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Habitual Felon Team leads trial session

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Habitual Felon Team convicted four defendants during their recent trial session. The proceedings, which began August 26, 2024, were held in courtroom 5170 before the Honorable David H. Strickland, Superior Court Judge.

Quandarius Shine, 34, pled guilty to 1) robbery with a dangerous weapon, 2) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, 3) felony breaking or entering, 4) felony conspiracy, 5) larceny after breaking or entering, 6) being a habitual felon 7) larceny of a motor vehicle, 8) second-degree kidnapping, and 9) misdemeanor breaking or entering. Judge Strickland sentenced the defendant to 78-106 months in prison.

Cherod Williams, 38, pled guilty to 1) two counts of failing to register as a sex offender, 2) felony obstruction of justice, and 3) being a habitual felon. Judge Strickland sentenced him to 84-113 months in prison.

Deonte Lanier, 34, pled guilty to possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Strickland sentenced him to 31-47 months in prison. The sentence is to run concurrently with the sentence he is currently serving.

Willie Simpson, 53, pled guilty to 1) two counts of misdemeanor assault with a deadly weapon and 2) common law robbery. Judge Strickland sentenced him to 20-33 months in prison.

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