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Suspects Charged in Vehicle Theft Cases

On Sunday March 13, 2011 at approximately 11:07 pm officers from the Huntley Police Department were dispatched to the area of 10751 Wolf Dr. Huntley IL for two male subjects who had allegedly attempted to steal a vehicle from the parking lot of Marty's Automotive.

It is being alleged by police that Christopher Brown and Paul Soky had entered a 1987 GMC pick-up truck located in the parking lot. The keys to the vehicle were in the ignition at the time of the alleged attempted theft and the vehicle was unlocked. The two suspects entered the truck and attempted to drive away when the vehicle's owner exited the building and stopped them from leaving. Brown and Soky were detained at the scene until officers arrived. Both Brown and Soky were taken into custody and transported to the Huntley Police Department.

After further investigation by detectives it was determined that both Brown and Soky were involved with a theft of a motor vehicle on January 20, 2011 in Huntley. In that case they are alleged to have been in possession of a 1997 Chevrolet Tahoe. Also during this investigation it is being alleged that Brown was involved with theft of motor vehicles that occurred on February 20, 2011 in Huntley. On February 20, 2011 five vehicles were reported stolen at various different locations. All five of the vehicles involved have since been recovered. It is being alleged that Brown was involved in all of those cases. Soky was not involved in the February 20th thefts.

Christopher R. Brown DOB 3/28/85
14101 Hemmingsen Rd
Huntley IL 60142

Charges for this case:

1. Attempted Theft-720 5/8-4 (Class A Misdemeanor)
2. 2 Counts Unlawful Possession of Stolen Motor Vehicle- 625 5 4-103(a)(1) Class 2 Felony.

Paul R. Soky DOB 9/8/87
(No Known Address)

Charges for this case:

1. Attempted Theft-720 5/8-4 (Class A Misdemeanor)
2. Unlawful Possession of Stolen Motor Vehicle-625 5/4-103(a)(1) Class 2 Felony.

Both Brown and Soky were transported to McHenry County Corrections to await bond call.

The charges against Christopher R. Brown and Paul R. Soky are not proof of guilt. A defendant charged is presumed innocent and is entitled to a fair trial in which it is the state's burden to prove his or her guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.