



# Media Release

## BOONE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

### Sheriff Tony Harris

1905 Indianapolis Ave.  
Lebanon, IN 46052

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## Traffic Stop Results in Narcotics Arrests

On August 7, 2024, at approximately 11:45 A.M., A Detective with the Boone County Sheriff's Office Criminal Intelligence Unit (CIU) observed a suspicious male, later identified as Juan Perez, operating a red Zeta moped in the 800 block of west South Street in Lebanon. The detective requested assistance from the Lebanon Police Department to assist in conducting a traffic stop on Perez.

Prior to the arrival of a marked LPD patrol vehicle, Perez travelled to a business in the 800 block of west Pearl St. A traffic stop was conducted at this location and officers on scene developed reasonable suspicion of criminal activity. At this time, a Whitestown Police Department K9 Unit responded to the scene of the traffic stop and conducted a free air sniff of the moped, to which it provided a positive indication of possible narcotics.

At this time, a probable cause search of the moped was conducted, and several evidentiary items were located.

In total approximately 115 grams of methamphetamine was located, totaling about 1,150 single dosage units of the substance.

All parties involved are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. Perez was booked into the Boone County Jail with the following preliminary charges:

### **Juan Perez**

Dealing in Methamphetamine – 2 Felony  
Possession of Methamphetamine – 3 Felony  
Possession of Marijuana – A Misdemeanor  
Possession of Paraphernalia – A Misdemeanor



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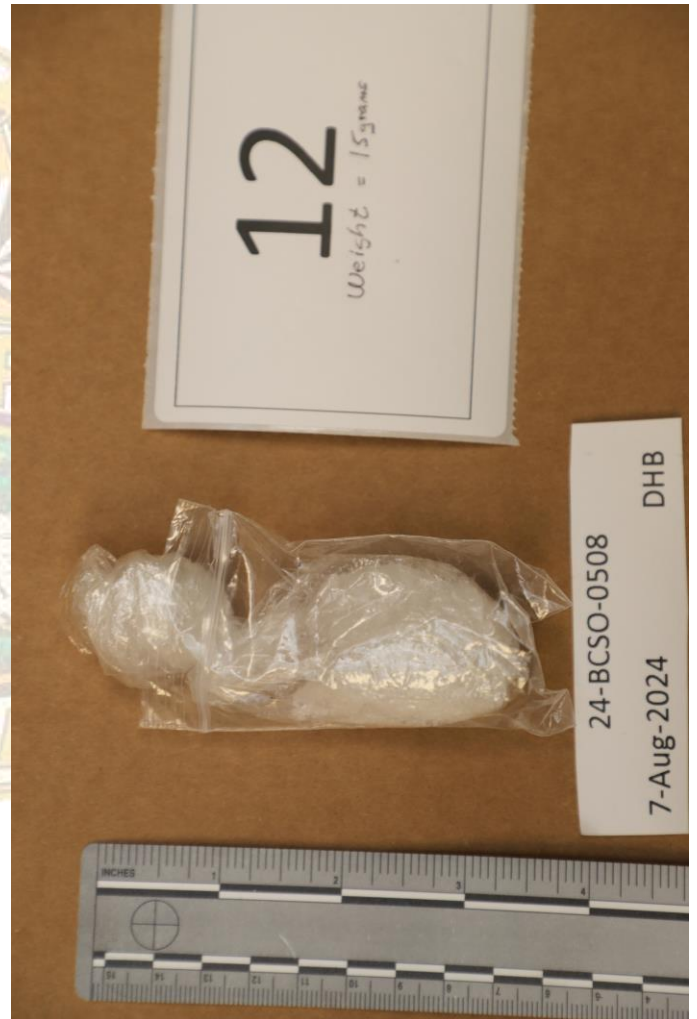
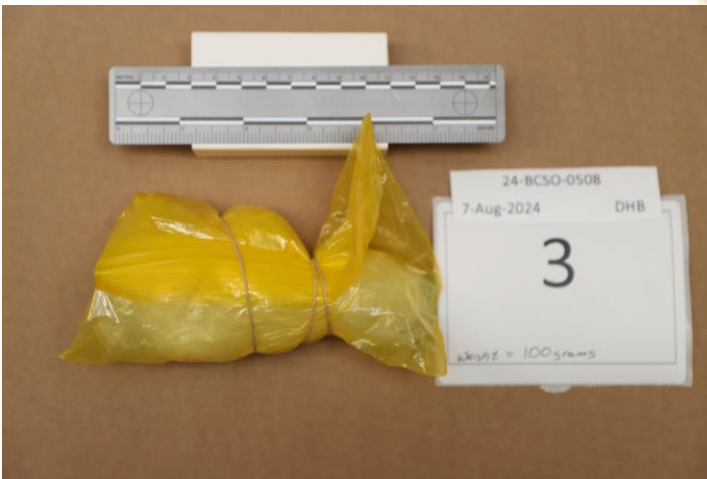
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