

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.
Court File No.

BEC-16-1058-02
07-CR-16-2849

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MADLINE ELIZABETH SACHAU DOB: 05/29/1997

108 Hubbell Ave
Mankato, MN 56001

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Summons

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 - 2nd Degree - Sale 3 Grams or More - Cocaine/Heroin/Meth w/in 90-Day Period

Minnesota Statute: 152.022.1(1), with reference to: 152.022.3(a), 609.05.1

Maximum Sentence: 25 years and/or \$500,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/07/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16016839

Charge Description: Madeline Elizabeth Sachau

On or about June 7, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Madeline Elizabeth Sachau did, intentionally aid, advise, hire, counsel or conspire with or otherwise procure another to commit the crime; to wit: did, on one or more occasions within a 90 day period conspire to unlawfully sell one or more mixtures of a total weight of three grams or more containing cocaine, heroin or methamphetamine.

COUNT II

Charge: Drugs - 3rd Degree - Sale - Narcotic

Minnesota Statute: 152.023.1(1), with reference to: 152.023.3(a), 609.05.1

Maximum Sentence: 20 years and/or \$250,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/07/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16016839

Charge Description: Madeline Elizabeth Sachau

On or about June 7, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Madeline Elizabeth Sachau, did intentionally aid, advise, hire, counsel, or conspire with, or otherwise procure another to commit the crime,

and/or did personally commit said crime; to wit: did unlawfully sell one or more mixtures containing a narcotic drug.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On June 7, 2016, agents with the Minnesota River Valley Drug Task Force were in contact with a Confidential Informant, hereinafter CI. The CI advised that they were able to purchase cocaine from a target. Agents were able to identify the target as Louis Antonio Smith through prior contacts with Smith.

With the assistance of other task force agents' control and guidance, the CI set up a controlled buy of an 8-ball, (3.5 grams) of cocaine from Smith. The CI and Smith exchanged text messages and set the date for a predetermined meet location and time. The CI advised that the cost of the cocaine would be \$300.00.

Prior to the controlled purchase, the CI was fitted with an audio-recording device and provided with \$300.00 of pre-recorded buy-fund money. Agents and the CI arrived at the predetermined meeting location in Blue Earth County. A short time later, the CI received a text message from Smith advising that he was arriving.

Smith was a passenger in a white Toyota 4-Runner, which was being driven by an unknown White female. This is a known vehicle of Smith's as he has been observed prior driving this vehicle and has been stopped in this vehicle by Mankato Department of Public Safety for equipment violations.

The CI provided Smith with the pre-recorded buy-fund money. In return, Smith provided the CI with a gem-style bag with a white powdery substance. The white powdery substance was weighed on a noncertified scale at 4.0 grams and field-tested positive for cocaine.

Agents were later able to identify the female that had driven Smith to the controlled purchase as Madeline Elizabeth Sachau through investigative measures, which included house police record systems and a driver's license photo. The registered owner of the vehicle is a family member of Sachau. Sachau is also in a relationship with Smith and the two have a child in common.

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

Deborah McDermott
Detective Commander
710 S Front St
Mankato, MN 56001-3803
Badge: 3143

Electronically Signed:
07/15/2016 12:15 PM
Blue Earth County, mn

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Stefanie Menning
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
07/14/2016 02:19 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 **August 11, 2016 at 8:15 AM** 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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Execute in Border States

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: July 15, 2016.

Judicial Officer Krista J Jass
Judge of District Court

Electronically Signed: 07/15/2016 01:02 PM

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

**COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

Plaintiff

vs.

MADLINE ELIZABETH SACHAU

Defendant

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

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: