



## CONNECTICUT STATE POLICE

### Troop K

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**Date:** 2/17/04 **Time:** 2120hrs **Case Number:** DPS04-009107

**Location:** 132 Gungy Rd Salem, CT.

**Victim:** State Of Connecticut

**Arrested:** Cooke, Ian T. Dob-10/04/87, 132 Gungy Road Salem, CT.

**Charges:** Manufacturing a Bomb 53-80a

**Court/Date:** G.A. 21 Norwich - March 4, 2004

### Summary:

During the course of an unrelated Investigation at 132 Gungy Road, Salem, CT, the Salem Resident Troopers Office, along with Troop K Troopers, conducted a search of the garage and found, during that search, what appeared to be a homemade bomb in the garage. The device was subsequently examined by the Connecticut State Police Bomb Squad and found to be a device capable of causing serious physical injury. The explosive device consisted of a single package and inside the package were several pipe bombs including other incendiary devices. The pipe bombs consisted of the following components: PVC tubing, galvanized end caps, copper piping, smokeless powder, metal BB's, hobby fuse's, butane lighters, and other components used for explosive materials.

A subsequent arrest warrant application was submitted to Norwich Superior Court for the charge of **53-80a Manufacturing a Bomb** and a warrant was issued for the arrest of the aforementioned.

Cooke was arrested on 02/17/04 and released on a \$25,000.00 bond. Cooke is scheduled to appear in Norwich Superior Court on 03/04/03 at 1000 hours.