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Two Charged After Meth Found Under Child's Car Seat

(VESTAL, NY) A Binghamton couple is facing felony charges after 4 ounces of meth were found hidden under a child's car seat during a traffic stop.

On March 26th, 2025, The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force (SIU) conducted a traffic stop on Bunn Hill Road in the Town of Vestal.

During the investigation, Binghamton Police K9 Cocoa alerted investigators to the presence of narcotics on the vehicle. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed approximately 115.1 grams of methamphetamine (approximately 4 ounces) located under a car seat where one of the three children present had been sitting during the traffic stop.

The operator, Lacey N. Brown, age 25 of Binghamton, NY and passenger, Jacob C. Brown, age 25 of Binghamton, NY were subsequently arrested and each charged with the following:

- Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 2nd Degree, a Class AII Felony
- Criminal possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3rd Degree, a Class B Felony
- Three (3) Counts of Endangering the Welfare of a Child, Class A Misdemeanors

Child Protective Services responded to the scene to take custody of the children until they were turned over to a trusted adult.

Also seized from the traffic stop was \$1,242 in US currency.

Both Lacey and Jacob Brown were arraigned and remanded to the Broome County Correctional Facility, where they remain in custody.

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The Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force is comprised of members of the Broome County Sheriff's Office, the Binghamton Police Department, the Johnson City Police Department and the Endicott Police Department.



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