

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070114341
Court File No. 07-CR-26-4172

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

RUSNE LATAITYTE DOB: 06/20/2006

1521 Monks Avenue #1
Mankato, MN 56001

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: Giving Peace Officer False Name-of Another Person

Minnesota Statute: 609.506.2

Maximum Sentence: 364 days or \$3,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 10/04/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26031943

Charge Description: On or about October 4, 2026 at 12:05 AM, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Rusne Lataityte did, with intent to obstruct justice, give the name and date of birth of another person to a peace officer when that officer makes inquiries incident to a lawful investigatory stop or lawful arrest, or inquiries incident to executing any other duty imposed by law.

COUNT II

Charge: Liquor-Consumption by persons under 21

Minnesota Statute: 340A.503.1(a)(2)

Maximum Sentence: 90 days or \$1,000 fine, or both.

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 10/04/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26031943

Charge Description: On or about October 4, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Rusne Lataityte did, while under the age of 21 years, consume an alcoholic beverage.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On October 4, 2026, Officer Brianna Wagner responded to Sgt. Katelyn Kaiser, who had advised that she had a liquor violation at Business 1 located in Mankato within the County of Blue Earth and requested assistance in transporting an individual to jail. Sgt. Kaiser was assigned as the Night Supervisor overseeing the Downtown Entertainment District that night. While on duty she was approached by Business 1 bouncer Witness 1 regarding a female and verification of her ID. Witness 1 provided Sgt. Kaiser with a MN driver's license belonging to Sofija Matich (DOB :08/16/2004). Sgt. Kaiser observed the individual in the photograph looked similar to the suspect who was in possession of the ID, however noticed some differences such as height, weight, and hair. The female suspect continued to state that it was her ID after these differences were brought to her attention. The female suspect could not remember the address.

Sgt. Kaiser asked the female if she had any other identification or debit/ credit cards with Sofija Matich's name on them. The female stated that she did not. Sgt. Kaiser then requested Female to open her purse. Sgt. Kaiser then immediately observed a foreign ID and debit card. She was then identified as Rusne Lataityte (06/20/2006) who is 20 years of age. Lataityte told Sgt. Kaiser that the ID belonged to her friend and admitted that she was only 20 years old. Lataityte was then told that she was under arrest. Sgt. Kaiser observed Lataityte's eyes to be blood shot/watery, and she emitted an odor consistent with an alcoholic beverage. She admitted to drinking and provided a breath sample resulting in .10 on the PBT.

Officer Brianna Wagner of Mankato Department of Public Safety arrived on scene and transported Lataityte to the Blue Earth County Jail. Once at the Jail Officer Wagner completed a mirandized interview, Lataityte stated she understood her rights and continued to speak with Officer Wagner. Lataityte indicated the following:

- She was drinking before they went downtown and had taken an uber.
- Matich is her friend and Matich knows that Lataityte is under 21 years old
- She asked Matich to give her the ID
- Matich agreed and willingly and intentionally provided her ID so that Lataityte could enter Business 1.

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

Jesse Gilbertson
Patrol Sergeant
710 S Front St
Mankato, MN 56001-3803
Badge: 3126

Electronically Signed:
10/05/2026 11:51 AM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Benjamin J Dolan
Assistant County Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
10/05/2026 10:39 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: \$

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: October 5, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Mark Betters
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 10/05/2026 12:27 PM

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

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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: