

**State of Minnesota,**

Plaintiff,

vs.

**ROBERT MICHAEL SIEGFRIED DOB: 09/15/1977**

8523 S POND TRL  
Champlin, MN 55316

Defendant.

**COMPLAINT**

Warrant

Amended

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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: Murder -1st Degree - Premeditated**

Minnesota Statute: 609.185(a)(1), with reference to: 609.17.4(1), 609.106.2(1), 609.185

Maximum Sentence: 20 YEARS

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/01/2014

Control #(ICR#): 14007998

Charge Description: That on or about September 1, 2014, in Champlin, Hennepin County, Minnesota, ROBERT MICHAEL SIEGFRIED, attempted to cause the death of a human being, with premeditation and with intent to effect the death of that person, or another.

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

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

On September 1, 2014, Champlin police were dispatched to 8523 South Pond Trail, Champlin, Hennepin County, Minnesota, in response to a report of a stabbing. Upon arrival, officers found the front door locked, requiring them to enter by force. Inside, they found a large puddle of blood in the entryway. In a bedroom, officers found an adult male, ROBERT MICHAEL SIEGFRIED, Defendant herein, having hanged himself in a bedroom. Officers released him and ordered emergency medical treatment.

Meanwhile, a neighbor approached to report that a woman was nearby and had been stabbed several times, including in her neck. The woman, Victim herein, had been able to tell the neighbors and later officers that she had been stabbed by Defendant. Victim was rushed to a hospital and was treated for what was later determined to be five or six stab wounds to the neck and two or three in her chest. One of the chest wounds injured the lungs and was determined to be life threatening, according to medical personnel.

Victim was able to report that she had arrived at the subject residence, Defendant's home, in response to a text message from him to pick up their joint children. When she arrived, he opened the door and stabbed her repeatedly. He closed the door behind her and, when acted as if she was unconscious, whispered: "It's almost over now."

Defendant then left her and she stumbled outside to attempt to get to her car to use her cell phone.

Defendant is hospitalized.

When officers were searching the house, they observed a computer with blood on the keyboard and mouse. The substance of an email located in plain view on Defendant's computer was that Victim was dead and that he (Defendant) also was dead, indicating that this act had been premeditated. Your Complaint has also learned that Defendant admitted himself to the hospital around the beginning of this year and was on the psych ward for more than a week because he had a strong desire to kill Victim. New information regarding the Defendant's risk to himself and others makes high bail necessary. Therefore the State requests bail in the amount of \$1,000,000.00.

**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**

Brian Wentworth  
Police Officer  
11955 Champlin Drive  
Champlin, MN 55316  
Badge: 126

Electronically Signed:  
09/04/2014 02:09 PM

Subscribed and

**Notary Public (**  
**Judicial Officer**

Being authorize

**Prosecuting At**



