

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.
Court File No.

BEC-16-0411
07-CR-16-961

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

SCOTT PEDER OLSON JR DOB: 11/25/1986

102 N Park Lane
Le Sueur, MN 56058

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Order of Detention

The Complainant submits this complaint to the Court and states that there is probable cause to believe Defendant committed the following offense(s):

COUNT I

Charge: Drugs - 4th Degree - Possess Schedule 1/2/3 Except Marijuana with Intent to Sell

Minnesota Statute: 152.024.2(2), with reference to: 152.024.3(b)

Maximum Sentence: 30 years and/or \$100,000

Not Less than 1 year

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 03/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000441

Charge Description: Scott Peder Olson, Jr

On or about March 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Scott Peder Olson, Jr did unlawfully possess one or more mixtures containing a controlled substance classified in schedule I,II or III, except marijuana or Tetrahydrocannabinols with intent to sell it; and has a previous controlled substance conviction.

COUNT II

Charge: Drugs - 5th Degree - Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 - Not Small Amount Marijuana - Subsequent Conviction

Minnesota Statute: 152.025.2(b)(1)

Maximum Sentence: Not less than 6 months nor more than 10 years and/or \$20,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 03/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000441

Charge Description: Scott Peder Olson, Jr

On or about March 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Scott Peder Olson, Jr, did unlawfully possess one or more mixtures containing a controlled substance classified in Schedule I, II, III, or IV, except a small amount of marijuana; and said defendant was previously convicted of a controlled substance crime.

COUNT III

Charge: Dangerous Weapons-Metal Knuckles/Switch Blade

Minnesota Statute: 609.66.1(a)(4)

Maximum Sentence: 90 days and/or \$1,000

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000441

Charge Description: Scott Peder Olson, Jr

On or about March 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Scott Peder Olson, Jr did manufacture, transfer, or possess metal knuckles or a switch blade knife opening automatically.

COUNT IV

Charge: Traffic-Drivers License-Driving After Cancellation

Minnesota Statute: 171.24.3

Maximum Sentence: 90 days and/or \$1,000

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000441

Charge Description: Scott Peder Olson, Jr

On or about March 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Scott Peder Olson, Jr did after being given notice, or reasonably should have known of the cancellation, disobeyed the order by operating in this state any motor vehicle, the operation of which requires a driver's license, while her/his license or privilege was cancelled.

COUNT V

Charge: Drugs - Possession of Drug Paraphernalia - Use or Possession Prohibited

Minnesota Statute: 152.092

Maximum Sentence: \$300

Offense Level: Petty Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000441

Charge Description: Scott Peder Olson, Jr

On or about March 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Scott Peder Olson, Jr did knowingly or intentionally possess drug paraphernalia; to wit: a smoking device

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On March 13, 2016, at approximately 5:37 p.m., Officer Marx of the Madison Lake Police Department was patrolling the City of Madison Lake, near the area of Main Street and Walnut Avenue. Officer Marx observed a Buick, bearing Minnesota license plate 813 ELC, traveling westbound on Walnut Avenue. Officer Marx observed that the tint on the vehicle's windows appeared to be too dark, but Officer Marx was able to identify the driver as a male. After doing a license plate check on the vehicle, it came back as having expired registration as of December 2015. Officer Marx conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle. As the vehicle came to a stop, Officer Marx saw the driver lean over toward the passenger seat of the vehicle and then come back to the driver's seat.

Officer Marx approached the driver's side of the vehicle and found it to be occupied by the male driver. Officer Marx asked the male for his driver's license, and the male replied, 'No, I don't.' Officer Marx asked the driver if he had proof of insurance, and the driver handed Officer Marx a copy of the insurance information for the vehicle. The driver then continued to dig in the glovebox in front of the passenger seat. Officer Marx immediately could smell a strong odor of air freshener or cologne coming from the vehicle. Officer Marx then verified with the driver that the driver did not have a driver's license and explained to the driver that he had stopped the vehicle due to the plate coming back as expired. Officer Marx observed that the male was very fidgety and kept reaching over to the glovebox and taking papers, including the vehicle's manual, out of the glovebox. The male then gave Officer Marx another copy of the insurance for the vehicle. The male was later identified as Scott Peder Olson Jr., D.O.B. 11/25/1986. Officer Marx saw the name of Scott Olson on the insurance card but noted that the vehicle was registered to a different party out of Albert Lea. Officer Marx asked the male how long he had owned the vehicle and whom he had bought it from. Olson told Officer Marx that Olson had owned it for a few weeks or so and that he had bought it from a person in New Ulm. Officer Marx asked Olson where he was going, and Olson told Officer Marx he was going to Le Center. Officer Marx asked Olson if he were going to Le Center why he was going the way he was going and then turned back around onto the road where he was stopped. Olson told Officer Marx that Olson had seen Officer Marx coming up behind him and that he was hoping Officer Marx would not pull Olson over. During Officer Marx's initial contact with Olson, Officer Marx observed several items on the seat and floor area of the vehicle that Officer Marx knew to be drug paraphernalia. Officer Marx also observed Olson to be nervous, and Officer Marx could see that Olson's hands were shaking while holding the items and papers Olson was looking through.

Officer Marx returned to his patrol car to run more information through Dispatch. Upon getting into his patrol car, Officer Marx observed Olson lean all the way over towards the passenger seat and glove box area and then come back to the driver's seat as Olson continued to reach his right arm toward the passenger seat. Dispatch informed Officer Marx that the vehicle was registered to an individual out of Albert Lea and that the license plates were expired in December 2015. Dispatch confirmed that Olson's license was canceled.

Officer Marx returned to the vehicle and spoke to Olson and advised Olson that he could call for a ride. Officer Marx also asked Olson if Olson had any problems with Officer Marx searching the vehicle. Olson replied, 'No, there's nothing in here.' Officer Marx continued to wait with Olson as Olson thought about who he could call. While doing so, Officer Marx observed what appeared to be Ziploc baggies in the center of the seat under the armrest all bundled up. Officer Marx, based on training and experience, recognized these baggies as baggies that are used to package narcotics. Officer Marx noted that he could continue to smell a strong odor of air fresher or cologne coming from the vehicle. Officer Marx also observed that Olson now had a small amount of cash in his hands along with a key while Olson was scrolling through his phone contacts. Officer Marx asked Olson what he was doing in the Madison Lake area, and Olson said he was actually coming from Faribault and that he was lost. Olson made contact with someone on his phone. Officer Marx noted that on several occasions Olson talked very softly as though he did not want Officer

Marx to hear the conversation. Olson got off the phone and stated he had someone coming from Mankato.

Officer Marx had Olson exit the vehicle. Olson continued to provide information that did not appear to add up to Officer Marx about where Olson was coming from or going to. Officer Marx pat-searched Olson for weapons and had him sit in the backseat of Officer Marx's squad car while Officer Marx searched Olson's vehicle. Officer Marx observed several small Ziploc baggies bundled up in the vehicle. Officer Marx attempted to gain access to the glovebox which had been opened during his initial contact with Olson, but it was now closed and locked. Officer Marx observed a small key on the driver's seat and used it to open the box and search it. In the glove compartment, Officer Marx found two glass pipes clouded with a white residue in the rear of the glove box. The glass pipes were approximately 12 inches in length and had a bowl shape on one end, which was burnt. Officer Marx asked Olson about the pipes and what Olson used the pipes for. Olson stated, 'Meth.' Officer Marx had Olson exit to the backseat of his squad car and Officer Marx did a more thorough search incident to Olson's arrest. Upon the search of Olson's person, Officer Marx removed a small amount of cash from Olson's left pocket and a large amount of cash from Olson's right pocket. Officer Marx also removed a set of car keys from Olson's pocket that had a small metal container on it which contained a green leafy substance and residue inside that appeared consistent with marijuana. Officer Marx field-tested the two pipes and received a positive test for methamphetamine. Eagle Lake Officer Jensen arrived on scene and assisted Officer Marx with a search of the vehicle. Officer Jensen and Officer Marx located more small plastic Ziploc baggies in the front passenger compartment, a small square box underneath the passenger seat with a small Ziploc baggy with clear crystals inside it, and two small scales under the passenger's seat. One of the scales was disguised as a cigarette pack. Officers also located a pair of metal knuckles in a cup holder along with a suspected marijuana pipe. Officer Marx also collected a Samsung tablet, a Garmin GPS, and Olson's cellphone during the search.

Officer Marx later field-tested the crystal-like substance that was located in the baggie; it field tested positive for methamphetamine. A review of Olson's driving record confirms that his driving privileges are revoked. A review of Olson's criminal history reveals a November 21, 2013 Goodhue County conviction for Controlled Substance Crime in the Fifth Degree as set forth in court file number: 25-CR-11-3223.

SIGNATURES AND APPROVALS

Complainant requests that Defendant, subject to bail or conditions of release, be:
(1) arrested or that other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court; or
(2) detained, if already in custody, pending further proceedings; and that said Defendant otherwise be dealt with according to law.

Complainant declares under penalty of perjury that everything stated in this document is true and correct. Minn. Stat. § 358.116; Minn. R. Crim. P. 2.01, subds. 1, 2.

Complainant

Jeff Marx
Police Officer
525 Main St
Madison Lake, MN 56063
Badge: 4772

Electronically Signed:
03/14/2016 02:52 PM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

Being authorized to prosecute the offenses charged, I approve this complaint.

Prosecuting Attorney

Ryan S. Hansch
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
03/14/2016 02:07 PM

FINDING OF PROBABLE CAUSE

From the above sworn facts, and any supporting affidavits or supplemental sworn testimony, I, the Issuing Officer, have determined that probable cause exists to support, subject to bail or conditions of release where applicable, Defendant's arrest or other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court, or Defendant's detention, if already in custody, pending further proceedings. Defendant is therefore charged with the above-stated offense(s).

SUMMONS

THEREFORE YOU, THE DEFENDANT, ARE SUMMONED to appear on _____, _____ at _____ AM/PM before the above-named court at 401 Carver Rd, Mankato, MN 56002-0347 to answer this complaint.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR in response to this SUMMONS, a WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST shall be issued.

WARRANT

To the Sheriff of the above-named county; or other person authorized to execute this warrant: I order, in the name of the State of Minnesota, that the Defendant be apprehended and arrested without delay and brought promptly before the court (if in session), and if not, before a Judge or Judicial Officer of such court without unnecessary delay, and in any event not later than 36 hours after the arrest or as soon as such Judge or Judicial Officer is available to be dealt with according to law.

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ORDER OF DETENTION

Since the Defendant is already in custody, I order, subject to bail or conditions of release, that the Defendant continue to be detained pending further proceedings.

Bail: \$
Conditions of Release:

This complaint, duly subscribed and sworn to or signed under penalty of perjury, is issued by the undersigned Judicial Officer as of the following date: March 14, 2016.

Judicial Officer

Bradley C Walker
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 03/14/2016 03:20 PM

Sworn testimony has been given before the Judicial Officer by the following witnesses:

**COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

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vs.

SCOTT PEDER OLSON Jr

Defendant

*LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Order of
Detention upon the Defendant herein named.*

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: