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PLEASANTVILLE MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO WEAPONS, DRUG CHARGES

MAYS LANDING— A Pleasantville man pleaded guilty Friday to multiple gun charges and drug charges, announced Atlantic County Prosecutor Damon G. Tyner.

Keith S. Allen pleaded guilty to:

- Second degree Unlawful Possession of a Handgun (.25 Cal. auto Burgo (German) Pistol) – 5 Years Must Serve 5 Years
- 4 Counts of Third Degree Possession with Intent to Distribute Heroin, for 454 wax folds of heroin-5 Years Must Serve 3 Years
- Second Degree Unlawful Possession of a Handgun– 5 Years Must Serve 5 Years, (9mm Glock 26)
- Sentences to be served concurrent.

On August 19, 2016, Atlantic City Police Department responded to a 911 call from the Golden Nugget Hotel and Casino to a report that a housekeeper found illegal narcotics. Approximately, 454 wax folds of heroin were recovered as well as some marijuana and cocaine. Upon further investigation, it was determined that the room where the narcotics were located was registered to Keith S. Allen.

Later on August 19, 2016, Atlantic City Police officers pulled over Keith Allen not far from the Golden Nugget Casino and 39 wax folds of heroin were recovered as well as, a 9mm Glock 26 loaded with 15 rounds, 14 of which were hollow point ammunition, as well as an additional fully loaded large capacity magazine containing 33 rounds of 9mm ammunition.

On October 19, 2016, Egg Harbor Township Police responded to Cube Smart self-storage to a report of firearms discovered in a rental unit. Police also recovered a fully

loaded .25 cal. Semi-automatic Burgo pistol, a 5.56 caliber (DPMS) semi-automatic rifle and ten 30 round high capacity magazines. The rental unit was leased by Allen. Allen was indicted for three counts of second degree Unlawful Possession of a Firearm, second degree Possession with Intent to Distribute CDS, third degree Conspiracy to Distribute CDS, three counts third degree Possession of a Controlled Dangerous Substance and a count for fourth degree large capacity magazines.

The case is being prosecuted by Atlantic County Assistant Prosecutor Matthew R. Davidson

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