

NEWS RELEASE

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Habitual Felon Team sends defendant to prison

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Habitual Felon Team convicted one defendant who entered a guilty plea. The proceeding was held July 30, 2018, in courtroom 5110 before The Honorable Lori I. Hamilton, Superior Court Judge.

One of the cases in the trial order was continued at the State's request due to a conflict that arose. The remaining defendants failed to appear for court when their cases were called for trial. Judge Hamilton issued orders for their arrest and increased their bonds.

Lee Nelson, 23, pled guilty to 1) three counts of larceny of a motor vehicle and 2) being a habitual felon. Nelson was sentenced to 60-84 months in prison. Some of Nelson's prior convictions include two counts of breaking and entering a motor vehicle and larceny of a motor vehicle.

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