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# News Release

*Captain Pat Yoes*

*Public Information Officer*

*October 24, 2018*

*Drug Arrest*

Anyone with information regarding this incident(s) is asked to call Crime stoppers at 1-877-903-STOP. Citizens do not have to give their name nor testify and could receive up to \$2,500.

<b>ARRESTEE:</b>	Smith, Calvin Veirnel JR., 31, Male- 1551 London Cross Road Harvey, LA
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Gassen Street Luling, LA
<b>DATE:</b>	October 22, 2018
<b>ITEM NO.:</b>	J-01843-18
<b>CHGS: Proper Signal to Turn, Contraband in Correctional Center, Fugitive From Other Agency (4 counts), Possession of Marijuana 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Possession of Hydrocodone, Possession of Legend Drug</b>	
Sheriff Greg Champagne reports Smith was stopped for a traffic violation. During the stop, Smith was found to be in possession of marijuana, an Acetaminophen Hydrocodone pill, and a Viagra pill. Once at corrections, Smith was found to be in possession of a second container of marijuana that was hidden inside his clothing. Smith was arrested accordingly.	

<b>ARRESTEE:</b>	Verdin, Jousha Charles, 36, Male- 115 Cypress Lane Des Allemands, LA
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Highway 90 in Paradis, LA
<b>DATE:</b>	October 22, 2018
<b>ITEM NO.:</b>	J-01378-18. J-01787-18
<b>CHGS: Possession of Methamphetamine (2 counts), 29<sup>th</sup> J.D.C. Attachment, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia</b>	
Sheriff Greg Champagne reports deputies located Verdin at his residence and placed him under arrest for a warrant issued in relation to Possession of Methamphetamine. During the arrest, Verdin was found to be in possession of methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia.	