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Jury convicts man of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon as Habitual Felon Team leads trial session

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – His case was among several prosecuted by the Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Habitual Felon Team, which worked in three Superior Court courtrooms during the team's latest trial session. The proceedings were held October 31 – November 4, 2022, before The Honorable Lisa C. Bell, The Honorable D. Thomas Lambeth, and The Honorable Bradley B. Letts, Superior Court Judges.

Prentiss Lipscomb, 35, was tried for 1) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and 2) misdemeanor carrying a concealed gun. The jury found him *guilty* of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and not guilty of carrying a concealed gun. The defendant admitted to his habitual felon status and Judge Lambeth sentenced him to 100-132 months in prison.

Tyler Lucas, 27, pled guilty to possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Bell sentenced him to 24-38 months in prison.

Jabari Nolley, 36, plead guilty to 1) assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury and 2) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Bell sentenced him to 26-44 months in prison.

Darrell Smith, 33, was tried for 1) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and 2) misdemeanor carrying a concealed gun. The jury found him *not guilty* on both charges.

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