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PRESS RELEASE

PAROLEE IN POSSESSION OF DRUGS, GUN AND STOLEN CHECKS

DATE: August 31, 2016
LOCATION: 1200 (BK) Great Mall Drive near Great Mall Parkway
CASE #: 16-244-192
SUSPECT #1: James Jovan Thomas, 27-year-old male, Campbell transient
SUSPECT VEHICLE: Gray 1990 Buick Riviera Sedan

On Wednesday, August 31, 2016, at approximately 9:44 P.M., a Milpitas Police officer stopped James Thomas, because he was driving a car with expired registration on Great Mall Dr. Thomas was found to be on parole through the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. Officers conducted a search of the car and Thomas, and they located a loaded .45 caliber handgun, several rounds of .45 caliber ammunition, over 5 grams of cocaine, numerous forged identification cards, and stolen checks. Thomas was arrested and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for being a felon in possession of a loaded firearm, being a felon in possession of ammunition, possession of a controlled substance, possession of stolen checks, unlawful possession another person's identity information, and parole violation.

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