

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.
Court File No.

BEC-16-0839
07-CR-16-2087

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ABDINASIR MOHAMED ADEN DOB: 01/01/1992

401 Carver Road (B E CO. Jail)
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: Threats of Violence-Reckless Disregard Risk

Minnesota Statute: 609.713.1

Maximum Sentence: 5 years and/or \$10,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 05/14/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16006459

Charge Description: Abdinasir Mohamed Aden Also Known As Abdinasir Mohamed Aden

On or about May 14, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Abdinasir Mohamed Aden, did threaten, directly or indirectly, to commit any crime of violence with purpose to terrorize another or to cause evacuation of a building, place of assembly, vehicle or facility of public transportation or otherwise to cause serious public inconvenience, or in a reckless disregard of the risk of causing such terror or inconvenience.

COUNT II

Charge: Damage to Prop-1st Deg-Value Reduced Over \$1000

Minnesota Statute: 609.595.1(3)

Maximum Sentence: 5 years and/or \$10,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 05/14/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16006459

Charge Description: Abdinasir Mohamed Aden Also Known As Abdinasir Mohamed Aden

On or about May 14, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Abdinasir Mohamed Aden did

intentionally cause damage to another person's physical property without the other person's consent, and the damage reduced the value of the property by more than \$1,000.00, as measured by the cost of repair and replacement.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

Lieutenant Paul Barta, a licensed peace officer in the State of Minnesota currently employed by the Blue Earth County Sheriff's Office, reports that on May 14, 2016, at approximately 9:19 a.m., dispatch radioed all cars that Blue Earth County jail staff was requesting assistance with an uncooperative inmate. Barta reports he was at the Justice Center, located in the City of Mankato, and arrived at the jail a few minutes after the call came out. Barta was directed to the segregation or "Charlie" housing unit by staff upon his arrival.

Barta reports he then observed a black male, identified as Abdinasir Aden, hitting the window and walls of the hallway/shower area outside of the cell with a black, pipe-type object. Barta observed that Aden was actually breaking chunks of the wall apart in the header area of the shower stall and leaving indentation marks on the window. Additionally, Barta notes that the concrete floor leading into the hallway where Aden was standing was covered in water.

Jail staff then confirmed that Aden was confined to the area of his cell and the small hallway leading to the shower. Barta was also told that no additional inmates were in immediate danger because the rest of the unit was on lockdown.

Jail staff then identified the pipe-type object Aden was holding as the metal handle from a mop bucket. Barta observed as Aden continued to smash the metal handle against the window and walls and yelled in the direction of Barta and jail staff.

Jail staff then provided Barta a brief history of Aden, including his ability to create cutting weapons and previous statements that Aden had made regarding his hatred of America. Jail staff further stated that Aden had threatened to kill custody officers prior to Barta's arrival.

Barta then determined that no innocent lives were in danger at that time, and the decision was made to allow Aden to continue expending energy while force options were fully considered.

Barta reports while waiting for additional equipment, he walked to the doorway leading to where Aden was standing and began conversing with him. Aden mentioned religion and asked several questions, including Barta's opinion regarding the difference between Christianity and the Muslim faith. After several minutes of discussion, Aden allowed Barta to handcuff him through the port in the door so that he could provide a recorded statement to Barta in private.

Barta reports Aden detailed a litany of problems with the jail and other inmates, among other issues.

Barta reports that Deputy Phillips took photographs of the damage Aden created while Barta was speaking with Aden. Barta reports, after speaking with Aden, he was returned to his cell.

Additional investigation by Barta determined that Aden damaged a total of four windows. The value of the damaged windows and mop bucket, along with the repair to the shower area and cell is expected to exceed \$1,000.00.

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

Richard Murry
Captain
401 Carver Rd
Mankato, MN 56002-0228
Badge: 2708

Electronically Signed:
05/19/2016 02:07 PM
Blue Earth County, MN

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

Prosecuting Attorney

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

Electronically Signed:
05/19/2016 12:29 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 **June 16, 2016 at 2:30 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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Execute Nationwide

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: May 19, 2016.

Judicial Officer Richard C. Perkins
Judge of District Court

Electronically Signed: 05/19/2016 04:26 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.

ABDINASIR MOHAMED ADEN

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: