

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.
Court File No.

BEC-16-0838
07-CR-16-2537

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Summons

vs.

RANDY LEE STARKSON DOB: 11/13/1960

P O BOX 27
Dodge Center, MN 55927

Defendant.

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: Giving Peace Officer False Name-of Another Person

Minnesota Statute: 609.506.2

Maximum Sentence: 1 year and/or \$3,000

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000622

Charge Description: Randy Lee Starkson

On or about May 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Randy Lee Starkson did, with intent to obstruct justice, give the name and date of birth of another person to a peace officer when that officer makes inquiries incident to a lawful investigatory stop or lawful arrest, or inquiries incident to executing any other duty imposed by law.

COUNT II

Charge: Drivers' Licenses - Use False Name/DOB To Identify Self to Police

Minnesota Statute: 171.22.1(8)

Maximum Sentence: 1 year and/or \$3,000

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000622

Charge Description: Randy Lee Starkson

On or about May 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Randy Lee Starkson, did, use the name and date of birth of another person to any police officer for the purpose of falsely identifying oneself

to the police officer.

COUNT III

Charge: Traffic-Drivers License-Driving After Revocation

Minnesota Statute: 171.24.2

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

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/13/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16000622

Charge Description: Randy Lee Starkson

On or about May 13, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Randy Lee Starkson did after being given notice, or reasonably should have known of the revocation, 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in this state any motor vehicle, the operation of which requires a driver's license, while her/his license or privilege was revoked.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On May 13, 2016, at about 9:03 p.m., Officer Hagen was patrolling on Highway 22 in Mapleton, Blue Earth County. He observed a vehicle ahead of him with an item suspended from the rearview mirror and ran the license plate. The registered owner's driving privileges came back as expired. The officer pulled the vehicle over and spoke with the driver, who stated he did not have his driver's license on him and identified himself as A.E.S. with a date of birth. Officer Hagen ran A.E.S.'s driving record and found that A.E.S.'s driving privileges required an interlock device in the vehicle. He asked the driver why the vehicle he was driving did not have the interlock device in it, and the driver responded that he shouldn't have been driving. Chief Honsey assisted in the traffic stop and viewed the driver's license photograph of A.E.S. It did not match the driver in the vehicle stopped by Officer Hagen. Chief Honsey found another driver with the same last name and ran his driving record. He was Randy Lee Starkson, the Defendant, and his driving privileges were revoked. Chief Honsey pulled up the driver's license photograph of the Defendant, and it was the driver of the vehicle Officer Hagen stopped. Officer Hagen asked the Defendant why he gave the false name and date of birth to the officer. The Defendant initially denied that he did, then eventually admitted providing the false name because he was trying to get his driving privileges back.

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

Andrew Hagen
Patrol Officer
104 2nd Ave NE
PO Box 342
Mapleton, MN 56065
Badge: 4873

Electronically Signed:
06/21/2016 04:12 PM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Linda B. Hilligoss
Assistant Blue Earth County
Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
06/21/2016 11:09 AM

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 **July 21, 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 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: June 22, 2016.

Judicial Officer

Richard C. Perkins
Judge of District Court

Electronically Signed: 06/22/2016 08:42 AM

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.

RANDY LEE STARKSON

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: