

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
COUNTY OF CLEARFIELD



POLICE CRIMINAL COMPLAINT
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

VS.

DEFENDANT:

(NAME and ADDRESS)

Magisterial District Number: 46-3-01

MDJ Hon. PATRICK N. FORD
Address: 309 MAPLE AVE
DUBOIS, PA 15801

Telephone: 814-371-5321

DEAN GARRETT SULIN
First Name Middle Name Last Name Gen.
424 E. PARK AVE Apt/Suite 1
DUBOIS, PA 15801

NCIC Extradition Code Type

- 1 - Felony Full 5 - Felony Pend. C - Misdemeanor Surrounding States Distance: _____
 2 - Felony Ltd. 6 - Felony Pend. Extradition Determ. D - Misdemeanor No Extradition
 3 - Felony Surrounding States A - Misdemeanor Full E - Misdemeanor Pending
 4 - Felony No Ext. B - Misdemeanor Limited F - Misdemeanor Pending Extradition Determ.

DEFENDANT IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

Docket Number		Date Filed	OTN/LiveScan Number	Complaint/Incident Number 20180201M0355	Request Lab Service? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
GENDER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	DOB 07/16/1991	POB PENNSYLVANIA	Add'l. DOB	Co-Defendants? <input type="checkbox"/>		
	AKA		First Name Middle Name Last Name	Gen.		
RACE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> White	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian	<input type="checkbox"/> Black	<input type="checkbox"/> Native American	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
ETHNICITY	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic		<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		
HAIR COLOR	<input type="checkbox"/> Gry (Gray)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red (Red/Aubn)	<input type="checkbox"/> SDY (Sandy)	<input type="checkbox"/> BLU (Blue)	<input type="checkbox"/> PLE (Purple)	<input type="checkbox"/> BRO (Brown)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blk (Black)	<input type="checkbox"/> Ong (Orange)	<input type="checkbox"/> WHI (White)	<input type="checkbox"/> XXX (Ink./Bald)	<input type="checkbox"/> GRN (Green)	<input type="checkbox"/> PNK (Pink)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bln (Blonde / Strawberry)					
EYE COLOR	<input type="checkbox"/> Blk (Black)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blu (Blue)	<input type="checkbox"/> BRO (Brown)	<input type="checkbox"/> GRN (Green)	<input type="checkbox"/> GRY (Gray)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> HAZ (Hazel)	<input type="checkbox"/> MAR (Maroon)	<input type="checkbox"/> PNK (Pink)	<input type="checkbox"/> MUL (Multicolored)	<input type="checkbox"/> XXX (Unknown)	
DNA	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO DNA Location			WEIGHT (lbs.)		
FBI Number	924006MD6	MNU Number	240			
Defendant Fingerprinted	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				Ft. HEIGHT in.	
Fingerprint Classification					6 00	

DEFENDANT VEHICLE INFORMATION

Plate #	State	Hazmat <input type="checkbox"/>	Registration Sticker (MM/YY)	Comm'l Veh Ind. <input type="checkbox"/>	School Veh. <input type="checkbox"/>	Oth. NCIC Veh. Code	Reg. Same as Def. <input type="checkbox"/>
VIN	Year	Make	Model	Style	Color		

Office of the attorney for the Commonwealth Approved Disapproved because: _____

(The attorney for the Commonwealth may require the complaint, arrest warrant affidavit, or both, be approved by the attorney for the Commonwealth prior to filing. See PA. R. Crim. P 507.)

(Name of the attorney for the Commonwealth - Please Print or Type)

(Signature of the attorney for the Commonwealth)

(Date)

I, **OFC. ZAYNE M. RHED**
(Name of the Affiant)
of **CITY OF DUBOIS POLICE DEPARTMENT**
(Identify Department or Agency Represented and Political Subdivision)

313/41317
PSP/MPOETC - Assigned Affiant ID Number & Badge #
PA0170200
(Police Agency ORI Number)

do hereby state:

1. 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 are unknown to me and whom I have therefore designated as John Doe or Jane Doe

with violating the penal laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at [**301**] **DUBOIS CITY**
(Subdivision Code) (Place/Political Subdivision)

424 E. PARK AVE DUBOIS

in **CLEARFIELD** County [**17**] on or about **31 JANUARY 2018 AT 1826 HRS.**
(County Code) (Offense Date)



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The acts committed by the accused are described below with each Act of Assembly or statute allegedly violated, if appropriate. When there is more than one offense, each offense should be numbered chronologically.
 (Set forth a *brief* summary of the facts sufficient to advise the defendant of the nature of the offense(s) charged. A citation to the statute(s) allegedly violated, without more, is not sufficient. In a summary case, you must cite the specific section(s) and subsection(s) of the statute(s) or ordinance(s) allegedly violated. In addition, social security numbers and financial information (e.g. PINs) should not be listed. If the identity of an account must be established, list only the last four digits. 204 PA §§ 213. - 213.7.)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inchoate Offense	<input type="checkbox"/> Attempt 18 901 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation 18 902 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Conspiracy 18 903	Number of Victims Age 60 or Older <u>0</u>				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lead?	1	2702	A1	of the	18	1	F1	
PennDOT Data (if applicable)	Accident Number		<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone		<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone			

Statute Description (Include the name of statute or ordinance):
Aggravated Assault

Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
 The Actor, Dean Garrett SULIN, on or about, January 31, 2018, in the City of DuBois, County of Clearfield, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, attempted to cause or intentionally, knowingly or recklessly caused serious bodily injury to, a 4 month old girl, Solace Cameron, under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of Section 2702(a)(1) of the Pennsylvania Crimes Code, Act of December 6, 1972, as amended, 18 Pa. C.S. 2702(a)(1). (F-1)

<input type="checkbox"/> Inchoate Offense	<input type="checkbox"/> Attempt 18 901 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation 18 902 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Conspiracy 18 903	Number of Victims Age 60 or Older <u>0</u>				
<input type="checkbox"/> Lead?	2	2702	A8	of the	18	1	F2	
PennDOT Data (if applicable)	Accident Number		<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone		<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone			

Statute Description (Include the name of statute or ordinance):
Aggravated Assault - Victim Less Than 6 and Defend

Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
 The actor, Deal Sulin, did attempt to cause or intentionally, knowingly or recklessly caused bodily injury to the victim, Solace Cameron, who is less than 6 years of age and the actor being a person 18 years of age or older, namely the actor, Deal Sulin; in violation of Title 18 Section 2702 (a)(8) of the Pennsylvania Crimes Code.

<input type="checkbox"/> Inchoate Offense	<input type="checkbox"/> Attempt 18 901 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation 18 902 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Conspiracy 18 903	Number of Victims Age 60 or Older <u>0</u>				
<input type="checkbox"/> Lead?	3	2702	A9	of the	18	1	F2	
PennDOT Data (if applicable)	Accident Number		<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone		<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone			

Statute Description (Include the name of statute or ordinance):
Aggravated Assault - Victim Less Than 13 and Defen

Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
 The actor, Dean Sulin, did attempt to cause or intentionally, knowingly or recklessly caused bodily injury to the victim, Solace Cameron, who is less than 13 years of age and the actor being a person 18 years of age or older, namely the actor, Dean Sulin; in violation of Title 18 Section 2702 (a)(9) of the Pennsylvania Crimes Code.



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- 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.
- I verify that the facts set forth in this 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.C. 4904) relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.
- This complaint is comprised of the preceding page(s) numbered 1 through 2 .
- I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Case Records Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania* that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

The acts committed by the accused, as listed and hereafter, were against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and were contrary to the Act(s) of Assembly, or in violation of the statutes cited.
(Before a warrant of arrest can be issued, an affidavit of probable cause must be completed, sworn to before the issuing authority, and attached.)

_____,
 (Date) _____ (Signature of Affiant)

AND NOW, on this date _____ I certify that the complaint has been properly completed and verified. An affidavit of probable cause must be completed before a warrant can be issued.

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AFFIDAVIT of PROBABLE CAUSE

On January 31, 2018, at 1826 hours, I, Officer Zayne Rhed, #313 of the Dubois City Police Department was dispatched by Clearfield County Control to contact Clearfield County Children and Youth Services (hereinafter referred to as "CYS") worker Melissa Fultz in reference to suspected child abuse occurring in the City of Dubois, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.

Fultz stated that CYS had received a report from Penn Highlands Hospital û Dubois regarding injuries sustained by a four (4) month old female infant identified as Solace Cameron (hereinafter referred to as "the victim"). According to Fultz, the victim arrived at the hospital via ambulance from 424 Park Avenue because the victim was having difficulty breathing. Fultz stated that, according to Penn Highlands Medical Staff, the injuries were indicative of abusive head trauma (the clinical term for what is frequently called "shaken baby syndrome").

Shortly after the above-referenced contact with Fultz, Cpl. Young and I arrived at Penn Highlands û Dubois and spoke with the physician attending to the victim's condition û Dr. Christopher Conti. Conti indicated that the victim had notable swelling in the frontal area, which was later confirmed via CT scan as a bilateral subdural hematoma. According to Conti, the victim was not behaving as a healthy four (4) month old child should and indicated that the above-referenced head injury is commonly associated with abusive head trauma. Conti indicated that the victim was last seen on January 28, 2018 for vomiting. Conti and staff asserted that the victim's parents, Dean Garrett Sulin (hereinafter referred to as "the defendant") and Angela Cameron (hereinafter referred to as "the mother") did not appear to be concerned about the welfare of the victim.

Due to the severity of the victim's injuries, the victim was flown to UPMC Children's Hospital in Pittsburgh. While still on scene at Penn Highlands û Dubois, I spoke with the defendant's grandparents û Toni Schick and Michael Horchen. They indicated that the defendant had a history of drug and alcohol abuse. Schick and Horchen also

I, OFC. ZAYNE M. RHED (313) _____, BEING DULY SWORN ACCORDING TO THE 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.

I CERTIFY THAT THIS FILING COMPLIES WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE CASE RECORDS PUBLIC ACCESS POLICY OF THE UNIFIED JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF PENNSYLVANIA THAT REQUIRE FILING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS DIFFERENTLY THAN NON-CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS.

(Signature of Affiant)

Sworn to me and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____,

_____ Date _____, Magisterial District Judge

My commission expires first Monday of January, _____





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advised that they observed the victim vomiting on January 28 and 30, 2018.

On January 31, 2018 at 2000 hours, Cpt. Young and I interviewed the victim's uncle, Josh Bonate at the Dubois City Police Department. Bonate indicated that on November 11, 2017, he observed the victim with a cut on her bottom lip and unusual bruising on her upper and lower torso. Bonate asserted that he had previously witnessed the defendant pick the victim up by one leg and put her into and remove her from the bath tub. Bonate indicated that he also observed the defendant apply lotion to the victim in a very aggressive fashion by slapping the victim's buttocks and rubbing the lotion in very hard. Bonate stated during the interview that the defendant admitted to him that he had dropped the victim several times. Bonate also stated that the defendant told him that he had given the victim "Shaken Baby Syndrome" because he shook the victim too hard. Bonate indicated that he personally observed the defendant yell and aggressively shake the victim when she was crying.

On February 1, 2018, Cpl. Young and I went to UPMC Children's Hospital to speak with Dr. Jennifer Wolford ũ the physician who examined the victim. Dr. Wolford indicated that there were present signs of abusive head trauma in the victim's CT scan. Furthermore, according to Dr. Wolford, there were pre-existing injuries to the victim's brain that were indicative of abusive head trauma. Dr. Wolford indicated in her report that she was exhibiting symptoms of abusive head trauma that is acute in nature and that there is evidence that the victim had an older, previous instance of abusive head trauma. A brain MRI indicated that the victim had retinal hemorrhages ũ another classic sign of abusive head trauma. Dr. Wolford stated that the victim's unresponsiveness before EMS arrived, coupled with the evidence on the victim's MRI is consistent with being injured shortly before EMS were called on January 31, 2018. Dr. Wolford asserted that the victim presented with life threatening injuries upon admission to the hospital and was a near-fatality as a result of the abuse. Dr. Wolford concluded that if the victim were to return to the environment and the injuries were to continue, she is at risk of death.

Dr. Wolford's report also contained a section which documented the defendant's version of events that led to the victim's hospitalization. The report stated that the defendant reported that he was running a bath for the victim and she became limp and unresponsive, which prompted him to call 911. The mother's version of events, as documented by Dr. Wolford, was that for the past five (5) or six (6) days prior to the hospitalization, the victim had been vomiting and was "dead to the world." Mother indicated that the victim was not her usual happy self and exhibited a fever with no diarrhea. Mother reported no recent injuries, however she did report seeing, two (2) months ago, one (1) bruise on the victim's forehead and one (1) on her buttocks.

On February 1, 2018, at 1338 hours, I interviewed the mother of the victim. During the interview, the mother admitted to seeing prior injuries on the victim after being in the care on the defendant, namely, a cut and bruise to the victim's bottom lip, a bruise to the buttocks, a bruise to the left side of the victim's stomach, and a bruise to the right front of the victim's forehead. Mother indicated that the victim had been sick for the last week and a half. According to mother, the child had been crying, vomiting, not sleeping, and appeared to be in pain. Mother told your affiant that the defendant aggressively yelled and screamed at the victim when the victim cried. Mother also told your affiant that she witnessed the defendant pick the victim up only by her arms and aggressively shake her while yelling "shut the fuck up" in the victim's face. The mother indicated that this behavior began when the victim was approximately one (1) month old and continued until present.

The mother told your affiant that she was at work on January 31, 2018 when the victim became unresponsive. The mother indicated that she left for work at 0930 hours and left work after the defendant called her to tell her that EMS was taking the victim to



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the hospital. The mother of the victim indicated that the only person home with the victim was the defendant. The mother stated that he never wanted the victim.

On February 1, 2018 at 1746 hours, your affiant interviewed the defendant. The defendant told your affiant that on January 31, 2018, he was driving around town applying for jobs. The defendant asserted that while in the vehicle, the victim began vomiting on herself. According to the defendant, when the defendant and the victim returned home, the victim vomited on the defendant, soiling the defendant's clothing. The defendant stated that he then laid the child down and took a shower. The defendant indicated that when he finished his shower and returned to the victim, the victim let out a loud yell and went limp. The defendant said that the victim's head was rolling around and that her eyes rolled in the back of her head. Following this episode, the defendant called EMS. The defendant admitted that he was the only person home with the child when this episode occurred.

During the interview the defendant indicated that the victim had been sick for a week. According to the defendant, the victim was vomiting, lethargic and seemed to be in pain during this time period. The defendant admitted to causing the bruise on the child's buttocks, claiming that he had dropped her in the bathtub. The defendant stated that he was the individual who was the victim's primary caregiver û the one who got up with her in the middle of the night when she cried. The defendant admitted to your affiant that he is not fit to be a father and never wanted to have a child.

During the victim's hospital stay, your affiant had an opportunity to observe the defendant's demeanor as well as reviewing the hospital staff's notes of the defendant's demeanor. The defendant was seemingly unconcerned about the victim's condition throughout the hospital stay and seemed more concerned as to whether he would be in trouble for the victim's injuries.

Based upon the foregoing information, I respectfully request that the aforementioned charges be filed against the defendant, Dean Garrett Sulin.

(Signature of Affiant)