



POLICE DEPARTMENT

Media Release

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## Felony Shoplifting

On February 14, 2025 at approximately 1:00PM Madison police officers responded to ULTA Beauty located at 175 Grandview Blvd in regards to three individuals that shoplifted from the store and left in a silver BMW south bound on Grandview Blvd. A Madison patrol officer quickly located the vehicle on Madison Avenue near the West Frontage Road where a traffic stop was made on the suspect vehicle. The silver BMW immediately pulled over where all three suspects were taken into custody without incident. Officers on scene recovered all merchandise that was stolen from ULTA where it was then documented and returned to the store after ULTA management pressed charges on all three suspects involved. The total value of all items stolen was valued at \$2,276.00. Officers were also able to recover several other bags of stolen merchandise that could be possibly linked to shopliftings in other municipalities in Mississippi as well as other states. Investigators with the

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Madison Police Department are currently working to identify those other jurisdictions and more charges are possible through those agencies.

The suspects are identified as Randolph Joseph (age 25), Shira Thompson (age 41), and Joseph Mitchell (age 60, all of Hollywood, FL.

All three suspects are being charged with Felony Shoplifting and Felony Conspiracy to Commit a Crime. Thompson also has a hold placed on her by Henry County, GA for Felony Shoplifting. Joseph, Thompson, and Mitchell will be housed at the Madison County Detention Center as they await their initial appearance in the City of Madison Municipal Court. All three suspects case will be presented to the Madison County Grand Jury before District Attorney John 'Bubba' Bramlett.



Randoloph Joseph, age 25 Hollywood, FL



Shira Thompson, age 41 Hollywood, FL



Joseph Mitchell, age 60 Hollywood, FL