

**INVESTIGATING/ARRESTING OFFICER:    Ptl. K. Kiernan #25103**

**NARRATIVE:    On January 12, 2019 at 8:12 PM, the Medford Township Police, Fire, EMS and Evesham EMS responded to a motor vehicle accident in the area of Hopewell Road and Breakneck Road. Upon**



*arrival, patrols observed a Nissan Altima disabled, that had crashed into the guard rail off the side of Breakneck Road. The driver was identified as Corey L. McClaine who maintained a suspended driver's license and there was a female rear seat passenger. Investigation revealed that McClaine had gotten into an argument with this female while driving and assaulted her. He began to intentionally drive recklessly, swerving in the roadway, ultimately running off the roadway into the guard rail on Breakneck Road near Hopewell Road. Investigation also revealed that after the crash, McClaine threw a .38 caliber handgun into the ravine on the opposite side of the guard rail when he knew police were coming. The firearm was later recovered by police. A consent search of the vehicle revealed 653 grams of edible products containing suspected marijuana and CDS paraphernalia. McClaine was charged with Unlawful possession of a weapon, Aggravated Assault, Terroristic threats 2C:12-3B, Distribution of CDS 2C: 35-5 and additional charges. He was issued summonses for Driving while suspended, Unlicensed driver, Reckless driving, Failure to maintain lane and Possession of CDS in a motor vehicle. McClaine was lodged at the Burlington County Jail on charges pending court.*

**REQUEST A HOLD – STATE PURPOSE/REASON:**

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**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_