



# TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

## NEWS RELEASE

**SUBJECT:** Two Charged With Possession of 118 Bags of Heroin

**DATE/TIME:** 11/4/2015 10:35 pm

**LOCATION:** State Highway 66

**OFFICERS INVOLVED:** Township of Ocean Police Officers David Marino Jr., Christopher Clune and Detective Bryan Morgan and assisted by Monmouth County Prosecutors Office Detective Nicholas Cattelona.

**ACCUSED:** Robinson Marvilus age 26 Elizabeth, NJ  
Lesly Valentin age 30 Asbury Park, NJ

**NARRATIVE:** On 11/4/15 at approximately 10:35 pm, Officers David Marino Jr. and Christopher Clune were on patrol in the area of the Asbury Park Circle when they stopped a vehicle, occupied by Robinson Marvilus and Lesly Valentin, for a motor vehicle equipment violation. During the stop it was learned that the driver, Robinson Marvilus, had an active warrant for his arrest. He was removed from the vehicle and placed under arrest. During the investigation, officers observed several bullet impact holes throughout the vehicle. Neither of the two occupants owned the vehicle nor could account for the bullet holes. The vehicle was impounded for further investigation.

On 11/06/15, a search warrant was executed on the vehicle by Detective Morgan and Detective Cattelona of the Monmouth County Prosecutors Office. During the search officers located 118 bags of Heroin. Both subjects were charged by Detective Morgan with Possession of heroin, cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

On 11/18/15, Lesly Valentin was located and arrested by the New Jersey State Police on unrelated drug charges. Bail was set at \$20,000.00 with no ten percent option.

**Mr. Valentin was transported to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution to await a future court hearing. The whereabouts of Mr. Marvilus are unknown at this time and remains wanted.**

**NO PHOTOS OF ACCUSED ARE AVAILABLE**

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