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## 5th Subject Arrested in the Shanghai Investigation

During the last three (3) months, the Barnstable Street Crime Unit (SCU) conducted an investigation into the distribution of heroin and cocaine from inside the Shanghai restaurant, 11 Ridgewood Avenue, Hyannis. The investigation revealed that numerous subjects involved in the distribution of narcotics in and around Hyannis were frequenting the Shanghai restaurant. The drug sales many times were very blatant and out in the open. The SCU made eleven (11) narcotics purchases inside the restaurant involving eight (8) subjects. All the subjects were known to area law enforcement and suspected of being involved in drug distribution.

On 12/19/2014, the SCU obtained arrest warrants for the subjects involved. A multi jurisdiction arrest team comprised of the Barnstable Police Department, Mashpee Police Department, Yarmouth Police Department, Mass State Police, and Barnstable County Sheriff's Department responded to the Shanghai restaurant in an attempt to locate the wanted subjects. One of those subject was identified as Jeremiah Q Anderson, age 37, of Hyannis. ANDERSON is very well known to the Barnstable Police Department for his involvement in the distribution of cocaine in and around Hyannis. ANDERSON was arrested and charged with trafficking cocaine 18-36 grams on 09/11/2014 by the Barnstable PD Narcotics Unit. He was released after posting a cash bail. ANDERSON also has two (2) separate convictions in Barnstable Superior Court for narcotics distribution offenses from 02/2010 and 06/1997. He is currently also on Barnstable Superior Court probation for one of those convictions

ANDERSON was not located at the Shanghai on 12/19/2014. Attempts to locate ANDERSON after were unsuccessful. ANDERSON had a court date scheduled for 12/23/2014 relating to his 09/11/2014 drug arrest. Members of the Barnstable Street Crime Unit set up surveillance in the court house parking lot. ANDERSON was located and arrested on the outstanding warrant from the Shanghai investigation. He is charged with three (3) counts of distribution class B/cocaine subsequent offense. ANDERSON was arraigned in Barnstable District Court and held on \$20,000 cash bail relating to the Shanghai charges. ANDERSON had his bail revoked in the September 2104 trafficking case and will be held without bail on those charges.



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The Shanghai investigation is ongoing and more arrests are expected.

An arrest photograph is attached to this press release. Any additional questions and/or comments please contact Lt John F Murphy at murphyj@barnstablepolice.com

