

## MEDIA RELEASE

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## **Armed Robbery Arrests**

Darion Nicholas Washington, 21, of Brandywine, MD and Taylor Anthony Gilbert, 24, of Greenbelt were arrested and charged with Armed Robbery, Strong Arm Robbery, Second Degree Assault and Theft. On January 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:17 P.M., officers responded to a report of an armed robbery. The victim, a cashier at the Sunoco Service Station in the 100 block of Centerway, advised that the suspects, one armed with a handgun, entered the station and announced a robbery. One of the suspects then threw the victim to the floor and demanded money. After obtaining money from the victim the suspects fled the scene on foot. A short time later an officer observed two subjects matching the clothing description on foot in the area of Kenilworth Avenue and Crescent Road. The suspects were positively identified by the victim. One of the suspects was found to be in possession of a bb-type handgun. Both suspects were arrested and transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a District Court Commissioner.

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