

State of Minnesota  
County of Hennepin

District Court  
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 21A13434  
Court File No. 27-CR-22-4087

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

**GORDON EUGENE SHARP JR DOB: 05/13/1988**

2701 Douglas Ave N  
Crystal, MN 55422

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: Burglary-3rd Deg-Steal/Commit Felony or Gross Misd**

Minnesota Statute: 609.582.3, with reference to: 609.582.3

Maximum Sentence: 5 YEARS AND/OR \$10,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 12/09/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21282017

Charge Description: That on or about 12/9/2021, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, Gordon Eugene Sharp Jr, either directly or as an accomplice, entered a building without consent and with intent to steal or commit any felony or gross misdemeanor while in the building, or entered a building without consent and stole or committed a felony or gross misdemeanor while in the building.

**STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE**

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

On or about December 9, 2021, Minneapolis Police was dispatched to a Target store situated on Lake Street in Minneapolis, Hennepin County. Upon arrival, law enforcement conversed with a loss prevention employee. Loss prevention specified a known shoplifter who was previously trespassed pushed a cart with approximately 13 containers of liquid detergent out of the store.

The known shoplifter made no attempts to pay for the items before exiting the store. The known shoplifter was later identified as GORDON EUGENE SHARP, DOB: 5/13/1988, Defendant herein. Loss prevention attempted to take control of the cart, but Defendant pushed one of the loss prevention employees out of the way. Defendant was given a written trespass notice on August 19, 2021.

Defendant is currently in custody.

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**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**

Scott D Downing  
Police Sergeant  
350 S 5th St  
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389  
Badge: 1596

Electronically Signed:  
03/04/2022 07:35 AM  
Hennepin County, Minnesota

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

Warsame Galaydh  
300 S 6th St  
Minneapolis, MN 55487  
(612) 348-5550

Electronically Signed:  
03/03/2022 10:28 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 as directed in the Notice of Hearing before the above-named court 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: \$2,000.00

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: March 4, 2022.

**Judicial Officer**

Thomas J Conley  
Judge

Electronically Signed: 03/04/2022 08:14 AM

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

**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN  
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**State of Minnesota**

Plaintiff

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**Gordon Eugene Sharp Jr**

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:

**DEFENDANT FACT SHEET**

**Name:** Gordon Eugene Sharp Jr  
**DOB:** 05/13/1988  
**Address:** 2701 Douglas Ave N  
Crystal, MN 55422

**Alias Names/DOB:**

**SID:**

**Height:**

**Weight:**

**Eye Color:**

**Hair Color:**

**Gender:**

**Race:**

**Fingerprints Required per Statute:**

**Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record:**

**Driver's License #:**

**SILS Person ID #:**

**SILS Tracking No.**

**Alcohol Concentration:**

MALE

Asian

Yes

No

857624

3258501

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**STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID**

<b>Cnt Nbr</b>	<b>Statute Type</b>	<b>Offense Date(s)</b>	<b>Statute Nbrs and Descriptions</b>	<b>Offense Level</b>	<b>MOC</b>	<b>GOC</b>	<b>Controlling Agencies</b>	<b>Case Numbers</b>
1	Charge	12/9/2021	609.582.3 Burglary-3rd Deg-Steal/Commit Felony or Gross Misd	Felony	B3694		MN0271100	21282017
	Penalty	12/9/2021	609.582.3 Burglary-3rd Deg-Steal/Commit Felony or Gross Misd	Felony	B3694		MN0271100	21282017



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