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THREE PEE DEE FELONS FACE NEW GUN CHARGES

Columbia, South Carolina ---- United States Attorney Reginald I. Lloyd stated today that three felons have been charged in separate federal indictments for possessing firearms. Roosevelt Williams, Jr., age 46, of Lamar; Keith Maurice Brockington, age 37, of Florence; and Derrick Leon Samuels, age 50, of Hartsville, were each indicted for being a felon in possession of a firearm. Each man faces a maximum possible sentence of life in prison.

Mr. Lloyd stated that the case was investigated by agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives, and that he has assigned the cases to Assistant United States Attorneys Rose Mary Parham and Carrie

Fisher of the Florence office for prosecution.

The United States Attorney stated that all charges are merely accusations and that all defendants are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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