

ARRAIGNMENT REPORT AND AFFIDAVIT

Warrantless Arrest

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF Middletown

The undersigned, an officer of the Middletown Police Department having been duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the information contained therein was secured as a result of: (1) my personal observation and knowledge; or, (2) information relayed to me by other members of my police department or of another organized police department; or, (3) information secured by myself or another member of an organized police department from the person or persons named or identified therein, as indicated in this attached report. That this report is an accurate statement of the information so received by me.

CASE/INCIDENT NO 2100014533	ARREST DATE 04/08/2021	ARREST TIME 06:32	PLACE OF ARREST Middletown
ACCUSED (Last, First, MI) Polumbo, Milla-Rose Prima	DOB	PREVIOUS RECORD	
ADDRESS 911 Saybrook RD Middletown, CT 06457			

Charges

1: 53a-32 (VIOLATION OF PROBATION)	2: 53a-61 (ASSAULT 3RD DEG)
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On 4/8/2021 at approximately 0523 hours, I (Ofc Thomas) were dispatched to the front lobby of Middletown headquarters to serve/process walk-in warrant.

Upon arrival, the female identified herself as Milla Polumbo D.O. . I verified that the warrant was active for 53a-61 Assault 3 and 53a-32 Violation of Probation. Dispatched canceled the warrant I was served and canceled.

Milla is scheduled for court on 4/8/2021 at GA-9 at 0900 hours.

This report is signed under penalties provided by state law

Signed: /OFC. PHILIP THOMAS/

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Lieutenant in the Middletown Police Department

in the State of Connecticut this 8 day of April 2021

Signed /LT. SCOTT J ARESKO/

Auth: C.G.S.A. 1-24

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CASE/INCIDENT NO 2100014316	ARREST DATE 04/07/2021	ARREST TIME 10:00	PLACE OF ARREST Middletown
ACCUSED (Last, First, MI) Brantley, Amber Rose	DOB	PREVIOUS RECORD	
ADDRESS 19 BURGUNDY HILL LN MIDDLETOWN, CT 06457			

Charges

1: 53a-32 (VIOLATION OF PROBATION)

On 04/07/2021 at 1000 hours Amber Brantley came into Police Headquarters to turn herself in on a Violation of Probation warrant. Brantley was processed on the warrant (original MPD case number 15-25748). Brantley had a court set/cash bond of \$10,000.00. Watson Bail Bonds posted Brantley's bond. Brantley was given a court date of 07/07/2021 at 0900 hours. Brantley was released at 1115 hours. The warrant was cancelled in the system. Nothing further at this time.

This report is signed under penalties provided by state law

Signed: **/OFC. KRISTEN G TYRSECK/**

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Sergeant in the Middletown Police Department

in the State of Connecticut this 7 day of April 2021

Signed **/SGT. NICHOLAS D BABOOLAL/** Auth: C.G.S.A. 1-24

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CASE/INCIDENT NO 2100012780	ARREST DATE 03/29/2021	ARREST TIME 23:00	PLACE OF ARREST Middletown
ACCUSED (Last, First, MI) Sifuentes, Johnathan Elvis	DOB	PREVIOUS RECORD	
ADDRESS 163 Cynthia Ln C2 Middletown, CT 06457			

Charges

1: 21a-267(a) (USE OF DRUG PARA EXCPT<1/2 OZ)	2: 21a-267(c) (NON-STDNT POS DRG PARA NR SCHL)
3: 21a-277(b) (SALE OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE)	4: 21a-278a(b) (CNT SUB WI 1500 SCH/HSG/DY CR)
5: 21a-279(a)(1) (POS CON SUBST OR>1/2 OZ CANNIBIS)	6: 21a-279(b) (NONSTDNT-DRGS NR SCH/HSG/DY CR)

On 03/29/2021, I (Officer Van Almkerk) was stationary in area of 117 E Main Street, Patriot Discount Oil. At approximately 2231 HRS, I observed a blue 2007 Infiniti G35 traveling south on East Main Street at a high rate of speed. The vehicle did not have a front registration plate displayed in a conspicuous place. This is a violation of Connecticut General Statue (CGS) 14-18(a) Fail to Display Registration Plate in Front. When the vehicle was passing my location, I was unable to see the operator, or possible occupants within the vehicle because of the dark window tinting. This is a violation of CGS 14-99g(b) Obstructed View. However, I was able to see the rear CT registration plate, as the vehicle passed my location.

It should be noted, where I initially observed the vehicle was within 1500 feet (1,449.82 feet) of Maplewood Terrace public housing project. See attached Google Maps printout

I attempted to leave my location and initiate a motor vehicle stop, but because of the vehicle's rate of speed, and other vehicles traveling south on East Main Street, I was unable. When I could safely leave my location, the vehicle was out of sight. I began canvass the immediate area, and located it behind 272 East Main Street, Big Cheese Pizza. The vehicle was backed into a concealed spot between to two other vehicles, with the headlights off.

I approached the driver side of the vehicle and made contact with the operator, , and front seat passenger, later identified as Johnathan Siguentes. I asked from driver's license, the

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vehicle's registration, and proof of insurance. While speaking to Johnathan and _____, I could see their hands trembling. When _____ was retrieving the requested documents, I observed Johnathan's chest rapidly rise and fall, indicating he was rapidly breathing, as he stared straight ahead avoiding all eye contact. _____ was unable to produce a CT driver's license, and when he began to explain why, his voice began to uncontrollably crack.

When Officer Zadjura arrived on scene, I requested _____ step out of the vehicle so I could interview him away from Johnathan. I asked _____ if there was anything illegal in the vehicle, and he immediately replied "Marijuana". When asked how much marijuana was in the vehicle, _____ replied "A lot". _____ was secured in handcuffs. I found no contraband during a search of his person. _____ was placed in my vehicle.

I proceeded to ask Johnathan to step out of the vehicle. When Johnathan stepped out of the vehicle, he immediately put his hands up in the air, as if he was subconsciously surrendering to arrest. Johnathan was then secured in handcuffs. When Johnathan was being secured in handcuffs, I could feel his body trembling. I found no contraband during a search of his person. When asked if there was anything illegal in the vehicle, Johnathan replied "Marijuana". I asked how much marijuana, and Johnathan replied "An ounce". Johnathan was placed in Officer Zadjura's vehicle.

During the search of the vehicle, I located a black back pack behind the driver's seat. When I opened the back pack, I found five sandwich bags containing suspected marijuana. I also located two black digital scales and numerous unused sandwich bags in the back pack. One of the digital scales had suspected marijuana on the scale's measuring plate. Typically, the drug dealer will buy the illicit drug in bulk at a discounted price. They will then break the illicit drug down into smaller amounts by weight (Using a digital scale, or a similar scale) and repackage it (Using sandwich bags or similar packaging material) to increase profits through street level sales. In the glove compartment I then located sixteen Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) vape cartridges. Each cartridge's label indicated it contained 728 mg of THC. 728 mg is a potent concentration of THC.

I then interviewed Johnathan regarding the contents located during the search of the vehicle. I advised Jonathan of his Miranda rights, which he acknowledged. When asked if he wished to waive his rights, and be interviewed regarding the contents located during the search of the vehicle, Johnathan stated "Yes". Johnathan advised the marijuana, THC vape cartridges, and associated paraphernalia belonged solely to him. Johnathan would go onto say he just purchased the drugs and planned on "flipping" them to double his profits.

Utilizing a NARK 02 Testing KIT, the suspected marijuana tested positive for the presumptive presence of THC, the active chemical in marijuana. The five sandwich bags weighed a combined 122.74 grams (Over

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Signed: OFFICER KYLE R. VAN ALMKERK

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a quarter pound). Four of the five sandwich bags weighed approximately 28 grams. For reference, there are 28 grams in an ounce. The street value of the marijuana was determined to be \$2,460, if sold at \$20 per gram.

Utilizing a NARK 02 Testing KIT, the THC vape cartridges tested positive for the presumptive presence of THC. The street value of the THC vape cartridges was determined to be \$1,600, if sold at \$100 per cartridge.

The large quantity of marijuana found was far more than an individual would have for personal use, and is indicative of illicit drug sales. Furthermore, associated paraphernalia being utilized to weigh and repackage the marijuana for sale made it evident Johnathan was directly involved in the distribution of marijuana and THC vape cartridges.

A _____ Check _____ and _____ indicated no previous convictions.

Johnathan was charged with violation of CGS 21a-279(a)(1) Possession of >.5 Ounces of Marijuana, CGS 21a-279(b) Possession of >.5 Ounces of Controlled Substance within 1,500 Feet of Public Housing, CGS 21a-267(a) Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, CGS 21a-267(c) Possession of Drug Paraphernalia with 1,500 Feet of Public Housing, CGS 21a-277(b) Possession with Intent to Sell a Controlled Substance, CGS 21a-278a(b) Possession with Intent to Sell a Controlled Substance within 1,500 Feet of Public Housing. Johnathan was released on a \$25,000 non-surety bond, and is scheduled to appear at GA9 Middletown Superior Court on 05/19/2021.

End of incident report.

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Signed: POC. KYLE R VAN ALMKERK

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