

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

District Court
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.
Court File No.

15A51338
27-CR-16-9794

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Warrant

vs.

DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT DOB: 09/30/1991

5800 42nd Ave N
Apt 203
Robbinsdale, MN 55422

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: Possess Ammo/Any Firearm - Conviction or Adjudicated Delinquent for Crime of Violence

Minnesota Statute: 624.713.1(2), with reference to: 609.11.5(b), 624.713.2(b), 609.11.9

Maximum Sentence: 15 YEARS AND/OR \$30,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 12/06/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15444322

Charge Description: That on or about 12/6/2015, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT possessed a .40 caliber Glock firearm and DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT has been convicted or adjudicated delinquent in this state or elsewhere of a crime of violence, Simple Robbery on April 28, 2009, and Prohibited Person in Possession of a Firearm on March 11, 2009 and January 28, 2011, for which the sentence or court supervision expired on or after August 1, 1993.

Minimum Sentence: 5 YEARS

COUNT II

Charge: Possess Ammo/Any Firearm - Conviction or Adjudicated Delinquent for Crime of Violence

Minnesota Statute: 624.713.1(2), with reference to: 609.11.5(b), 624.713.2(b), 609.11.9

Maximum Sentence: 15 YEARS AND/OR \$30,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 12/06/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15444322

Charge Description: That on or about 12/6/2015, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT possessed a .45 caliber Ruger firearm and DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT has

been convicted or adjudicated delinquent in this state or elsewhere of a crime of violence, Simple Robbery on April 28, 2009, and Prohibited Person in Possession of a Firearm on March 11, 2009 and January 28, 2011, for which the sentence or court supervision expired on or after August 1, 1993.

Minimum Sentence: 5 YEARS

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

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

On December 6, 2015, at 2:53 AM, multiple officers located in downtown Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota responded to the sound of approximately thirty gunshots in the vicinity of the intersection of 3rd St. and 2nd Ave N, Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. As officers approached the sound of the gunfire, officers observed two males on the ground, huddled over a third male who was lying on the ground and suffering from an acute gunshot wound to the torso. The males screamed and pointed at a maroon Dodge Neon and hollered, "Get them! They are right there!" Officers observed the vehicle turn right from 3rd Street onto Second Avenue. Officers immediately pursued that vehicle and caught up to the vehicle in several seconds. At that time, the vehicle abruptly stopped, and a passenger quickly exited the vehicle from the passenger side of the vehicle in a clear attempt to flee on foot. Officers soon stopped the passenger, held him at gunpoint, and ordered him to the ground. The male was identified as DONQUARIOUS RAYMONT GRANT, the Defendant in this case.

Officers soon observed that Defendant had an empty gun holster secured to the front waistline of his pants. Officers suspected that Defendant may have dropped a gun out of the vehicle prior to exiting and quickly searched the area near where the vehicle stopped. Officers immediately located a Glock .40 caliber pistol with an extended magazine lying in the street near the rear passenger-side tire of the Dodge Neon. Officers collected the firearm for the purposes of forensic testing. Officers also later confirmed that the recovered pistol fit inside the gun holster on Defendant's person.

Officers arrested Defendant and two other occupants of the Dodge Neon. Officers also spoke to the individuals located on 3rd St. and secured medical assistance to the injured person.

Officers were soon notified of a black Cadillac sedan traveling westbound away from downtown Minneapolis with significant damage consistent with having been in a recent shootout. Officers located and stopped this vehicle. Officers observed two individuals in this vehicle and observed in plain view at least one firearm in the vehicle. Officers arrested the two individuals and impounded the vehicle. Officers later found two firearms near the center console of the vehicle and recovered them for the purposes of forensic testing. The firearms were a .40 caliber semiautomatic Ruger and a .45 caliber semiautomatic Ruger.

The driver of the sedan admitted that he was a close friend of Defendant. In subsequent conversations, the driver admitted that he had been with Defendant and the other arrested parties immediately before the shooting; that they got in a verbal dispute with "some guy" downtown; and that this "guy" began shooting at them. The driver admitted that at least one individual from his group returned fire at the guy; that they all then fled from the scene, and that they all then were arrested.

Officers collected additional evidence at the scene of the shooting and determined that the incident involved at least two rival groups and multiple firearms. Bullet holes, fired bullets, and over 30 Discharged Cartridge Casings (DCCs) were documented and/or recovered from the scene.

Known DNA samples were taken from all five arrested parties and two of the individuals who had been encountered on 3rd Street. Forensic scientists also processed each recovered firearm for the purposes of determining whether there was any DNA left on any of the firearms which could be compared to the arrested parties.

Testing revealed that there was a mixture of multiple individuals' DNA on the .40 caliber Glock firearm

which had been recovered near the Dodge Neon. A DNA profile of that mixture was developed and compared to the seven known parties' DNA profiles. Testing revealed that Defendant cannot be excluded as being a contributor to the DNA profile found on this gun, but the DNA profiles of the other six parties are excluded from being contributors.

Testing revealed that there was a mixture of multiple individuals' DNA on the trigger of the .45 caliber Ruger firearm located in the Cadillac DeVille. An analysis of that DNA profile revealed the presence of a major male profile. That profile was compared to the seven known parties' DNA profiles. The DNA profile from the trigger was a match for Defendant's DNA profile, and all other parties are excluded from being contributors to the DNA profile on the Ruger's trigger.

Officers determined that, as a result of his significant criminal history, Defendant is prohibited from possessing firearms. Court records reveal that, on April 28, 2009, in case #27-JV-09-1650, Defendant was adjudicated guilty of Simple Robbery. Then, on March 11, 2009, in case #27-JV-09-10980, Defendant was adjudicated of Prohibited Person in Possession of a Firearm. On January 28, 2011, in case #27-CR-11-2603, Defendant was convicted of Prohibited Person in Possession of a Firearm.

Investigation into the circumstances surrounding the shooting is ongoing.

A warrant is necessary because Defendant is a danger to public safety.

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

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Police Sergeant
350 S 5th St

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Hennepin County, Minnesota

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