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Police recover loaded firearm, Man faces eight charges, 14 Division

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On Tuesday, October 7, 2008, at approximately 7:30 p.m., police were patrolling Bloor Street West, near Delaware Avenue.

It is alleged that:

- officers observed a man drinking in a doorway on Bloor Street West,
- as the officers approached, the man ran west on Bloor Street West, threw a loaded firearm at the officers and continued to run,
- a short time later, the suspect was located in a nearby garage and was arrested.

Nosa Idalu Iyirhiaro, 22, of Toronto, is charged with:

- 1) Unauthorized Possession of a Firearm,
- 2) Possession of a Prohibited Firearm with Ammunition,
- 3) Possession of a Firearm Knowing its Possession is Unauthorized,
- 4) Carry Concealed Weapon,
- 5) Possession of a Firearm Obtained by the Commission of an Offence,
- 6) Possession of a Firearm Contrary to Prohibition Order.
- 7) Unauthorized Possession of a Prohibited Device,
- 8) Possession for the Purpose Controlled Substance.

He was scheduled to appear in court at Old City Hall on Wednesday, October 8, 2008, 10 a.m., room 101.

Constable Wendy Drummond, Public Information, for Staff Sergeant Rosario Tulipano, 14 Division

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