

Ohio State Highway Patrol



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Troopers seize 110 pounds of marijuana in Lucas County traffic stop

TOLEDO – Ohio State Highway Patrol troopers have filed felony drug charges against two California men after a traffic stop in Lucas County. The marijuana is valued at approximately \$256,850.

On October 11, 2017 at 1:41 p.m., troopers stopped a rented 2018 Chevy Suburban with Utah registration for a following too close violation on Interstate 80 near milepost 59. Criminal indicators were observed and a Patrol drug-sniffing canine alerted to the vehicle. A probable cause search revealed the contraband.

The suspects, Nhan Nguyen, 37, and Vuong Bui, 37, both from San Jose, Calif., were incarcerated in the Lucas County Jail and charged with possession and trafficking in marijuana, both second-degree felonies.

If convicted, each could face up to 16 years in prison and up to a \$30,000 fine.

A photo of the seized contraband is available for download on the Patrol's website at www.statepatrol.ohio.gov

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