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*****PRESS RELEASE*****

For Immediate Release

On Tuesday, May 23, 2017, Sheriff Troy Peterson announced the arrest of 21 year-old, Lavondrea Koletha Buckhalter who resides at 1986 Highway 26 #3 Wiggins, MS., on a felony warrant for Failure to Appear for Possession of a Controlled Substance (Methamphetamines).

On Tuesday May 23, 2017 at 5:02 a.m., a deputy with the Harrison County Sheriff's Department assisted a Gulfport Police officer with a traffic stop at Highway 49 and School Rd. Further investigation into the traffic stop revealed that the passenger Buckhalter had an outstanding warrant through the Harrison County sheriff's Department for Failure to Appear for Possession of a Controlled Substance (Methamphetamines). Buckhalter was taken into custody and booked into the Harrison County Adult Detention Facility without bond pending an initial appearance

Investigative Officer: Deputy Paul Brown

Arresting Officer(s): Deputy Paul Brown

Approved For Release: _____

Troy J. Peterson, Sheriff, Harrison County, Mississippi