



POLICE CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA	
COUNTY OF:	CAMBRIA

Magisterial District Number: 47-3-04
 MDJ Name: Hon. Charity NILESKY
 Address: 730 Portage Rd
 Cresson PA 16630

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
 VS.

DEFENDANT:

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Gerard Majella CONNOLLY
 806 11th St
 Altoona PA 16602

AUG 14 2007

Telephone:	814-886-8879
Docket No:	CR-247-07
Date Filed:	8-13-07
OTN:	K616235-4

Defendant's Race/Ethnicity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			Defendant's Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male		Defendant's D. O. B. 03/31/1941	Defendant's Social Security Number	Defendant's SID (State Identification Number)
Defendant's A.K.A (also known as)		Defendant's Vehicle Information Plate Number State Registration Sticker (MM/YY)			Defendant's Driver's License Number State PA 15685054		
Complaint/Incident Number X77-028346		LiveScan Tracking Number		Complaint/Incident Number if other Participants			UCR/NIBRS Code 044/260

Office of the Attorney for the Commonwealth Approved Disapproved because: _____
(The attorney for the Commonwealth may require that the complaint, arrest warrant affidavit, or both be approved by the attorney for the Commonwealth prior to filing. Pa.R.Crim.P.507.)

(Name of Attorney for Commonwealth)

(Signature of Attorney for Commonwealth)

(Date)

I, CPL JEFFREY DOMBROSKY
(Name of Affiant)

07509/00455651
(Officer Badge Number/I.D.)

of the Pennsylvania State Police, Organized Crime Task Force
(Agency Represented)

PAPSP1101
(Police Agency ORF Number)

X77-028346
(Originating Agency Case Number (OCA))

do hereby state: (check appropriate box)

- I accuse the above named defendant who lives at the address set forth above
 I accuse the defendant whose name is unknown to me but who is described as
 I accuse the defendant whose name and popular designation or nickname is unknown to me and whom I have therefore designated as John Doe

with violating the penal laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at
State Corecctional Institution at Cresson, 251 Corrections Road, Cresson Township
(Place-Political Subdivision)

in CAMBRIA County on or about September 8, 2006 until January 16, 2007

Participants were: (if there were participants, place their names here, repeating the name of the above defendant)

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2. The acts committed by the accused were:

(Set forth a summary of the facts sufficient to advise the defendant of the nature of the offense charged. A citation to the statute allegedly violated, without more, is not sufficient. In a summary case, you must cite the specific section and subsection of the statute or ordinance allegedly violated.)

CC 3124.2 Institutional Sexual Assault, F3,

IN THAT, on or about said dates, THE DEFENDANT, who was an employee or agent of the Department of Corrections did engage in sexual intercourse, deviate sexual intercourse or indecent contact with an inmate, in violation of Section 3124.2 of the PA Crimes Code.

CC 5123 (c) Contraband, M1,

IN THAT, on or about said dates, THE DEFENDANT, did sell, give or furnish to a convict in a prison any kind of spirituous or fermented liquor, in violation of Section 5123(c) of the PA Crimes Code.

all of which were against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and contrary to the Act of Assembly, or in violation of

- 1. 3124.2 of the Title 18, PA Crimes Code 12 F-3
(Section) (SubSection) (PA Statute) (counts) (grade)
- 2. 5123c of the Title 18, PA Crimes Code 5 M-1
(Section) (SubSection) (PA Statute) (counts) (grade)
- 3. _____ of the _____
(Section) (SubSection) (PA Statute) (counts) (grade)
- 4. _____ of the _____
(Section) (SubSection) (PA Statute) (counts) (grade)

3. I ask that a warrant of arrest or a summons be issued and that the defendant be required to answer the charges I have made. **(In order for a warrant of arrest to issue, the attached affidavit of probable cause must be completed and sworn to before the issuing authority.)**

4. I verify that the facts set forth in the complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge or information and belief. This verification is made subject to the penalties of Section 4904 of the Crimes Code (18 Pa.C.S. §4904) relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

August 14, 2007, Carl J. Miller P. D. Clerk
(Date) (Signature of Affiant)

AND NOW, on this date, August 14, 2007 I certify that the complaint has been properly completed and verified. An affidavit of probable cause must be completed in order for a warrant to issue.

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Charles J. Nelson SEAL
(Issuing Authority)

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AFFIDAVIT of PROBABLE CAUSE

PROBABLE CAUSE BELIEF IS BASED UPON THE FOLLOWING FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES:

On March 3, 2007 Myself and Tpr Robert YAKICIC interviewed an inmate at SCI Cresson. The inmate stated that he was being counseled in prison by Father Gerard and that Father Gerard brought him alcohol into the prison and he got drunk. He said that after he was intoxicated Father Gerard masturbated him until he ejaculated. The inmate stated that this happened approximately five times in the Chapel area of the prison during counseling sessions. The inmate also stated that Father Gerard brought him food, alcohol and other items into the prison and sent money to his friends and family so he would not tell authorities about the sexual contact.

The inmate told prison officials where Father Gerard had alcohol hidden in his office in the Chapel area of the prison and three bottles of suspected alcohol were recovered by prison officials and turned over to this officer. The suspected alcohol was analyzed at the Greensburg Regional Crime Lab and was determined to be alcohol.

On July 17, 2007 Myself and Tpr Robert YAKICIC interviewed Father Gerard Majella CONNOLLY at 806 11th St Altoona PA. I identified myself to him and advised him we were conducting an investigation at SCI Cresson and we would like to speak with him. I advised him that he was not under arrest and that he did not have to speak with us and that he did decide to speak with us and answer questions he could stop any time he wished. Father Gerard stated that he understood and would speak with us and answer questions. I asked him about his sexual involvement with the inmate. Father GERARD stated that he did masturbate the inmate on several occasions and that the inmate had recorded him speaking to him and masturbating him on one occasion. Father Gerard stated that after the inmate told him he had the recording he began to order him to bring items, including alcohol, into the prison and to send money to his friends and family. Father Gerard said that he brought alcohol into the prison on approximately five occasions for the inmate. He said that he hid it in a small plastic bottle and brought it in through the front gate and then gave it to the inmate in the Chapel area of the prison.

On July 24, 2007 Myself and Cambria County District Attorney Patrick KINIRY interviewed Father Gerard at 806 11th St Altoona PA. Father Gerard was advised of his Miranda rights by DA KINIRY and stated that he understood his rights and would speak with us and answer questions. Father Gerard again admitted to having sexual contact with the inmate on several occasions and to bringing alcohol into the prison. He also gave me a typed document that he told us he created to document the sexual contact and following "extortion" from the inmate. The document contained dates and a brief description of his contact with the inmate in question on those dates.

I, CPL. JEFFREY DOMBROSKY/07509, BEING DULY SWORN ACCORDING TO LAW, DEPOSE AND SAY THAT THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE FOREGOING AFFIDAVIT ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION, AND BELIEF.

Jeffrey P. Dombrosky
(Signature of Affiant)

Sworn to me and subscribed before me this 14th day of August, 2007

Charolette J. Nileski
Magisterial District Judge

My commission expires first Monday of January, 2008.

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