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MOTOR VEHICLE STOP LEADS TO HANDGUN ARREST

A motor vehicle stop conducted last night for an equipment infraction led to the discovery of a loaded handgun and the arrest of two people on firearm and motor vehicle offenses. At 11:28pm, Officer Aiden O'Donnell, while working a traffic enforcement detail, stopped a vehicle on the Hunts Falls Rotary for having a plate light out. Further investigation revealed the operator did not have a license and when placed under arrest a live .40 caliber round was located in his pocket. A subsequent search revealed a .40 caliber handgun loaded with 10 rounds in the glove box. **Arrested are Delvin Bradley age 18 of Lowell and Marqis Layne age 22 of Mattapan. Both are charged with Unlawful Carrying a Loaded Firearm, Unlawful Possession of Ammunition, Possession of a Firearm with an Obliterated Serial Number during the Commission of a Felony and Improper Storage of a Firearm. Bradley was also charged with Operating without a License and Defective Equipment. Layne, the vehicle owner, was charged with Allowing Unlicensed Operation of a Motor Vehicle.** He has an outstanding case pending in Lowell District Court for an incident that occurred last November involving firearm and drug charges. Both subjects were held overnight at the Police Station and will be arraigned this morning in Lowell District Court.



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