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### **FOUR INDICTED FOR EDGEWATER PARK ROBBERY AND SEXUAL ASSAULT**

**MOUNT HOLLY, N.J.** - Burlington County Prosecutor Robert D. Bernardi announced that indictments were returned today against four men in connection with the October 8, 2010 robbery and sexual assault of a 46-year-old woman during a home invasion at her Jamestown Road residence in Edgewater Park, N.J.

The following individuals were indicted on 22 counts by a Burlington County Grand Jury, including thirteen First Degree offenses: Michael P. Jeh, age 20, of 28 Poplar Lane Willingboro, New Jersey; Damian Hampton, age 19, of 1020 Woodlane Road, Edgewater Park, New Jersey; Ishmail Johnson, age 19, of 72 Pageant Lane Willingboro, New Jersey; and Justin Brown, age 22, of 59 Palfrey Lane, Willingboro, New Jersey.

The charges for which the defendants were indicted include 6 counts of Aggravated Sexual Assault (First Degree), 2 counts of Kidnapping (First Degree), 4 counts of Robbery (First Degree), 1 count of Gang Criminality (First Degree), 1 count of Burglary (Second Degree), 1 count of Conspiracy to Commit Robbery (Second Degree), 1 count of Possession of a Weapon For an Unlawful Purpose (Second Degree), 4 counts of Unlawful Possession of a Weapon (Third Degree), 1 count of Motor Vehicle Theft (Third Degree) and 1 count of Making Terroristic Threats (Third Degree).

An arraignment will be scheduled soon in Superior Court in Burlington County. Jeh and Johnson are lodged in the Burlington County Jail on \$500,000 bail each, with no 10 percent option. The bail for Brown, who is also in the jail, is \$400,000, no 10 percent. Hampton is being held at the Juvenile Detention Center in Pemberton Township, N.J., on \$500,000 bail, no 10 percent.

The investigation revealed that the defendants entered the victim's residence in the 200 block of Jamestown Road between 2:30 a.m. and 3:30 a.m. on October 8, 2010 and sexually assaulted her. Several objects were stolen from the victim's home, including her car, which was later recovered.

Jeh and Hampton were arrested on October 8, 2010, just hours after the crime. Johnson was arrested December 10, 2010 and Brown was arrested on September 6, 2011.

The investigation was conducted by detectives from the Edgewater Park Township Police Department and the Burlington County Prosecutor's Office.

*An indictment is merely an accusation. The defendant is presumed innocent unless or until proven guilty.*

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