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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
November 8, 2020

VPD Report Number: 20-095419

Date/Time Occurred: 11/08/2020 at 7:35 AM

Type of Incident: Felon in possession of a firearm
arrest

Location: east Mineral King/Main St.

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Yaphet Hightower

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Yes

Details: On 11/08/20, at 0735 hours, a traffic stop was conducted on a vehicle in the area of east Mineral King and Main St for a vehicle code violation. The driver was contacted and identified as Yaphet Hightower. The driver was found to be in possession of a loaded handgun. The driver was placed into custody without incident, and transported and booked into the Tulare County Pretrial Facility for charges of felon in possession of a firearm.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Sgt. J.Cummings

