

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

District Court
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 17A10589
Court File No. 27-CR-17-22909

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ADRIAN MICHAEL WESLEY DOB: 03/15/1991

7720 Upton Ave S
Richfield, MN 55423

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Warrant

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: Assault-4th Deg-Correctional Employee; Prob. Officer; Prosecutor; Judge -Demonstrable Bodily Harm

Minnesota Statute: 609.2231.3(1), with reference to: 609.101.2, 609.2231.3

Maximum Sentence: 2 YEARS AND/OR \$4,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 07/14/2017

Control #(ICR#): 17008780

Charge Description: That on or about 7/14/2017, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, ADRIAN MICHAEL WESLEY assaulted Victim A, a correctional facility employee, while that employee was executing a duty imposed by law, policy or rule, and inflicted demonstrable bodily harm upon him.

Complainant has investigated the facts and circumstances of this offense and believes the following establishes probable cause:

On July 14, 2017, Hennepin County Sheriff's Deputies were attempting to escort an inmate, ADRIAN MICHAEL WESLEY, dob 3/15/1991, the defendant herein, back to his cell at the adult detention facility if the City of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota. The defendant is hearing impaired and was using the jail-issued cell phone to text the girlfriends of other hearing impaired inmates.

A Sergeant communicated to the defendant in sign language that the defendant needed to return to his cell. The defendant refused to return to his cell. The defendant threw a food cart at jail staff, punched and kicked jail staff, and physically resisted being handcuffed and transported. The defendant struck one of the deputies attempting to restrain and transport him, hereinafter Victim A, in the face. As a result of the assault, Victim A suffered a bleeding abrasion to his left eye.

The defendant is in custody on an unrelated matter. Because it reasonably appears that the defendant will fail to respond to a summons, the State respectfully requests that a warrant issue with this complaint.

MINNESOTA
JUDICIAL
BRANCH

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

Thomas Sonenstahl
Detective
350 S 5th St
Minneapolis, MN 55415
Badge: 356

Electronically Signed:
09/12/2017 11:19 AM
Hennepin County, MN

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Sarah Hilleren
300 S 6th St
Minneapolis, MN 55487
(612) 348-5550

Electronically Signed:
09/08/2017 02:13 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 300 S Sixth Street, Minneapolis, MN 55487 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.

☐ **Execute in MN Only**
☒ **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: \$20,000.00

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: September 12, 2017.

Judicial Officer

Ivy S. Bernhardson
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 09/12/2017 11:22 AM

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

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STATE OF MINNESOTA**

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Defendant

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

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: