

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

District Court
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 22A03194
Court File No. 27-CR-22-6518

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Warrant

vs.

EMMANUEL TROY DAVIS DOB: 08/28/2002

406 12th Ave SE
Minneapolis, MN 55414

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: Murder - 2nd Degree - Without Intent - While Committing a Felony

Minnesota Statute: 609.19.2(1), with reference to: 609.19.2(1)

Maximum Sentence: 40 YEARS

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 03/06/2022

Control #(ICR#): 22048007

Charge Description: That on or about 3/6/2022, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, Emmanuel Troy Davis, did without intent to effect the death of any person, cause the death of J.L.D., a human being, while committing or attempting to commit the felony offense of Aggravated Robbery in the First Degree.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

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

On March 6th, 2022, officers received a call from Witness, who indicated that she had received a disturbing video of an assault on her family member. In it, Victim was being kicked multiple times in the head and was not moving. The video of the assault appeared to have been posted from Victim's phone to Facebook. Witness provided officers with the video, which is shot from a third-person point of view. The video shows Victim, unconscious, while a male stands over Victim. The male removes a cellphone from Victim's coat pocket area and grabs Victim by the throat saying, "where yo pipe at?" The male then turns and leaves and a female voice says, "damn." The video closes on Victim's face as he lays unconscious on the ground. The video then appears to skip back to before the robbery. The male is shown stomping and kicking Victim's head and neck. Victim is already unconscious on the ground during the assault. The male says "b*tch" as he stomps and kicks Victim's head. The female videographer is laughing in the background.

Officers called local hospitals and located an assault victim, who turned out to be Victim. He was unresponsive and had suffered severe head trauma. He later died due to his injuries.

Officers learned that Victim had been located unconscious in an apartment building at 13xx Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota and was transported to the hospital.

Officers reviewed video from the apartment building on March 6th and observed Victim entering the building with a female at 21:15 hours. Officers and an ambulance arrive at 22:08 hours, and Victim is transported out on a stretcher.

Officers spoke with Witness, who indicated that the video of the assault had been posted on Victim's Facebook page with a particular tag. Officers traced that Facebook page back to Defendant EMMANUEL TROY DAVIS. Multiple people who know Defendant identified him as the person kicking and stomping on Victim in the video.

In a post-Miranda interview, Defendant admitted to hiring his girlfriend, a known juvenile, to lure Victim to the apartment. He also stated that he planned to "stomp on his a**, f*** his a** up for a little bit." He also admitted to stealing Victim's phone and to sending videos and messages to people after the assault to "f***" with them.

Defendant is on EJJ probation for two aggravated robberies and is in custody for probation violations for those offenses. The State is requesting a rush warrant due to the nature of the offense and Defendant's custody status.

The State intends to seek an upward departure due to the particular cruelty shown to Victim and his family.

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

Mark Suchta
Sergeant
350 S 5th St
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389
Badge: 6995

Electronically Signed:
04/07/2022 12:28 PM
Hennepin County, suchtmj0

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Elizabeth Scoggin
300 S 6th St
Minneapolis, MN 55487
(612) 348-5550

Electronically Signed:
04/07/2022 12:13 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: \$750,000.00

Conditions of Release: No Possession of Weapons; Make All Appearances; Remain Law Abiding; Other: No Contact with Co-Defendant: Q.K.Y. (DOB 10/01/2005)

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: April 7, 2022.

Judicial Officer

Jay Quam
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 04/07/2022 01:18 PM

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

**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

Plaintiff

vs.

Emmanuel Troy Davis

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:

DEFENDANT FACT SHEET

Name: Emmanuel Troy Davis
DOB: 08/28/2002
Address: 406 12th Ave SE
Minneapolis, MN 55414

Alias Names/DOB: Emmanuel Davis DOB: 8/28/2002
SID:
Height:
Weight:
Eye Color:
Hair Color:
Gender: MALE
Race: Black
Fingerprints Required per Statute: Yes
Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record: No
Driver's License #:
SILS Person ID #: 871162
SILS Tracking No. 3270030
Case Scheduling Information: Rush Warrant. D is held at JDC on EJJ PV: 27-JV-20-1871 & 27-JV-19-5110
Alcohol Concentration:

STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID

Cnt Nbr	Statute Type	Offense Date(s)	Statute Nbrs and Descriptions	Offense Level	MOC	GOC	Controlling Agencies	Case Numbers
1	Charge	3/6/2022	609.19.2(1) Murder - 2nd Degree - Without Intent - While Committing a Felony	Felony	H2352		MN0271100	22048007
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