

NEWS RELEASE

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SUBJECT: Two Arrested For Residential Burglaries

The Newark Police have arrested two individuals for recent residential burglaries within the City of Newark. These two individuals are not known to each other and the burglaries are not connected.

On January 3rd, 2011 Charles Hymer of Newark was arrested for a December 14th residential burglary in the unit block of Thompson Circle. Hymer was connected to this burglary after he was stopped by Elkton Police Department on December 15th, 2011 for an unrelated incident and found in possession of stolen property linking him to the Thompson Circle burglary.

Defendant 1: Charles Hymer DOB 02/01/86

43 Thompson Circle, Newark, DE 19711

Charges: Burglary 2nd

Theft over \$1500

Criminal Mischief under \$1000

*Committed to Howard R. Young Correctional in lieu of \$3250 bail.

Also arrested on January 3rd, 2011 was John T. Steinbeiser of Newark. Following a lengthy investigation Steinbeiser was connected to five residential daytime burglaries which occurred in the neighborhood of Ridgewood Glen between September and December, 2011.

Defendant 2: John T. Steinbeiser DOB 07/19/79

53 Shenandoah Drive, Newark, DE 19711

Charges: 5 counts Burglary 2nd

5 counts Theft over \$1500

3 counts Criminal Mischief under \$1000

*Committed to Howard R. Young Correctional in lieu of \$7,800 bail.

Anyone with additional information about these burglaries should contact Det. Gregory Delia at 302-366-7110 ext. 132 or greg.delia@cj.state.de.us. You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at www.tipsubmit.com where a reward may be available.

The Newark Police Department affirms that all defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.

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