

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

District Court
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 21A11999
Court File No. 27-CR-21-21355

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

GORDON EUGENE SHARP JR DOB: 05/13/1988

3023 Pillsbury Ave
Minneapolis, MN 55408

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Order of Detention

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): 11/16/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21264282

Charge Description: That on or about 11/16/2021, 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 November 16, 2021, officers responded to a theft in progress at Target located at 1300 W Lake St., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. The suspect was known to Loss Prevention employees as GORDON EUGENE SHARP JR. (DOB: 5/13/1988), Defendant herein, and a physical description and direction of travel were provided to responding officers.

Upon arrival, officers located the Defendant pushing a Target shopping cart full of merchandise and wearing the clothing described. The Defendant was detained, and A.A., a Target Loss Prevention employee, positively identified the Defendant as the shoplifter. The Defendant was taken into custody and found to have active warrants. The total loss from this incident was \$257.61.

Loss Prevention reported the Defendant had been previously trespassed from Target in August 2021. Officers received the Trespass Notice that had been given to the Defendant on August 18, 2021.

Loss Prevention further reported that the Defendant had also been in Target earlier on the same day and took ties, as well as having committed other thefts earlier in the week. Target identified the Defendant as having stolen merchandise from the store on November 11th, 15th, and twice on the 16th. The total loss is estimated at approximately \$20,000.

Surveillance was obtained which corroborated the information provided by Target Loss Prevention.

The Defendant is currently in custody and is pending three other felony matters in Hennepin County, where he is in violation of the terms of his conditional release.

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

Kara Parker
sgt.
350 S 5th St
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389
Badge: 5451

Electronically Signed:
11/18/2021 09:00 AM
hennepin County, minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Sophia Vogt
300 S 6th St
Minneapolis, MN 55487
(612) 348-5550

Electronically Signed:
11/18/2021 08:50 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: \$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: November 18, 2021.

Judicial Officer

Luis Bartolomei
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 11/18/2021 09:09 AM

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

**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

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

Signature of Authorized Service Agent:

DEFENDANT FACT SHEET

Name: Gordon Eugene Sharp Jr
DOB: 05/13/1988
Address: 3023 Pillsbury Ave
Minneapolis, MN 55408

Alias Names/DOB: GORDON EUGENE SHARP DOB: 5/13/1988
SID: MN09CQ6902
Height:
Weight:
Eye Color:
Hair Color:
Gender: MALE
Race: Asian
Fingerprints Required per Statute: Yes
Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record: Yes
Driver's License #:
SILS Person ID #: 857624
SILS Tracking No. 3253220
Alcohol Concentration:

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STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID

Cnt Nbr	Statute Type	Offense Date(s)	Statute Nbrs and Descriptions	Offense Level	MOC	GOC	Controlling Agencies	Case Numbers
1	Charge	11/16/2021	609.582.3 Burglary-3rd Deg-Steal/Commit Felony or Gross Misd	Felony	B3634		MN0271100	21264282
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