

State of Minnesota  
County of Blue Earth

District Court  
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070113567  
Court File No. 07-CR-26-2356

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**State of Minnesota,**  
Plaintiff,

**COMPLAINT**  
Warrant

vs.

**JOSHUA BUAY KUAR DOB: 01/01/1989**

508 Agency Road #2  
Mankato, MN 56001

Defendant.

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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: Criminal Sexual Conduct-1st Degree-Penetration-Uses force, as defined in section 609.341, subd 3(2)**

Minnesota Statute: 609.342.1(c)(ii), with reference to: 609.342.2(a)

Maximum Sentence: 30 years or \$40,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017949

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Joshua Buay Kuar did engage in sexual penetration with another person and did cause personal injury to the complainant, and (ii) the actor used force as defined in 609.341, Subd. 3(2)

**COUNT II**

**Charge: Attempted Criminal Sexual Conduct-1st Degree-Penetration-Uses force, as defined in section 609.341, subd 3(2)**

Minnesota Statute: 609.342.1(c)(ii), with reference to: 609.17.1, 609.342.2(a)

Maximum Sentence: 30 years or \$40,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Felony

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**COUNT III**

**Charge: Criminal Sexual Conduct - 2nd Degree - Contact - Uses force 609.341, subd. 3(2)**

Minnesota Statute: 609.343.1(c)(ii), with reference to: 609.343.2(a)

Maximum Sentence: 25 years or \$35,000 fine or both

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017949

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in Blue Earth County, Minnesota, Joshua Buay Kuar engaged in sexual contact with another person, and caused personal injury to the victim, and used force.

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On 6/9/2026, Mankato Police Officers were dispatched to a report of a disturbance within Mankato. Sergeant Wood, along with Officers Slattery and Strong, met with Victim 1 and Witness 1 at Victim 1's residence. Victim 1 reported that she was the only individual on the lease but that Witness 1 also stayed in the residence. Victim 1 reported that Witness 1 had invited a male friend (later determined to be Joshua Buay Kuar DOB: 01/01/1989) over to the residence the night of June 8, 2026. Victim only knew this male as "Joshua." It was later determined that this male friend was Kuar.

Victim 1 further reported that, on or about the night of June 8, 2026, Kuar physically and sexually assaulted her in her bed in her residence. When first speaking with Sergeant Wood, Victim 1 told Sergeant Wood the following:

- "I was like fighting him back"
- "To get him away from me"
- "He held me down and did that"
- "I went to my cousin's house because I had to leave to get away from him"
- "Went to the hospital with my cousin"
- "When I came home – he was still here"

After the initial discussion with officers, Victim 1 invited officers into her residence to speak with her and collect evidence. Upon entering the residence Victim 1 showed Officers where the assault had occurred.

Officers gathered various evidence including Victim 1's bedding and clothing. Officer Strong transported Victim 1 to the Public Safety Center to speak about the assault. At the Public Safety Center, Victim 1 told Officer Strong that Joshua (later identified as Kuar) exited Witness 1's bedroom with no clothes on and entered the area where Victim 1 sleeps.

Victim 1 stated that Victim 1 was sitting on the floor on her bed, using her phone. Victim 1 stated that Kuar began rubbing his penis through the towel. Victim 1 stated that Kuar's penis was erect. Kuar then grabbed Victim 1 and forcefully removed her pants without her consent. Victim 1 stated that she told him "no" and to "stop" multiple times.

Victim 1 informed Officer Strong that Kuar then attempted to force his penis into Victim 1's vagina. Victim 1 stated that Kuar was unable to fully insert his penis into her vagina. Victim 1 stated that Kuar then fully forced his penis into her anus. Victim 1 stated that this hurt. Victim 1 stated that throughout the assault Victim 1 continued to tell Kuar to "stop" and tell him "no." Victim 1 indicated the intercourse did not last very long and Victim 1 did not believe Kuar ejaculated inside of her.

As a result of the assault, Victim 1 had blood in her underwear and bleeding from her anus and vagina. Victim 1 was shaken up and in shock. Victim 1 went to the hospital and underwent a sexual assault forensic exam. Victim 1 was shown a driver's license photo of Kuar and confirmed that was the individual that assaulted her.

While Officer strong obtained a statement from Victim 1, Sergeant Wood and Officer Slattery collected evidence in Victim 1's residence, Officer Slattery spoke with Witness 1. Witness 1 told Officer Slattery that Victim 1 was alleging that Victim 1 had been sexually assaulted by a male who had been at the residence.

Witness 1 told Officer Slattery that this caused the argument and disturbance between Witness 1 and Victim 1.

While speaking with Witness 1, Officer Slattery noted that Witness 1 was actively engaged in a conversation on her cell phone with the illuminated screen displaying the name "Joshua." Witness 1 stated that she was speaking with her boyfriend. Witness 1 gave consent to Officer Slattery to obtain "Joshua's" phone number from Witness 1's phone. Officer Slattery obtained "Joshua's" phone number and, after searching local law enforcement records, learned that the "Joshua" previously referred to was Joshua Kuar.

Officer Slattery attempted to contact Kuar via telephone. A short time later, Blue Earth County Dispatch advised that Kuar had contacted dispatch and requested to speak with an officer. The call was transferred to Officer Slattery. Kuar spoke with Officer Slattery and agreed to come to the Public Safety Center to participate in an interview.

At the Public Safety Center, Officer Slattery verified Kuar's identity and read him his Miranda Rights. Kuar advised he understood his rights and agreed to speak with Officer Slattery. During the interview with Officer Slattery, admitted that he "lost his control." Kuar also told Officer Slattery that he tried to stick his penis inside of Victim 1. Kuar stated that Victim 1 was lying on her back while Kuar was on top of her trying to stick his penis inside of Victim 1.

The investigation is ongoing.

Officers placed Kuar under arrest. Kuar was too intoxicated for the jail to accept and is in Detox. As a result, a Complaint Warrant is requested.

## 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**

Matthew Huettl  
Patrol Sergeant  
710 S Front St  
Mankato, MN 56001-3803  
Badge: 3142

Electronically Signed:  
06/10/2026 04:35 PM  
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

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

Electronically Signed:  
06/10/2026 04:31 PM

**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: June 11, 2026.

**Judicial Officer**

Andrea Jo Lieser  
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 06/11/2026 08:47 AM

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

**COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH  
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**State of Minnesota**

Plaintiff

vs.

**Joshua Buay Kuar**

Defendant

*LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE  
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Warrant  
upon the Defendant herein named.*

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: