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Charleston man charged with Unlawful Possession of a Machine Gun

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NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C. – Deputies with the Charleston County Sheriff's Office took London Wright, 18, of Charleston, into custody on charges of Unlawful Possession of a Machine Gun after an incident that occurred Monday evening on James Island.

Shortly after 6 p.m. Monday, May 27, 2024, deputies stopped Wright as a suspicious person near the intersection of Lemontree Lane and Jeffrey Road. Wright took off running and foot chase with deputies ensued. Wright then pulled a GLOCK 9mm from his holster and discharged it during the pursuit. Wright then threw the firearm onto a nearby roof. Deputies later took Wright into custody. No one was injured in the incident.

It was later discovered the handgun had a modified switch that converted the gun from a semiautomatic firearm to a fully automatic firearm.

Wright is being held in the Sheriff Al Cannon Detention Center. Booking photos can be found online at https://inmatesearch.charlestoncounty.org/. For photos of people already released, click the "Show Past Bookings" box.

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