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VPD Report Number: 16-03687

Type of Incident: Possession of a Controlled Substance for Sale

Date/Time Occurred: 3-11-2016, 1400 hrs Location: 900 S. Conyer

Name of Business (if applicable):

Mt. Whitney High School

Suspect:	Age:	Arrested:
1. Juvenile male	15	Yes
2. Juvenile male	17	Yes
3. Juvenile female	14	Yes

Details: On listed date/time the Youth Services Officer at Mt. Whitney High School was contacted in regards to students feeling ill as a result of ingesting items laced with concentrated cannabis. During the course of the investigation it was determined the 3 listed suspects, all students at Mt. Whitney, were responsible for the sales of the items to the students. Seven students were affected by the substance, 6 of whom were transported by ambulance to a local hospital as a precaution and for evaluation, and the remaining student was taken by family members for evaluation. The 3 suspects were all arrested and booked at the Tulare County Juvenile Detention facility. The investigation was concluded, and there are no outstanding suspects.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Youth Services Unit

Supervisor: Sgt. Pree

