
State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Warrant

vs.

PATRICK HENRY KELLY DOB: 03/14/1959

13109 Murdock Terrace
Eden Prairie, MN 55347

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: Stalking - Pattern of Stalking Conduct

Minnesota Statute: 609.749.5(a), with reference to: 609.749.5(a)

Maximum Sentence: 10 YEARS AND/OR \$20,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 08/12/2014

Control #(ICR#): 14283368

Charge Description: That on or between August 12, 2014 and October 21, 2014, in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota, PATRICK HENRY KELLY engaged in a pattern of stalking conduct with respect to M.L. and/or members of the victim's household in a manner that would cause a reasonable person under the circumstances to feel terrorized or to fear bodily harm and that did cause this reaction on the part of M.L.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

Complainant, a peace officer with the Minneapolis Police Department, has investigated the facts and circumstances of this offense and believes the following establishes probable cause:

On July 21, 2014, a Harassment Restraining Order was issued out of Ramsey County requiring that Defendant PATRICK HENRY KELLY have no direct or indirect contact with Victim M.L. The Order is effective until July 17, 2016. Defendant knows of the Order because he was personally served with a copy of the Order on July 28, 2014. The Order specifically prohibits Defendant "from being within two city blocks or ¼ mile in all directions, whichever distance is greater" of M.L.'s home.

On August 12, 2014, at approximately 10:46 a.m., Minneapolis police responded to a 911 call regarding a violation of a restraining order at M.L.'s home, located in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. M.L. reported that a plastic bag containing a handwritten letter from Defendant was placed in the center of her back door step, within her fenced backyard. The letter was addressed to M.L. and she immediately recognized the handwriting as Defendant's. M.L. also found a gift bag on her front stoop containing a sealed envelope, a candle, and a bottle of wine. M.L. recognized the handwriting on the envelope as Defendant's handwriting.

On August 19, 2014, at approximately 9:33 a.m., and again on August 22, 2014, at approximately 10:15 a.m., Minneapolis police responded to 911 calls regarding further violations of the restraining order. On each date, M.L. reported finding a letter in a plastic bag in her backyard. The handwritten letters were addressed to M.L. and she identified the handwriting as Defendant's.

On August 21, 2014, at approximately 7:07 p.m., Minneapolis police again responded to a 911 call regarding a violation of the restraining order. M.L. reported that a bouquet of flowers with a card were left on her front step. The card was addressed to M.L. and she identified the handwriting as Defendant's.

On October 21, 2014, at approximately 4:00 p.m., Minneapolis police responded to a 911 call regarding another violation of the restraining order. M.L. reported that she received a handwritten card in the mail from Defendant. M.L. identified the handwriting as Defendant's. The card stated "I wake up thinking of you and repeat before bed. This feeling is so real to me! Just can't ignore it anymore..."

M.L. is a public figure. She has been receiving unwanted letters, cards, gifts, phone calls, voicemails, and emails on a regular basis from Defendant since February 2014. Prior to February 2014, M.L. did not know Defendant. Defendant initially contacted M.L. at her workplace. The contacts from Defendant quickly increased and contained what M.L. described as "inappropriate intimacy." Many of the handwritten letters were signed by Defendant and he wrote his home address on at least one of the envelopes. Defendant identified himself as "Patrick" in the voicemail messages left for M.L.

In June 2014, M.L.'s employer sent Defendant a letter instructing him to stop contacting M.L. and informing him that company policy prohibits employees from receiving gifts. Defendant responded via email that he intended "to adhere to [the policy] moving forward" and signed the email "Patrick Kelly." The contact at M.L.'s workplace stopped, but then Defendant began sending emails to M.L.'s personal email address. On July 17, 2014, M.L. began receiving voicemails from Defendant on her personal cell phone. M.L. does not know how Defendant got her personal email address and cell phone number. On July 18, 2014, M.L. filed for a Harassment Restraining Order against Defendant, which was granted.

On July 22, 2014, at approximately 7:45 p.m., after the Order was issued but before it had been personally served, Minneapolis police responded to a 911 call at M.L.'s home. Defendant rang M.L.'s doorbell for five minutes, and was carrying a bouquet of flowers. M.L. was home and could see Defendant through the window. She called 911 and reported that her stalker was at her door. Defendant left before officers

arrived. M.L. later positively identified Defendant in a photo lineup. Defendant's driver's license information matches the photo identified by M.L., as well as the name, address, and handwriting contained in the contacts with M.L.

M.L. has been terrorized by Defendant's escalating behavior. The repeated contact from Defendant causes her to feel unsafe at her home, has caused physical symptoms such as weight loss, and has made it difficult for her to concentrate and perform her job.

Defendant is not in custody. The arrest of Defendant is necessary to prevent further imminent harm to M.L. It is requested that the Court issue a warrant for Defendant's arrest and require that he have no contact with M.L., her residence or her workplace.

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

Darcy Horn
Police Sergeant
350 S 5th St
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389
Badge: 4265

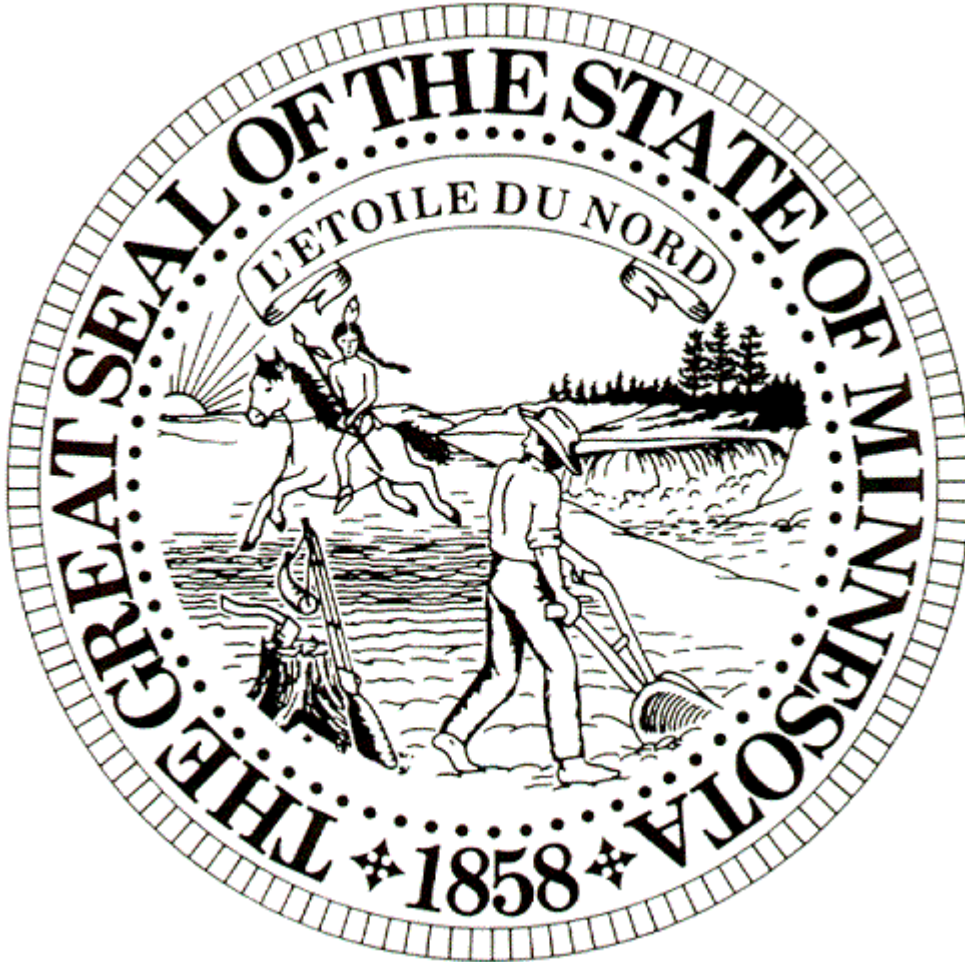
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10/23/2014 09:48 AM

Subscribed and

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Judicial Officer

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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 401 Fourth Avenue S, Minneapolis, MN 55415 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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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: \$100,000.00

Conditions of Release: No Contact with Victim; No Contact with Address

This complaint is issued by the undersigned Judge as of the following date: October 23, 2014.

Judicial Officer

Thomas M. Sipkins
judge

Electronically Signed: 10/23/2014 10:18 AM

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

<p>COUNTY OF HENNEPIN STATE OF MINNESOTA</p> <p>State of Minnesota Plaintiff</p> <p>vs.</p> <p>PATRICK HENRY KELLY Defendant</p>	<p><i>Clerk's Signature or File Stamp:</i></p> <p>RETURN OF SERVICE <i>I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Warrant upon the Defendant herein named.</i></p> <p>Signature of Authorized Service Agent:</p>
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