



Pembroke Pines Police Department



9500 Pines Boulevard · Pembroke Pines · Florida 33024

Administrative Phone – 954-436-3200

24 Hour Dispatch – 954-431-2200

PIO On-Call Number – 954-252-5029

MEDIA RELEASE

ASSIGNED PIO: Amanda Conwell

DATE OF MEDIA RELEASE: January 23, 2024

TIME OF MEDIA RELEASE: 4:30 p.m.

CASE NUMBER: PPPD24OFF005470

CHARGE/INCIDENT: False Personation of a Police Officer - ARREST

DATE OF OCCURRENCE: January 23, 2024

TIME OF OCCURRENCE: 11:29 a.m.

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: 7999 Pines Boulevard, Pembroke Pines

SUSPECT(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

1) Davonte Clyde Thompson; 29-years-old; DOB 05/31/1994; Black Male; Miramar, FL

VICTIM(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

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INCIDENT SUMMARY:

Pembroke Pines Police Officers have taken a suspect into custody after he illegally stopped another vehicle by impersonating as a law enforcement officer.

At 11:29 a.m., 9-1-1 dispatchers were alerted to a reckless driver in the area of Pines Boulevard and University Drive. The caller, who identified himself as a police officer, advised that he pulled the vehicle over in the parking lot of TD Bank (7999 Pines Boulevard).

When Pembroke Pines Police Officers arrived, they determined that the caller – identified as 29-year-old Davonte Clyde Thompson – was not a police officer, and that he used a stolen police badge to illegally conduct the traffic stop. The police badge belonged to a retired sheriff's deputy from the St. John Parish Sheriff's Office in Louisiana.

Thompson was taken into custody and is being charged with False Personation of a Police Officer.



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Thompson was driving a silver Volkswagen Altas bearing Florida tag 73B ULB which he used in the commission of today's crime. Since it is unknown if Thompson committed crimes of this nature in the past, we are asking the public to please contact law enforcement if they believe Thompson illegally stopped them.



Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact the Pembroke Pines Police Department at 954-431-2200, email to tips@ppines.com, or call Broward Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.