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## UPSTATE MAN ARRESTED ON DRUG CHARGES

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division's (SLED) Narcotics Unit announces the arrest of a Pendleton, S.C. man on drug charges.

Leo Christopher Marvin Plantin, 29 of 209 Scott Circle, Pendleton, S.C., is charged with **Trafficking Cocaine and Possession of Marijuana.**

According to arrest warrants, Plantin is accused of delivering approximately 12 ounces of powder and crack cocaine to the Belvedere Shopping Center located at 3152 North Main Street in Anderson County.

The street value of the drug is between \$12,000 and \$13,000.

Plantin is also accused of possessing a bag of marijuana in the driver's side door of his vehicle.

The alleged delivery happened on December 2, 2008.

The Anderson County Sheriff's Office, The Anderson Police Department, The Laurens County Sheriff's Office and The Newberry County Sheriff's Office assisted with this investigation.

SLED's efforts to combat the illegal drug trade in the state, continues.

**Trafficking Cocaine** is felony offense.

**Possession of Marijuana** is a misdemeanor offense.

If convicted, Plantin could face up to twenty-five (25) years in prison.

**For a booking photograph of Plantin, please call The Anderson Police Department at (864) 231-2277.**

