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<u>Union Man Faces Five Felony Drug Charges after</u> <u>Methamphetamine and Fentanyl located during Search</u> Warrant

(TOWN OF UNION, NY) A Town of Union man faces five felony drug charges following a warrant execution by the Broome County Special Investigations Unit Task Force (SIU).

On April 10th, 2025 SIU executed a search warrant at 15 Delaware Ave. Apt. 303 in the Town of Union. As SIU entered the apartment, the subject of the search warrant, Bruce T. Hines, age 57 of the Town of Union, resisted officers and had to be detained after a brief struggle.

As a result of the search warrant, the following items of evidence were located in the apartment.

- 30.5 Grams of Methamphetamine
- 5.7 Grams of Fentanyl
- Digital Scales
- Packaging Material
- \$304 in US Currency

Following the investigation, Bruce T. Hines was arrested and charged with the following:

- Three (3) Counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3rd Degree, a Class B Felony
- Two (2) Counts Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 4th Degree, a Class C felony
- Two (2) Counts Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2nd Degree, a Class A Misdemeanor
- Obstructing Governmental Administration, a Class A Misdemeanor
- Resisting Arrest, a Class A Misdemeanor

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Hines was arraigned and remanded to the Broome County Correctional Facility, where he remains in custody.

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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