



CASE REPORT

Summary

Print Date/Time: 07/29/2024 14:05
 Login ID: [REDACTED]
 Case Number: 2022-00017654

Logan County Sheriff's Office
 ORI Number: IL0540000

Case

Case Number: 2022-00017654
 Location: [REDACTED]
 Reporting Officer ID: LO172 - Grayson

Incident Type: Suspended/Revoked DL
 Occurred From: 08/04/2022 13:57
 Occurred Thru: 08/04/2022 13:57
 Disposition: Citation Issued Adult
 Disposition Date: 08/04/2022
 Reported Date: 08/04/2022 13:57 Thursday

Offenses

| No. | Group/ORI | Crime Code | Statute | Description | Counts |
|-----|-----------|------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| 1 | State | 2480 | 625 ILCS 5.0/6-303-B | Driving Revoked License | 1 |

Subjects

| Type | No. | Name | Address | Phone | Race | Sex | DOB/Age |
|----------|-----|----------------|------------|-------|------------|------------|------------|
| Arrestee | 1 | Lahr, Markus E | [REDACTED] | | White | Male | [REDACTED] |
| Other | 1 | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |

Arrests

| Arrest No. | Name | Address | Date/Time | Type | Age |
|------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|---------|------------|
| 6284 A | Lahr, Markus E | RT 121 SB 1200 | 08/04/2022 13:57 | On-View | [REDACTED] |

Property

| Date | Code | Type | Make | Model | Description | Tag No. | Item No. |
|------------|----------|------|------|-------|---|---------------|----------|
| 08/04/2022 | Evidence | DVD | | | DVD uploaded with in car camera audio / video | 2022-00017654 | 1 |

Chain of Custody

| Date | Transaction | From | From Role | To | To Role |
|------------------|--|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| 08/08/2022 10:47 | Type: Intake Code: Initial Tag Number: Remarks: | LO172-Sean Grayson | Officer/Deputy | LO145-Alison Wright | Evidence Cust |

Vehicles

| No. | Role | Vehicle Type | Year Make | Model | Color | License Plate | State |
|-----|---------|---------------|---------------|-------|-------|---------------|-------|
| 1 | Suspect | Passenger Car | 2005 Cadillac | ESC | White | [REDACTED] | IL |



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REPORTING DEPUTY

Date:

SHIFT SUPERVISOR

Date:

INVESTIGATOR

Date:

Dep. Grayson Narrative

On 08/04/22 at approximately 1357 hours, I was sitting stationary in my marked patrol vehicle on State Rt. 121, and Lamplighter Circle in Mt. Pulaski IL. I observed a white Cadillac traveling northbound on Rt. 121. I observed a male to be driving with an orange headband on, wearing a camo t-shirt. As the vehicle passed me, I observed the male to look towards me making eye contact with me, as he made eye contact with me, he slid down in his seat as if he was trying to hide from me. I pulled behind the white Cadillac with Illinois registration [REDACTED] registered to Markus Lahr. I followed behind the vehicle and observed the vehicle to only be driving 45 MPH in a 55 MPH zone. The vehicle made a quick right turn into the first driveway accessible off of route 121. The vehicle did not go all the way up to the driveway and stopped close to the roadway. I found this odd due to the vehicle not pulling all the way up the driveway. The drive way was approximately over 500 feet long. I continued northbound on Rt. 121, I looked back in my rear view mirror and observed the male to get out of the driver seat and walked towards the passenger side of the vehicle as if he was getting into the passenger seat. I found this odd due to them not going up to the house. This made me believe they were not there to see anyone who lived at the residence. Followed by the male getting out of the driver seat to get into the passenger seat. I parked in the 1200 block of Rt. 121. Approximately 1-2 minutes later I observed the same vehicle pass by me traveling northbound, but the male was in the passenger seat. The male had taken off his orange headband, as if trying to change his appearance. A female was now driving the vehicle. All these actions together lead me to believe the male either had a warrant or was driving suspended or revoked, or was possibly involved in criminal activity. I pulled behind the vehicle, activated my emergency lights and initiated an investigative traffic stop. We came to stop in the 1200 block of State Rt. 121.

I approached the passenger side of the vehicle and asked the male passenger if he was suspended or revoked. The male who later identified as Markus Lahr stated that he was just expired. I asked Markus why he switched seats and did not continue to drive. Markus stated that his vehicle started to overheat and needed to check his vehicle out, I found this statement odd due to him never working on the vehicle or opening the hood up while in the drive way. I asked Markus for his license and proof of insurance. Markus provided his license, and was not able to provide valid insurance. I asked the female driver for her license. The female who identified as [REDACTED] provided me with her information. While speaking to Markus and [REDACTED] I could smell an odor of cannabis coming from the vehicle.

I asked [REDACTED] to come back to my squad car while I ran [REDACTED] information. [REDACTED] got into the passenger seat of my squad car. I ran [REDACTED] information, [REDACTED] came back valid and clear. Markus came back revoked and clear. I asked [REDACTED] why they switched seats, [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] did not know. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was supposed to drive to Lincoln. I advised [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] will have to drive once released due to Markus being revoked.

I advised Markus that he was revoked and asked him if there was going to be any drug contraband in the vehicle. I advised Markus I could smell an odor of cannabis coming from the vehicle. Markus stated there was no cannabis in the vehicle. Dep. Scherwman arrived on scene. I advised Markus to go to Dep. Scherwman's vehicle. Markus got into the passenger seat of Dep. Scherwman's vehicle. Dep. Scherwman and I started to search the vehicle. I located cannabis in a tobacco wrap in the glove box. I secured the cannabis in my squad car. I later logged the cannabis into evidence.

Markus stated that he has insurance for the vehicle but it was at home in a folder with the title and registration. I advised Markus that he has to have a valid copy of insurance or be able to provide it. I issued Markus a citation 228251 for driving while revoked. Citation 228252 for no valid insurance. Civil citation 00934 for possession of cannabis in motor vehicle. I issued Markus his copies of citations. I advised Markus that he was free to leave. [REDACTED] drove the vehicle from the scene.

I uploaded my in car camera audio / video to a DVD to be logged into evidence. I cloud shared my in car camera to the Logan County States Attorney's Office.

Dep. Grayson.