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Press Release

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A male and Female face several charges after suspicious vehicle found on Church Street

On October 28^h at approximately 11:15 p.m., Amherst Police officers were conducting patrols on Church Street when they observed a suspicious vehicle located in the parking lot of a Church Street business. The officers felt that it was odd that the vehicle was parked there as the business was closed for the day. The vehicle was also noted to be in disrepair and there was plastic sheeting covering the passenger side window.

The officers discovered that the license plate attached to the vehicle was stolen. Officers also observed several license plates inside the vehicle. A male and female approached the officers as they were investigating and stated that the vehicle was theirs. The two subjects were arrested and searched and found to be in possession of stolen mail from the Amherst area. The two subjects were also in possession of break in tools. The 26-year-old female and the 31-year-old male, both from Moncton, have been charged with possession of break in tools, possession of stolen property and several breaches of an undertaking.

The vehicle was towed from the scene and searched. Cocaine and methamphetamine were also located in the vehicle and a charge of trafficking of a controlled substance was laid against both individuals as well. Additional charges may be laid as the investigation continues

Both subjects were remanded into custody on October 29th and appeared at Amherst Provincial Court on October 30th. Both were released on conditions and will next appear on the matter on November 25th. The female also had warrants out of New Brunswick and was released into the custody of Codiac RCMP officers.

Anyone with further information related to this incident is asked to contact the Amherst Police Department at 902-667-8600 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477)

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