

John Long

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John,

Here is the report for Mr. Bayles.

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Departmental Report

AGENCY	Detail	INCIDENT #	REPORT DATE	REPORT TIME
MSP		2019-0A4-000043	01/02/2019	11:59:00
BEGIN DATE	BEGIN TIME	END DATE	END TIME	
01/02/2019	11:59:00	01/02/2019	11:59:59	
Division-Beat	GRID	PRIORITY	STATUS	STATUS DATE
Troop A - A- ..				
STATUS NOTE				
INCIDENT LOCATION	260 ELM STREET, SOMERVILLE, MA 00000			
PRIMARY OFFICER	3086	CERRA, ROBERT		

CRIME TYPE

SOURCE CRIME TYPE	CRIME TYPE
FOLLOW UP INVESTIGATION	Miscellaneous - Administrative

DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT	DATE
2019-0A4-000043 Physical Arrest (Booked) Arrest	

RELATED OBJECTS

OBJECT	RELATION TYPE	RELATED OBJECT
BAYLES, MICHAEL R White Male [REDACTED]	Home Location	[REDACTED]

OFFICER HISTORY


BADGE #	NAME	ACT/NOTE	START DATE	END DATE	SHIFT/DATE	UNIT/STATION/RESPSTID
3086	CERRA, ROBERT	PRIOFF	01/02/2019			

ARRESTS

ARR/BK #	ARREST TYPE	NAME	ARREST DATE
2019-0A4-000043	Physical Arrest (Booked)	BAYLES, MICHAEL R	

PEOPLE

NAME/ADDRESS	ROLE/DOB	AGE/RACE	SEX/FLAG	HAIR/EYES	HT/WT	LOCAL/SID/FBI
BAYLES, MICHAEL R [REDACTED]	Arrested, Suspect	39 White	M	Bald Blue	508 176	
Physical Arrest (Booked)	2019-0A4-000043		CHARGE: 268-13B-C			



LOCATIONS

LOCATION	ROLE
[REDACTED]	Home Location
260 ELM STREET, SOMERVILLE, MA	Report Location

NARRATIVES**TEXT**

On 1/2/2019 I Trooper Robert Cerra was assigned to the day shift out of the State Police Barracks in Framingham. At approximately 1000 hours I arrived at Tosh Enterprises LLC, a pawn shop located at 260 Elm St., Somerville MA. This visit was conducted as a result of an investigation into items which were stolen from a residence in Newton on or about 8/13/2018 by [REDACTED]. I entered the business and approached the front counter and was met by an individual who identified himself as Dylan McDermitt. McDermitt's true identity was later revealed to be that of Michael BAYLES, but for the purpose of clarity in this reports will be referred to as McDermitt. McDermitt (BAYLES) was cordial and offered assistance when I explained the purpose of my visit. I asked McDermitt to produce any records he had relating to [REDACTED]'s pawn on 8/31/2018, which he did. When I asked McDermitt if I could view those items, he stated that he was sure that they were gone. When I questioned him as to where or any records pertaining to the sale of the suspected stolen items, he said they they were probably sold by "my guy" on Ebay. While handing me the slip of the items [REDACTED] pawned, McDermitt wrote down the name "Dylan McDermitt" pointed to it, and stated something to the effect of "thats me, and you can contact my security guy Danny at this number for those records." I don't have access to them," while pointing to another hand written name with a number below it. I found it odd that the purported owner of the business was so sure that the suspected stolen items were already gone without looking, and that the owner of such a small business would not have access to its records, particularly in such a heavily regulated business such as a pawn shop which is required to maintain records.

After a brief conversation about a second suspect, I left the shop. On my walk out of the shop towards my cruiser I attempted to contact the number which McDermitt had provided me for his "security guy." There was no answer on the phone, and a voice mail message had not been set up on the phone. At that point I became suspicious that the individual who had identified himself at the counter as McDermitt the owner was somehow involved in the receipt of the stolen property. I returned to my cruiser and conducted a check through the Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles for the name "Dylan McDermitt" to no avail. I returned to the shop and waited patiently as McDermitt dealt with another customer. When finished, McDermitt approached me. I questioned him about the two names he had written down on the piece of paper. McDermitt again identified himself as Dylan McDermitt. I asked him to produce some form of identification. He produced a Massachusetts license in the name of Michael Bayles. I informed BAYLES about the seriousness of lying to me during the course of my investigation. At that point the exchange got tense, and I thought I may have to issue a summons BAYLES for his criminal conduct. Explaining that, BAYLES began to shout things to the effect of "You can't do shit in here. Call the Somerville detectives." The exchange between us got more heated, and as an employee opened the door to the counter from the area where I was to where BAYLES was, I attempted to enter. BAYLES closed the door on my foot as I was entering. I informed BAYLES he was under arrest, and he was continuously yelling at me while tensing his body up.

A phone call was made to the Somerville Police Department, who arrived moments later. I explained the situation to a supervisor, and transported BAYLES to the State Police Barracks in Medford. BAYLES was charged with a violation of M.G.L. C.268 s. 13B for willfully misleading a police officer during the course of a criminal investigation. This charge was filed in the Somerville District Court.