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**DAVENPORT WOMAN, TEXAS MAN, SENTENCED TO 180 MONTHS IN  
PRISON FOR CONSPIRACY TO DISTRIBUTE DRUGS AND POSSESSION OF  
FIREARMS IN FURTHERANCE OF DRUG TRAFFICKING**

DAVENPORT, IA- Today, Amie Beth Henderson-Cooper, 29, of Davenport, Iowa, was sentenced to 120 months of imprisonment for one count of conspiracy to distribute crack cocaine, powder cocaine, and marijuana, and 60 months of imprisonment for one count of possession of firearms in furtherance of drug trafficking, with the sentences to be served consecutively for a total prison term of 180 months, announced United States Attorney Nicholas A. Klinefeldt. United States District Judge John A. Jarvey also ordered that Henderson-Cooper will serve a term of 5 years supervised release following her incarceration and pay \$200 to the Crime Victims Fund.

In the same case, Deon D. Smith, 28, of Rockwall, Texas, was sentenced to 120 months of imprisonment for one count of conspiracy to distribute crack cocaine and marijuana, and 60 months of imprisonment for one count of possession of firearms in furtherance of drug trafficking, with the sentences to be served consecutively for a total prison term of 180 months. Smith also was ordered to serve a term of 5 years supervised release following his incarceration and pay \$200 to the Crime Victims Fund.

On November 21, 2009, officers of Davenport Police Department's Tactical Operations Bureau conducting a drug trafficking investigation executed a search warrant at a residence in Davenport. Upon entry, officers saw Deon D. Smith and Lekeebrion D. Jackson running to the

rear of the residence, Smith carrying a black handgun in his right hand. Both were arrested. Police recovered 174.51 grams of crack cocaine, 9,016.04 grams of marijuana, a Taurus .357 revolver, a Sig Sauer 9mm handgun (stolen in Texas and the same weapon Smith was carrying), an AK-47 assault rifle (stolen from Dunhams Sporting Goods in Davenport), and \$2,725.00. The stock on the AK-47 was sawed-off. Law enforcement also seized multiple digital scales and packaging material found throughout the apartment.

A short time later, a related search warrant was conducted at 3520 Heatherton Drive, Apt. #5, Davenport, Iowa. There, officers found the following: 19.54 grams of crack cocaine, 337.33 grams of marijuana, approximately \$15,820 in currency, and a Glock, Model 17, 9mm handgun.

In addition to Henderson-Cooper and Smith, other individuals charged in this case included Alvin Lee Cooper, Irvin Joy Cooper, Lovell Jonathan Flowers, and Lekeebriion D. Jackson. Jackson earlier was sentenced to 120 months of imprisonment. The other defendants have entered guilty pleas and await sentencing.

This investigation was conducted by the Davenport, Iowa, Police Department, and the United States Drug Enforcement Administration. The case was prosecuted by the United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of Iowa.

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